



State of Connecticut  
 Eastern Connecticut State University  
 83 Windham Street  
 Willimantic, CT 06226

Bid number	Mandatory Pre-Bid	Bid Opening Date	Bid Opening Time	Date Issued
ECSU 2020-12	Date: 02/3/21 Time: 9 AM Place: High Rise dorm	2/18/21	2:00 PM	1/26/21

**Agency Contact:**

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**AFFIRMATION OF BIDDER: The undersigned bidder affirms and declares:**

1. That this proposal is executed and signed by said bidder with full knowledge and acceptance of the provisions of Form ECSU-02 (Standard Bid and Contract Terms and Conditions) of current issue and in effect on the date of bid issue.
2. Your written signature below indicates agreement of terms and conditions on page 2 and 3 of this document.

BIDDER INFORMATION				
Complete Company Name (Trade Name, DBA)			Social Security or Federal Employer ID Number	
Company Address:	Street	City	State	Zip Code
Contact Name (typed or printed)	Email address	Telephone Number	Fax Number	
Signature of Person Authorized to Sign Bids on Behalf of the above named company				Date Executed
Is your business currently a Department of Administrative Services Certified Small Business Enterprise:				
<input type="checkbox"/> Yes (Attach Certificate to Bid) <input type="checkbox"/> No				
Is your business a:				
<input type="checkbox"/> Sole Proprietorship <input type="checkbox"/> Partnership <input type="checkbox"/> Corporation (Type & State of Incorporation) _____ <input type="checkbox"/> LLC – sole owner <input type="checkbox"/> LLC – Partnership <input type="checkbox"/> LLC - Corporation				
If you are a State Employee, indicate your position/ agency/ and address:				
Remittance Address (If different from above):				
<b>Total Bid Price: \$</b>				
<b>RETURN BID TO ECSU IN A SEALED ENVELOPE CLEARLY MARKED IN THE LOWER LEFT CORNER WITH THE BID NUMBER, DUE DATE AND TIME.</b> <b>(NOTE: FACSIMILE BIDS ARE <u>NOT</u> ACCEPTABLE)</b> ECSU PURCHASING DEPARTMENT EASTERN ROAD GELSI & YOUNG HALL, ROOM 344 WILLIMANTIC, CT 06226				

**THIS FORM AND REQUIRED PROPOSAL SCHEDULE FORMS MUST BE COMPLETED AND RETURNED WITH BID PROPOSAL**

**EXECUTIVE ORDERS:** This contract is subject to the provisions of Executive Order No Three of Governor Thomas J. Meskill, promulgated June 16, 1971, and, as such, this contract may be cancelled, terminated or suspended by the State Labor Commissioner for violation of noncompliance with said Executive Order No. Three, or any State or federal law concerning nondiscrimination, withstanding that the Labor Commissioner is not a party to this contract. The parties of this contract, as part of the consideration hereof, agree that said Executive Order No. Three is incorporated herein by reference and made a part hereof. The parties agree to abide by said Executive Order and agree that the State Labor Commissioner shall have continuing jurisdiction in respect to contract performance in regard to nondiscrimination, until the contract is completed or terminated prior to completion. The contractor, agrees as part of consideration hereof, that this contract is subject to the Guidelines and Rules issued by the State Labor Commissioner to Implement Executive Order No. Three, and that he will not discriminate in his employment practices or policies, will file all reports as required, and will fully cooperate with the State of Connecticut and the Labor Commissioner. This contract is also subject to the provisions of Executive Order No. Seventeen of Governor Thomas J. Meskill promulgated February 15, 1973, and, as such, this contract may be cancelled, terminated or suspended by the contracting agency or the State Labor Commissioner for violation of or noncompliance with said Executive Order No. Seventeen, notwithstanding that the Labor Commissioner may not be a party to this contract. The parties of this contract, as a part of the consideration hereof, agree that Executive Order No. Seventeen is incorporated herein by reference and made a part hereof. The parties agree to abide by said Executive Order and agree that the contracting agency and the State Labor Commissioner shall have joint and several continuing jurisdiction in respect to contract performance in regard to listing all employment openings with the Connecticut State Employment Service.

#### NON-DISCRIMINATION

References in this section to "contract" shall mean this Contract and references to "contractor" shall mean the Contractor.

- (a) The following subsections are set forth here as required by section 4a-60 of the Connecticut General Statutes:
- (1) The contractor agrees and warrants that in the performance of the contract such contractor will not discriminate or permit discrimination against any person or group of persons on the grounds of race, color, religious creed, age, marital status, national origin, ancestry, sex, mental retardation, mental disability or physical disability, including, but not limited to, blindness, unless it is shown by such contractor that such disability prevents performance of the work involved, in any manner prohibited by the laws of the United States or of the state of Connecticut. The contractor further agrees to take affirmative action to insure that applicants with job-related qualifications are employed and that employees are treated when employed without regard to their race, color, religious creed, age, marital status, national origin, ancestry, sex, mental retardation, mental disability or physical disability, including, but not limited to, blindness, unless it is shown by such contractor that such disability prevents performance of the work involved;
  - (2) the contractor agrees, in all solicitations or advertisements for employees placed by or on behalf of the contractor, to state that it is an "affirmative action-equal opportunity employer" in accordance with regulations adopted by the commission;
  - (3) the contractor agrees to provide each labor union or representative of workers with which such contractor has a collective bargaining agreement or other contract or understanding and each vendor with which such contractor has a contract or understanding, a notice to be provided by the commission advising the labor union or workers' representative of the contractor's commitments under this section, and to post copies of the notice in conspicuous places available to employees and applicants for employment;
  - (4) the contractor agrees to comply with each provision of this section and sections 46a-68e and 46a-68f and with each regulation or relevant order issued by said commission pursuant to sections 46a-56, 46a-68e and 46a-68f;
  - (5) the contractor agrees to provide the Commission on Human Rights and Opportunities with such information requested by the commission, and permit access to pertinent books, records and accounts, concerning the employment practices and procedures of the contractor as relate to the provisions of this section and section 46a-56.
- (b) If the contract is a public works contract, the contractor agrees and warrants that he will make good faith efforts to employ minority business enterprises as subcontractors and suppliers of materials on such public works project.
- (c) "Minority business enterprise" means any small contractor or supplier of materials fifty-one per cent or more of the capital stock, if any, or assets of which is owned by a person or persons: (1) Who are active in the daily affairs of the enterprise, (2) who have the power to direct the management and policies of the enterprise and (3) who are members of a minority, as such term is defined in subsection (a) of section 32-9n; and "good faith" means that degree of diligence which a reasonable person would exercise in the performance of legal duties and obligations. "Good faith efforts" shall include, but not be limited to, those reasonable initial efforts necessary to

comply with statutory or regulatory requirements and additional or substituted efforts when it is determined that such initial efforts will not be sufficient to comply with such requirements.

- (d) Determination of the contractor's good faith efforts shall include but shall not be limited to the following factors: The contractor's employment and subcontracting policies, patterns and practices; affirmative advertising, recruitment and training; technical assistance activities and such other reasonable activities or efforts as the commission may prescribe that are designed to ensure the participation of minority business enterprises in public works projects.
- (e) The contractor shall develop and maintain adequate documentation, in a manner prescribed by the commission, of its good faith efforts.
- (f) The contractor shall include the provisions of section A above in every subcontract or purchase order entered into in order to fulfill any obligation of a contract with the state and such provisions shall be binding on a subcontractor, vendor or manufacturer unless exempted by regulations or orders of the commission. The contractor shall take such action with respect to any such subcontract or purchase order as the commission may direct as a means of enforcing such provisions including sanctions for noncompliance in accordance with section 46a-56; provided, if such contractor becomes involved in, or is threatened with, litigation with a subcontractor or vendor as a result of such direction by the commission, the contractor may request the state of Connecticut to enter into any such litigation or negotiation prior thereto to protect the interests of the state and the state may so enter.
- (g) The following subsections are set forth here as required by section 4a-60a of the Connecticut General Statutes:
  - (1) The contractor agrees and warrants that in the performance of the contract such contractor will not discriminate or permit discrimination against any person or group of persons on the grounds of sexual orientation, in any manner prohibited by the laws of the United States or of the state of Connecticut, and that employees are treated when employed without regard to their sexual orientation;
  - (2) the contractor agrees to provide each labor union or representative of workers with which such contractor has a collective bargaining agreement or other contract or understanding and each vendor with which such contractor has a contract or understanding, a notice to be provided by the Commission on Human Rights and Opportunities advising the labor union or workers' representative of the contractor's commitments under this section, and to post copies of the notice in conspicuous places available to employees and applicants for employment;
  - (3) the contractor agrees to comply with each provision of this section and with each regulation or relevant order issued by said commission pursuant to section 46a-56; and
  - (4) the contractor agrees to provide the Commission on Human Rights and Opportunities with such information requested by the commission, and permit access to pertinent books, records and accounts, concerning the employment practices and procedures of the contractor which relate to the provisions of this section and section 46a-56.
- (h) The contractor shall include the provisions of section (g) above in every subcontract or purchase order entered into in order to fulfill any obligation of a contract with the state and such provisions shall be binding on a subcontractor, vendor or manufacturer unless exempted by regulations or orders of the commission. The contractor shall take such action with respect to any such subcontract or purchase order as the commission may direct as a means of enforcing such provisions including sanctions for noncompliance in accordance with section 46a-56; provided, if such contractor becomes involved in, or is threatened with, litigation with a subcontractor or vendor as a result of such direction by the commission, the contractor may request the state of Connecticut to enter into any such litigation or negotiation prior thereto to protect the interests of the state and the state may so enter.

For the purposes of this entire Non-Discrimination section, "contract" includes any extension or modification of the contract, "contractor" includes any successors or assigns of the contractor, "marital status" means being single, married as recognized by the state of Connecticut, widowed, separated or divorced, and "mental disability" means one or more mental disorders, as defined in the most recent edition of the American Psychiatric Association's "Diagnostic and Statistical Manual of Mental Disorders", or a record of or regarding a person as having one or more such disorders. For the purposes of this section, "contract" does not include a contract where each contractor is (1) a political subdivision of the state, including, but not limited to, a municipality, (2) a quasi-public agency, as defined in Conn. Gen. Stat. Section 1-120, (3) any other state, including but not limited to any federally recognized Indian tribal governments, as defined in Conn. Gen. Stat. Section 1-267, (4) the federal government, (5) a foreign government, or (6) an agency of a subdivision, agency, state or government described in the immediately preceding enumerated items (1), (2), (3), (4) or (5).

### **Insurance**

The contractor agrees that while performing services specified in this agreement that he shall carry sufficient insurance (liability and/or other) as applicable according to the nature of the service to be performed so as to "save

harmless” the State of Connecticut from any insurable cause whatsoever. If requested, certificates of such insurance shall be filed with the contracting State Agency prior to the performance of services.

**STATE LIABILITY**

The State of Connecticut shall assume no liability for payment for services under the terms of this agreement until the contractor is notified that this agreement has been accepted by the using agency and, if applicable, approved by the Office of Policy and Management (OPM), the Department of Administrative Services and by the Attorney General of the State of Connecticut.

EASTERN CONNECTICUT STATE UNIVERSITY  
INVITATION TO BID PROJECT # ECSU 2012-12  
High Rise Geothermal Pumps Replacement

**SUBMISSION CHECK LIST**

- ( ) Bidder Information Cover Sheet
- ( ) Proposal/Project Data Sheet
- ( ) Bidder's Qualification Statement
- ( ) Standard Bid Bond or Certified Check in the amount of 10% of the bid
- ( ) Contract Compliance Monitoring Report (3 pages)
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- ( ) Nondiscrimination Certificate
- ( ) W9, Vendor Form and Small Business Certification (if applicable)
- ( ) Sub-Contractor Worksheet

# PROJECT MANUAL

## HIGH RISE GEOTHERMAL HEAT PUMPS REPLACEMENT

EASTERN CONNECTICUT STATE UNIVERSITY  
WILLIMANTIC, CONNECTICUT 06226-2295

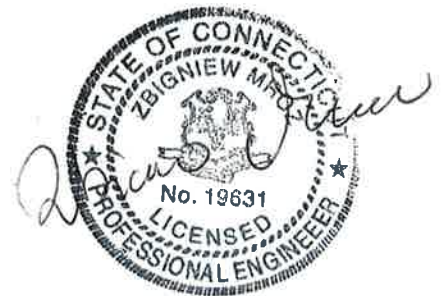
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October 19, 2020



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2/21/18

**PROPOSAL FORM**  
EASTERN CONNECTICUT STATE UNIVERSITY  
FOR PROJECTS ESTIMATED NOT TO EXCEED \$2,000,000.00

DATE \_\_\_\_\_

PROPOSAL OF \_\_\_\_\_  
BIDDER'S NAME

\_\_\_\_\_  
BIDDER'S ADDRESS

To: Eastern Connecticut State University  
83 Windham Street  
Willimantic, Connecticut 06226

Dear Sir:

1. In accordance with **Section 4b-91** of the Connecticut General Statutes and pursuant to, and in compliance with your Invitation to Bid, the Notice to Bidders, the form of contract including the conditions thereto, the form of required bond, I (we) propose to furnish the labor and/or materials, installed as required for the project named and numbered on the PROJECT DATA SHEET of this Proposal, to the extent of the Proposal submitted herein, furnishing all necessary equipment, machinery, tools, labor and other means of construction, and all materials specified in the manner and at the time prescribed strictly in accordance with the provisions of the contract, including specifications and/or drawings, together with all addenda issued by your authority and received prior to the scheduled closing time for the receipt of the bids, and in conformity with requirements of the Awarding Authority and any laws or departmental regulations of the State of Connecticut or of the United States which may affect the same, for and in consideration of the price(s) stated on the said PROJECT DATA SHEET, hereof.
2. The Lump Sum Base Bid by me (us) on the PROJECT DATA SHEET includes all work indicated on the drawings and/or described in the specifications, except:
  - A. Work covered by Supplemental Bids as may be listed on the PROJECT DATA SHEET.
3. This proposal is submitted subject to and in compliance with the foregoing and following conditions and/or information:
  - A. **AWARD:**  
  
**The award shall be made on the lowest Sum of base bid amount including any accepted supplemental bid(s). The supplemental bids must be accepted in sequential order as they are listed herein.** The Owner/Agency reserves the right to reject any or all bids, and to accept a bid in greater compliance with the materials, labor, and methods defined in this specification.

In the event of any discrepancy between the amount written in words and the amount written in numerical figures, the amount written in words shall be controlling.

The contractor is required to hold his bid price for sixty (60) days. In the event that the contract award is delayed beyond the (60) days, the Agency must obtain written confirmation from the contractor extending the bid.

**B. COMMENCEMENT AND COMPLETION OF WORK: (ARTICLE 6, GENERAL CONDITIONS)**

Commencement of work: The Contractor shall commence work within **five (5)** working days after receiving notice to begin work by the Agency.

Construction Start: On or before **May 24, 2021**.

Substantial Completion: Shall be completed by **July 23, 2021**.

Construction Duration: Construction Duration shall be **70** calendar days.

**C. LIQUIDATED DAMAGES: (ARTICLE 12, GENERAL CONDITIONS)**

Amount per calendar day: **N/A**

The parties agree that in the event of the contractor's failure to adhere to the schedule of the starting/completion dates, the harm to the university would be very difficult or impracticable to accurately estimate and that the amount fixed as liquidated damages is not a penalty, but a reasonable forecast of just compensation for said harm.

**D. CONTRACTORS INSURANCE REQUIRED: (ARTICLE 47, GENERAL CONDITIONS)**

1) The limits of liability for the Insurance required for this project shall be those listed in Article 47 of the General Conditions.

2) SPECIAL HAZARDS INSURANCE REQUIRED WHEN SPECIFIED:  
Not required

3) BUILDERS RISK INSURANCE: **The General Contractor shall maintain Builder's Risk insurance providing coverage for the entire work at the project site and shall also cover portions of the Work in transit. Coverage shall be written on an All-Risk, Replacement Cost, and completed Value Form basis in an amount at least equal to the projected completed value of the Work and the policy shall state that it is for the benefit of and payable to the State of Connecticut work, as their interests may appear.**

**E. STATEMENT OF BIDDER'S QUALIFICATIONS:** Essential information in regard to contractor's qualifications is submitted and is made part of this proposal.

**F. NONDISCRIMINATION AND LABOR RECRUITMENT:** I (we) agree that the contract awarded for this project shall be subject to Executive Orders No. Three

and Seventeen, promulgated June 16, 1971, and February 15, 1973, respectively and to the Guidelines and Rules of the State Labor Commissioner implementing Executive Order No. Three and further agree to submit reports of Compliance Staffing on Labor Department Form E.O. 3-1, when and as requested.

- G. NONVIOLENCE: I (we) agree that the contract awarded for this project shall be subject to Executive Order No. Sixteen, promulgated August 4, 1999.
- H. FEDERAL AND STATE WAGE DETERMINATIONS: The U.S. Secretary of Labor's latest decision and the State of Connecticut Wage Schedule are all incorporated in the documents as applicable. The higher rate (Federal or State) for any given occupation shall prevail. At the time of bidding, the bidder agrees to accept the current prevailing wage scale as provided by the Connecticut Department of Labor as applicable.
- I. CERTIFICATION OF BIDDER REGARDING EQUAL EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITY AND NONSEGREGATED FACILITIES: The General Contractor and subcontractors are hereby advised that, upon acceptance of their bids, they are obligated to fill out, within seven (7) calendar days, the certification required pursuant to Executive Order No. 11246 and agree to certify to the compliance of non-segregated facilities.

4. For bids in the amount of \$50,000.00 or greater, the following must accompany this proposal:

- A. A CERTIFIED CHECK or a CASHIER'S CHECK drawn to the order of the EASTERN CONNECTICUT STATE UNIVERSITY in the amount of 10% of the bid or in the amount of:

\_\_\_\_\_ DOLLARS (\$) )

and drawn on the \_\_\_\_\_  
(STATE BANK & TRUST) (NATIONAL BANKING ASSOC.)

located at \_\_\_\_\_  
(CITY & STATE)

which it is understood shall be cashed and the proceeds thereof used so far as may be necessary to reimburse EASTERN CONNECTICUT STATE UNIVERSITY for losses and damages arising by virtue of my (our) failure to file the required Bonds and execute the required contract in the event that this proposal is accepted by the Awarding Authority.

OR

- B. A BID BOND having as surety thereto a Surety Company or Companies authorized to transact business in the State of Connecticut and made out in the penal sum of 10% of the bid, or in the amount of:

\_\_\_\_\_ DOLLARS (\$) )

5. I (we), the undersigned, hereby declare that I am (we are) the only person(s) interested in the proposal and that it is made without any connection with any other person making

any bid for the same work. No person acting for, or employed by, the State of Connecticut is directly or indirectly interested in this proposal, or in any contract which may be made under it, or in expected profits to arise therefrom. This proposal is made without directly or indirectly influencing or attempting to influence any other person or corporation to bid or refrain from bidding or to influence the amount of the bid of any other person or corporation. This proposal is made in good faith without collusion or connection with any other person bidding for the same work and this proposal is made with distinct reference and relation to the plans and specifications prepared for this contract. I (we) further declare that in regard to the conditions affecting the work to be done and the labor and materials needed, this proposal is based solely on my (our) own investigations and research and not in reliance upon any representations of any employee, officer, or agent of the State.

6. The General Contractor on this project will be required to perform not less than **30%** of the work with his own forces.
- A. The undersigned proposes to furnish all labor and materials required for \_\_\_\_\_ in \_\_\_\_\_, in accordance with the accompanying plans and specifications prepared by \_\_\_\_\_ for the contract price specified below subject to additions and deductions according to the terms of the specifications.
- B. This bid includes addenda numbered: \_\_\_\_\_
- C. The proposed Lump Sum Base Bid price is: \_\_\_\_\_ DOLLARS (\$ \_\_\_\_\_ )

**SUPPLEMENTAL BID 1 (not applicable)**

To provide all labor, material and equipment in accordance with Specifications, Div. 1, Section 01030.

- D. The undersigned understands that, because of the approvals required by the State of Connecticut, particularly the funding process, the Agency's identification of the low bidder does not constitute acceptance of the offer and no contract exists until all approvals for the proposal are received and a purchase order is let indicating acceptance of this bid.
- E. The undersigned certifies that at least fifty-one percent of the ownership of the bidding company is held by a person or persons who are active in the daily affairs of the business and have the power to direct the management and policies of the business.
- F. The undersigned understands that a contractor awarded a contract or portion of contract under the SMALL BUSINESS SET-ASIDE PROGRAM shall not subcontract with any business with which said contractor has interlocking ownership, management or employees.

This project is subject to the State SET ASIDE goals and **NEW STATUTORY CHANGES TO 4a-60g effective 10/1/13** as it relates to new self-performance

and subcontracting requirements.

- G. The undersigned further understands that documentation may be required or an audit for determination of eligibility may be performed to verify eligibility for awards or compliance with the SET-ASIDE PROGRAM.

The undersigned further understands that 100% of this contract is limited to currently registered Connecticut Registered Small Business Set-Aside contractors participation

The undersigned further understands that this contract requires 6.25% Connecticut Registered Small Business Set-Aside subcontractor participation which must be Woman or Minority Owned (WBE/MBE). Participating contractor list may be obtained from the Department of Economic Development (860) 258-4254.

P.A. 13-404 increases the percentages of work required to be self-performed by any prime SBE/MBE Company that is awarded a contract under the set-aside statutes. Previously a company awarded a set-aside contract was required to self perform 15% of such contract; it will now be required to self-perform at least 30%. Further SBE and MBE's that subcontract some of the work under their set-aside contracts will be required to sub-contract at least 50% of the remaining work

- H. The undersigned further agrees and warrants that he has made good faith efforts to employ minority business enterprises as subcontractors and suppliers of materials under such contract and will provide the Commission on Human Rights and Opportunities with such information as is requested by the Commission concerning his employment practices and procedures as they relate to the provisions of the general statutes governing contract requirements (see Public Act 87-577).

- I. (a) For the purposes of this section, "minority business enterprise" means any small contractor or supplier of materials, of which fifty-one per cent or more of the capital stock, if any, or assets is owned by a person or persons: (1) Who are active in the daily affairs of the enterprise, (2) Who have the power to direct the management and policies of the enterprise and (3) Who are members of a minority, as such term is defined in subsection (a) of Conn. Gen. Stat. Sec. 32-9n; and "good faith" means that degree of diligence which a reasonable person would exercise in the performance of legal duties and obligations. "Good faith efforts" shall include, but not be limited to, those reasonable initial efforts necessary to comply with statutory or regulatory requirements and additional or substituted efforts when it is determined that such initial efforts will not be sufficient to comply with such requirements.

For purposes of this Section, "Commission" means the Commission on Human Rights and Opportunities.

b) (1) The contractor agrees and warrants that in the performance of the contract such contractor will not discriminate or permit discrimination against any person or group of persons on the grounds of race, color, religious creed, age, marital status, national origin, ancestry, sex, mental retardation or physical disability, including, but not limited to, blindness, unless it is shown by such contractor that

such disability prevents performance of the work involved, in any manner prohibited by the laws of the United States or of the State of Connecticut. If the contract is for a public works project, the contractor agrees and warrants that he will make good faith efforts to employ minority business enterprises as subcontractors and suppliers of materials on such project. The contractor further agrees to take affirmative action to insure that applicants with job related qualifications are employed and that employees are treated when employed without regard to their race, color, religious creed, age, marital status, national origin, ancestry, sex, mental retardation, or physical disability, including, but not limited to, blindness, unless it is shown by such contractor that such disability prevents performance of the work involved; (2) the contractor agrees, in all solicitations or advertisements for employees placed by or on behalf of the contractor, to state that it is an "affirmative action-equal opportunity employer" in accordance with regulations adopted by the commission; (3) the contractor agrees to provide each labor union or representative of workers with which such contractor has a collective bargaining agreement or other contract or understanding and each vendor with which such contractor has a contract or understanding, a notice to be provided by the commission, advising the labor union or worker's representative of the contractor's commitments under this section and to post copies of the notice in conspicuous places available to employees and applicants for employment; (4) the contractor agrees to comply with each provision of this Section and Conn. Gen. Stat. Sec. 4a-62, 4b-95/96, 32-9e, 46a-56 and 46a-68b to 46a-68k, inclusive, and with each regulation or relevant order issued by said commission pursuant to said sections; (5) the contractor agrees to provide the Commission on Human Rights and Opportunities with such information requested by the commission, and permit access to pertinent books, records and accounts, concerning the employment practices and procedures of the contractor as related to the provisions of this Section and Section 46a-56.

(c) Determination of the contractor's good faith efforts shall include, but shall not be limited to, the following factors: The contractor's employment and subcontracting policies, patterns and practices; affirmative advertising, recruitment and training; technical assistance activities and such other reasonable activities or efforts as the commission may prescribe that are minority business enterprises in public works projects.

(d) The contractor shall develop and maintain adequate documentation, in a manner prescribed by the commission, of its good faith efforts.

(e) The contractor shall include the provisions of subsection (b) of this section in every subcontract or purchase order entered into in order to fulfill any obligation of a contract with the state and such provisions shall be binding on a subcontractor, vendor, or manufacturer unless exempted by regulations or orders of the Commission. The contractor shall take such action with respect to any such subcontract or purchase order as the Commission may direct as a means of enforcing such provisions including sanctions for noncompliance in accordance with this Section and Conn. Gen. Stat. Sec. 4a-62, 4b-95/96, 32-9e, 46a-56 and 46a-68b to 46a-68k, inclusive; provided if such contractor becomes involved in, or is threatened with, litigation with a subcontractor or vendor as a result of such direction by the Commission, the contractor may request the State of Connecticut to enter into any such litigation or negotiation prior thereto to protect the interests of the state and the state may so enter. Please note that substitution of a



subcontractor for one named is not permitted except for "**GOOD CAUSE**" as defined in Connecticut General Statutes 4b-95(c). Subcontracts must be executed in the format proscribed in Sec. 4b-96, Connecticut General Statutes.

(f) The contractor agrees to comply with the regulations referred to in this section as they exist on the date of this contract and as they may be adopted or amended from time to time during the term of this contract and any amendments thereto.

(g) After April 1, 1989, each contractor with fifty or more employees awarded a public works contract in excess of fifty thousand dollars, shall develop and file an affirmative action plan with the Commission on Human Rights subject to the conditions under P.A. 88-351. In addition, the successful bidder on contracts of \$500,000 or more must submit, for approval, an Affirmative Action Plan to the Commission of Human Rights and Opportunities. Upon notification from Eastern Connecticut State University, the successful bidder has 10 calendar days to submit their plan to Eastern Connecticut State University for preliminary review.

The undersigned understands that the award of this category of contract is contingent upon the Commission on Human Rights and Opportunities approving the apparent lowest qualified bidder's Affirmative Action Plan.

PROJECT DATA SHEET

NOTE: All proposals must be live signed by a duly authorized representative of the firm. NO FACSIMILE SIGNATURES PERMITTED.

Signed on this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_ 2015

Project Number \_\_\_\_\_

(TO BE FILLED IN AND SIGNED BY THE BIDDER)

Firm Name \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_

City, State \_\_\_\_\_

Telephone \_\_\_\_\_

Duly Authorized \_\_\_\_\_  
SIGNATURE

TYPE NAME AND TITLE \_\_\_\_\_

**FOR "SMALL BUSINESS SET-ASIDE CONTRACTORS" ONLY**

The undersigned certifies that he is certified as a Small Business Set-Aside Contractor and has included a copy of that certification with this bid.

Signed: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Dates of Certification: \_\_\_\_\_

Type of Certification (circle one):    Woman        Minority        Small

OBJECTIVE CRITERIA ESTABLISHED FOR  
EVALUATING QUALIFICATIONS OF GENERAL BIDDERS

The following items are established pursuant to Sections 4b-92 & 4b-94, 31-53aa, and 31-57b of the Connecticut General Statutes, as amended, and represent the criteria used for bid award.

THE BIDDER MUST:

1. Low bidders must demonstrate that they customarily employ supervisory personnel with expertise in the work for the bid specifications. Experience in the trade(s) for the project will be a factor.
2. Low bidders must demonstrate satisfactory past performance of work of a similar size, scope, and dollar value to that of the subject project on a continuous basis for the past three (3) years.
3. Low bidders must own or will rent/lease equipment necessary to perform the contract work needed for the project.
4. Low bidders must be financially responsible for performing the work as bid. If requested, additional financial information must be provided. (\$250,000 or over only)
5. For projects with a bid value of \$50,000 or more, furnish three (3) references from architects, owners, or owner's agents indicating satisfactory and timely completion of prior work (no older than 3 years).
6. Low bidders must demonstrate, if requested, that on previous state projects, the bidder complied in good faith with the requirements of listing subcontractors per Sections 4b-93 and 4b-95 of the Connecticut General Statutes.
7. Low bidders must demonstrate that all major required subcontractors, per Section 4b-95 of the Connecticut General Statutes, who are declared in the bid documents, are in compliance with the provisions of Section 20-341gg of the Connecticut General Statutes concerning licensure if work is to be performed on any structure that exceeds the threshold limits in Section 29-276b of the Connecticut General Statutes, as revised.
8. Low bidders must have demonstrated the skill, ability and integrity necessary for faithful performance on state and other projects relative to past honesty and sincerity in relationships with client agencies and other owners. Review of Agency files shall be included in the evaluation of bidder's qualifications and anticipated future performance.
9. All serious or willful violations of OSHA regulations in the past three (3) years nor have received a criminal conviction related to the injury or death of any employee in the three (3) year period preceding the bid.
10. All legal or administrative proceedings, currently pending, as well as any which have concluded adversely within the last three years which relate to performance of any public or private construction contracts.

11. Have demonstrated a good track record of past performance on state or other projects relative to the quantity, quality, timeliness, cost, cooperation and harmonious working relationships with subcontractors, suppliers and client agencies. Prompt payment to subcontractors and suppliers is a critical factor to be considered.
12. Identify any situations where the bidder failed to complete a construction contract or situations where bonds were called during the past three years. If so, note when, where, and attach a separate sheet of explanation to this form.
13. Not have been found to be currently in major violation of tax law compliance requirements of the Department of Revenue Services.
14. Not have been found to be currently in major violation of labor laws as required through the Department of Labor including violations of prevailing wage laws in the past three years.

## BIDDERS' QUALIFICATION STATEMENT

PROJECT NO. \_\_\_\_\_

All bidders are required to file this form, properly completed, WITH THEIR PROPOSAL. Failure of a bidder to answer any question or provide required information may be grounds for the awarding authority to disqualify and reject their bid. If a question or request for information does not pertain to your organization in any way, use the symbol "NA" (Not Applicable). Use additional 8 1/2 x 11 sheets with your letterhead as necessary.

1. Indicate exactly the name by which this organization is known:  
Name \_\_\_\_\_.
2. How many years has this organization been in business under its present business name?  
Years \_\_\_\_\_.
3. How many years has this organization been in business as a General Contractor?  
Years \_\_\_\_\_.
4. If this organization has not always been a General Contractor, list the trade(s) that your firm customarily performed prior to the time that you became a General Contractor:
  1. \_\_\_\_\_,
  2. \_\_\_\_\_,
  3. \_\_\_\_\_.
5. Indicate all other names by which this organization has been known and the length of time known by each name:
  1. \_\_\_\_\_,
  2. \_\_\_\_\_,
  3. \_\_\_\_\_.
6. This firm is a : \_\_\_\_\_ Corporation, \_\_\_\_\_ Partnership,  
\_\_\_\_\_ Sole Proprietorship, \_\_\_\_\_ Joint Venture, \_\_\_\_\_ Other.
7. Attach resumes of all supervisory personnel, such as Principals, Project Managers, and Superintendents who will be directly involved with projects on which you are now a bidder. Indicate the number of years of construction experience and the number of years which were in a Supervisory capacity.
8. List all sub-trades which your firm customarily performs with own employees.
  1. \_\_\_\_\_,
  2. \_\_\_\_\_,
  3. \_\_\_\_\_.
9. Trade References: Names, addresses, and telephone numbers of several firms with whom your organization has regular business dealings:

(Attach Separate Sheet)

10. All Construction Projects your organization has in process:

<u>TITLE &amp; LOCATION</u>	<u>CONTRACT AMOUNT</u>	<u>OWNER</u>	<u>DESIGNER</u>	<u>START DATE</u>	<u>FINISH DATE</u>	<u>ANY COMPLAINT AS TO QUALITY OF MANAGEMENT</u>	<u>NAME &amp; PHONE OF OWNER'S REP</u>	<u>NAME &amp; PHONE OF DESIGNER'S REP</u>
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Please attach a separate sheet explaining any negative entry in the last three columns.

11. All Construction Projects your organization has completed in the past five years or the twenty projects most recently completed:

<u>TITLE &amp; LOCATION</u>	<u>CONTRACT AMOUNT</u>	<u>OWNER</u>	<u>DESIGNER</u>	<u>START DATE</u>	<u>FINISH DATE</u>	<u>ANY COMPLAINT AS TO QUALITY OF MANAGEMENT</u>	<u>NAME &amp; PHONE OF OWNER'S REP</u>	<u>NAME &amp; PHONE OF DESIGNER'S REP</u>
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Please attach a separate sheet explaining any negative entry in the last three columns.

**BIDDERS QUALIFICATION STATEMENT**

12. Has your organization ever failed to complete a contract, or has any officer or partner of your organization ever been an officer or partner of another organization that failed to complete a contract? If so, indicate the circumstances leading to the project failure and the name of the company which provided the bonding for the failed contract(s):

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13. List all legal or administrative proceedings currently pending or concluded adversely within the last five years which relate to procurement or performance of any public or private construction contracts. (Exclude OSHA violations which are called for elsewhere in this statement.)

1. \_\_\_ Attached                      2. \_\_\_ Not Applicable

14. List all willful or serious violations of any Occupational Safety and Health Act (OSHA) or of any standard, order or regulation promulgated pursuant to such act, during the three year period preceding the bid, provided such violations were cited in accordance with the provisions of any State Occupational Safety and Health Act or Occupational Safety and Health Act of 1970. Indicate whether these were abated within the time fixed by the citation or whether the citation was appealed. If appealed, what is the status or disposition.

1.

2.

3.



15. Has your organization had any criminal convictions related to the injury or death of any employee in the three year period preceding the bid. Please list any such convictions below.

1.

2.

Dated at \_\_\_\_\_  
this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 2015.

Name of Organization:  
\_\_\_\_\_

Signature \_\_\_\_\_  
Print Name \_\_\_\_\_  
Title \_\_\_\_\_

NOTARY STATEMENT:

Mr./Ms. \_\_\_\_\_ being duly sworn deposes and says that  
he/she is the \_\_\_\_\_ of  
(Position or Title)  
\_\_\_\_\_, and that the answers to the  
(Firm Name)  
foregoing questions and all statements therein contained are true and correct.

Subscribed and sworn before me this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 2015.

Notary Public: \_\_\_\_\_

My Commission expires \_\_\_\_\_, 2015.  
(Seal Required)

**NOTICE TO BIDDERS**  
EASTERN CONNECTICUT STATE UNIVERSITY

1. **BIDS AND REJECTION OF BIDS:** Bids shall be for the complete work as specified and shall include the names of any subcontractors for the four classes of work specified in subsection (a) of Section 4b-93 of the General Statutes of Connecticut as revised, and for each other class of work for which the awarding authority has required a separate section pursuant to said subsection and the dollar amounts of their subcontracts, and the contractor shall be selected on the basis of such bids. It shall be presumed that the bidder intends to perform with its own employees all work in such four classes and such other classes, for which no subcontractor is named. The bidder's qualifications for performing such work shall be subject to review under Section 4b-92 of the General Statutes of Connecticut, as revised.

Every general bid, which is on a form not completely filled in or which is incomplete, conditional or obscure, or which contains any addition not called for shall be invalid; and the awarding authority shall reject every such bid. The awarding authority shall be authorized to waive minor irregularities which he considers in the best interest of the state, provided the reasons for any such waiver are stated in writing by the awarding authority and made a part of the contract file. No such bid shall be rejected because of the failure to submit prices for, or information relating to, any item or items for which no specific space is provided in the bid form furnished by the awarding authority, but this sentence shall not be applicable to any failure to furnish prices or information required by Section 4b-95 of the General Statutes of Connecticut, as revised, to be furnished in the bid form provided by the awarding authority.

Bids shall be publicly opened and read by the awarding authority forthwith. The awarding authority may require in the bid form that the contractor agree to perform a stated, minimum percentage of work with its own forces. The awarding authority may also require the contractor to set aside a portion of the contract for subcontractors who are eligible for set-aside contracts. The awarding authority shall not permit substitution of a subcontractor for one named in accordance with the provisions of said Section 4b-95 or substitution of a subcontractor for any designated subtrade work bid to be performed by the contractor's own forces, except for good cause. The term "good cause" includes but is not limited to a subcontractor's or, where appropriate, a contractor's: (1) death or physical disability, if the listed subcontractor is an individual; (2) dissolution, if a corporation or partnership; (3) bankruptcy; (4) inability to furnish any performance and payment bond shown on the bid form; (5) inability to obtain, or loss of, a license necessary for the performance of the particular category of work; (6) failure or inability to comply with a requirement of law applicable to contractors, subcontractors, or construction, alteration, or repair projects; (7) failure to perform his agreement to execute a subcontract under Section 4b-96 of the General Statutes of Connecticut, as revised.

The bid price shall be the price set forth in the space provided on the bid form. No bid shall be rejected (1) because of error in setting forth the name of a subcontractor as long as the subcontractor or subcontractors designated are clearly identifiable, or (2) because the plans and specifications do not accompany the bid or are not submitted with the bid. Failure to correctly state a subcontractor's price shall be a cause for rejection of the bid.

Any contractor who violates any provision of said Section 4b-95 may be disqualified from bidding on other contracts that are subject to the provisions of Chapter 60 of the General Statutes of Connecticut, as revised, for a period not to exceed twenty-four months, commencing from the date on which the violation is discovered, for each violation. The

awarding authority shall periodically review the contractor's subcontracts to insure compliance with such provisions and shall, after each such review, prepare a written report setting forth his findings and conclusions.

Bids shall be submitted only on the forms furnished for the specific project. In no event will bids or changes in bids made by telephone, telegraph, or facsimile be considered. Any bid form omitting or adding items, altering the form, containing conditional or alternative bids, not filled in completely or without the original signature of the bidder or its authorized representative, will be rejected.

Any bid received after the scheduled closing time for the receipt of bids will be returned to the bidder unopened.

Any bid, once deposited with the agency, may only be withdrawn by letter of request, signed by the depositing bidder and presented to the Acquisitions Specialist, prior to the time of opening of any bid for the project designated or identified project.

2. BID SECURITY: Each bid must be accompanied by a certified check payable to the order of the University, or the bid may be accompanied by a bid bond, in the form required by the awarding authority, having as surety thereto such surety company or companies acceptable to the agency and as are authorized to do business in this State, for an amount not less than 10 percent of the bid. All checks submitted by unsuccessful bidders shall be returned to them after the contract has been awarded.
3. FORFEITURE OF BID SECURITY: Failure of the successful bidder to execute a contract awarded as specified and bid shall result in the forfeiture of the bid bond or certified check.
4. ADDENDA AND INTERPRETATIONS: No interpretations of the meaning of the plans, specifications or other contract documents will be made orally to any bidder. Every request for such interpretation should be in writing to the awarding authority and, to be given consideration, must be received at least ten (10) days prior to the date fixed for the opening of bids. Any and all such interpretations and any supplemental instructions will be in the form of written addenda to the specifications which, if issued, will be mailed to all prospective bidders (at the respective addresses furnished for such purposes) not later than five (5) days prior to the date fixed for the opening of bids. Failure of any bidder to receive any such addendum or interpretation shall not release any bidder from any obligations under his bid as submitted, provided notice has been sent to the address furnished by such prospective bidder for the transmittal of notices, addenda and interpretations. It shall be the bidder's responsibility to make inquiry as to, and to obtain, the addenda issued, if any.
5. EXECUTIVE ORDER NO. THREE:

This contract is subject to the provisions of Executive Order No. Three of Governor Thomas J. Meskill promulgated June 16, 1971, and, as such, this contract may be canceled, terminated or suspended by the State Labor Commissioner for violation of or noncompliance with said Executive Order No. Three, or any state or federal law concerning nondiscrimination, notwithstanding that the Labor Commissioner is not a party to this contract. The parties to this contract, as part of the consideration hereof, agree that said Executive Order No. Three is incorporated herein by reference and made a part hereof. The parties agree to abide by said Executive Order and agree that the State Labor Commissioner shall have continuing jurisdiction in respect to contract

performance in regard to nondiscrimination until the contract is completed or terminated prior to completion.

The contractor agrees, as part consideration hereof, that this contract is subject to the Guidelines and Rules issued by the State Labor Commissioner to implement Executive Order No. Three, and that he will not discriminate in his employment practices or policies, will file all reports as required, and will fully cooperate with the State of Connecticut and the State Labor Commissioner.

6. EXECUTIVE ORDER NO. SIXTEEN:

This contract is subject to the provisions of Executive Order No. Sixteen of Governor John G. Rowland promulgated August 4, 1999, and, as such, the contract may be canceled, terminated or suspended by the state for violation of or noncompliance with said Executive Order No. Sixteen. The parties to this contract, as part of the consideration hereof, agree that said Executive Order No. Sixteen is incorporated herein by reference and made a part hereof. The parties agree to abide by such Executive Order.

7. EXECUTIVE ORDER NO. SEVENTEEN:

This contract is subject to the provisions of Executive Order No. Seventeen of Governor Thomas J. Meskill promulgated February 15, 1973, and, as such, this contract may be canceled, terminated or suspended by the contracting agency or the State Labor Commissioner for violation of or noncompliance with said Executive Order No. Seventeen, notwithstanding that the Labor Commissioner may not be a party to this contract. The parties to this contract, as part of the consideration hereof, agree that Executive Order No. Seventeen is incorporated herein by reference and made a part hereof. The parties agree to abide by said Executive Order and agree that the contracting agency and the State Labor Commissioner shall have joint and several continuing jurisdiction in respect to contract performance in regard to listing all employment openings with the Connecticut State Employment Service.

8. FOREIGN CORPORATIONS: A corporation not organized under the laws of this State that is awarded the contract must comply with the laws of this State regarding the procurement of a certificate of authority to transact business in this State from the Secretary of State.

9. SECURITY FOR FAITHFUL PERFORMANCE:

A. Performance Bond. On or before the contract award date the successful bidder, for any bid equal to or exceeding \$50,000, shall substitute for the certified check or bid bond accompanying his bid, an executed Performance Bond, in an amount not less than 100 percent of the contract price, conditioned upon the faithful performance of the contract, and having as surety thereto such Surety Company or Companies satisfactory to the Agency and as are authorized to transact business in this State.

B. Labor and Material Bond. At this same time the successful bidder, for any bid equal to or exceeding \$50,000, shall submit a labor and material bond in an amount not less than 100 percent of the contract price which shall be binding upon the award of the contract to such bidder, with surety or sureties satisfactory to the Agency and as are authorized to transact business in this State, for the

protection of persons supplying labor or materials in the prosecution of the work provided for in the contract for the use of each such person. Any such bond furnished shall have as principal the name of the successful bidder. This bond is to be furnished pursuant to Section 49-41 of the General Statutes of Connecticut, as revised. The following sections of the General Statutes of Connecticut, as revised, are inserted as information concerning this bond.

Sec. 49-41a. Enforcement of payment by general contractor to subcontractor and by subcontractor to his subcontractors.

(a) When any public work is awarded by a contract for which a payment bond is required by Section 49-41, the contract for the public work shall contain the following provisions: (1) a requirement that the general contractor, within thirty days after payment to the contractor by the State or a municipality, pay any amounts due any subcontractor, whether for labor performed or materials furnished, when the labor or materials have been included in a requisition submitted by the contractor and paid by the State or a municipality; (2) a requirement that the general contractor shall include in each of its subcontracts a provision requiring each subcontractor to pay any amounts due any of its subcontractors, whether for labor performed or materials furnished, within thirty days after such subcontractor receives a payment from the general contractor which encompasses labor or materials furnished by such subcontractor.

(b) If payment is not made by the general contractor or any of its subcontractors in accordance with such requirements, the subcontractor shall set forth his claim against the general contractor and the subcontractor of a subcontractor shall set forth its claim against the subcontractor through notice by registered or certified mail. Ten days after the receipt of that notice, the general contractor shall be liable to its subcontractor, and the subcontractor shall be liable to its subcontractor, for interest on the amount due and owing at the rate of one percent per month. In addition, the general contractor, upon written demand of its subcontractor, or the subcontractor, upon written demand of its subcontractor, shall be required to place funds in the amount of the claim, plus interest of one percent, in any interest-bearing escrow account in a bank in this state, provided the general contractor or subcontractor may refuse to place the funds in escrow on the grounds that the subcontractor has not substantially performed the work according to the terms of his or its employment. In the event that such general contractor or subcontractor refuses to place such funds in escrow, and the party making a claim against it under this section is found to have substantially performed its work in accordance with the terms of its employment in any arbitration or litigation to determine the validity of such claim, then such general contractor or subcontractor shall pay the attorney's fees of such party.

(c) No payment may be withheld from a subcontractor for work performed because of a dispute between the general contractor and another contractor or subcontractor.

(d) This section shall not be construed to prohibit progress payments prior to final payment of the contract and is applicable to all subcontractors for material or labor whether they have contracted directly with the general contractor or with some other subcontractor on the work.

Section 49-42. Enforcement of right to payment on bond. Suit on bond; when

and how brought.

(a) Any person who performed work or supplied materials for which a requisition was submitted to, or for which an estimate was prepared by, the awarding authority and who does not receive full payment for such work or materials within sixty days of the applicable payment date provided for in Subsection (a) of Section 49-41a, or any person who supplied materials or performed subcontracting work not included on a requisition or estimate who has not received full payment for such materials or work within sixty days after the date such materials were supplied or such work was performed, may enforce his right to payment under the bond by serving a notice of claim on the surety that issued the bond and a copy of such notice to the contractor named as principal in the bond within one hundred eighty days of the applicable payment date provided for in Subsection (a) of Section 49-41a, or, in the case of a person supplying materials or performing subcontracting work not included on a requisition or estimate, within one hundred eighty days after the date such materials were supplied or such work was performed. The notice of claim shall state with substantial accuracy the amount claimed and the name of the party for whom the work was performed or to whom the materials were supplied, and shall provide a detailed description of the bonded project for which the work or materials were provided. If the content of a notice prepared in accordance with Subsection (b) of Section 49-41a complied with the requirements of this section, a copy of such notice, served within one hundred eighty days of the payment date provided for in Subsection (a) of Section 49-41a upon the surety that issued the bond and upon the contractor named as principal in the bond, shall satisfy the notice requirements of this section. Within ninety days after service of the notice of claim, the surety shall make payment under the bond and satisfy the claim, or any portion of the claim which is not subject to a good faith dispute, and shall serve a notice on the claimant denying liability for any unpaid portion of the claim. The notices required under this section shall be served by registered or certified mail, postage prepaid in envelopes addressed to any office at which the surety, principal or claimant conducts his business, or in any manner in which civil process may be served. If the surety denies liability on the claim, or any portion thereof, the claimant may bring action upon the payment bond in the superior court for such sums and prosecute the action to final execution and judgment. An action to recover on a payment bond under this section shall be privileged with respect to assignment for trial. The court shall not consolidate for trial any action brought under this section with any other action brought on the same bond unless the court finds that a substantial portion of the evidence to be adduced, other than the fact that the claims sought to be consolidated arise under the same general contract, is common to such actions and that consolidation will not result in excessive delays to any claimant whose action was instituted at a time significantly prior to the motion to consolidate. In any such proceeding, the court judgment shall award the prevailing party the costs for bringing such proceeding and allow interest at the rate of interest specified in the labor or materials contract under which the claim arises or, if no such interest rate is specified, at the rate of interest as provided in Section 37-3a upon the amount recovered, computed from the date of service of the notice of claim, provided, for any portion of the claim which the court finds was due and payable after the date of service of the notice of claim, such interest shall be computed from the date such portion became due and payable. The court judgment may award reasonable attorneys fees to either party if upon reviewing the entire record, it appears that either the original claim, the surety's denial of liability, or the defense interposed to the

claim is without substantial basis in fact or law. Any person having direct contractual relationship with a subcontractor but no contractual relationship express or implied with the contractor furnishing the payment bond shall have a right of action upon the payment bond upon giving written notice of claim as provided in this section.

(b) Every suit instituted under this section shall be brought in the name of the person suing, in the superior court for the judicial district where the contract was to be performed, irrespective of the amount in controversy in the suit, but no such suit may be commenced after the expiration of one year after the applicable payment date provided for in Subsection (a) of Section 49-41a, or, in the case of a person supplying materials or performing subcontracting work not included on a requisition or estimate, no such suit may be commenced after the expiration of one year after the date such materials were supplied or such work was performed.

(c) The word "material" as used in Section 49-41 to 49-43, inclusive, includes the rental of equipment used in the prosecution of work provided for in the contract.

10. CONNECTICUT SALES AND USE TAXES: All bidders shall familiarize themselves with the current regulations of the Department of Revenue Service. The tax on materials or supplies exempted by such statutes and regulations shall not be included as part of a bid.

Nonresident contractors must comply with the provisions of Connecticut General Statutes Section 12-430(7), bond requirement for nonresident contractors, and the regulations established pursuant to that section.

11. CONTRACTOR'S QUALIFICATIONS: All bidders shall file with their bids a statement of qualifications on the appropriate form.

12. SUBCONTRACTORS: (a) As required by the project data sheet, each bidder shall furnish with his submitted bid, and in the place on the bid form provided for such purpose, the names of responsible and qualified subcontractors who are actually to perform the work required by the division or portion of the specifications listed, for the base bid. Failure to so list a subcontractor for any division or portion of the specifications will result in rejection of the entire bid.

13. WORKING DAY: A working day is hereby defined as each consecutive day, including and following the date set for commencement of work, except Saturdays, Sundays and state legal holidays and except those days on which, in the opinion of the awarding authority, the Contractor is prevented by inclement weather from proceeding with work on the major items under construction at the then current stage of the work at least six (6) hours with the usual force employed on these major items, provided however, that in the event the State directs or permits work to be performed on a Saturday, Sunday or a state legal holiday, then such day shall be considered a working day.

14. NONDISCRIMINATION AND AFFIRMATIVE ACTION PROVISIONS:

This section is inserted in connection with Subsection (a) of Section 4a-60 of the General Statutes of Connecticut, as revised.

- A. For the purposes of this section, "minority business enterprise" means any small contractor or supplier of materials, fifty-one percent or more of the capital stock, if any, or assets of which is owned by a person or persons: (1) who are active in the daily affairs of the enterprise, (2) who have the power to direct the management and policies of the enterprise and (3) who are member of a minority, as such term is defined in Subsection (a) of Connecticut General Statutes, Section 32-9n; and "good faith" means that degree of diligence which a reasonable person would exercise in the performance of legal duties and obligations. "Good faith efforts" shall include, but not be limited to, those reasonable initial efforts necessary to comply with statutory or regulatory requirements and additional or substituted efforts when it is determined that such initial efforts will not be sufficient to comply with such requirements.

For the purpose of this section, "commission" means the Commission on Human Rights and Opportunities.

For the purpose of this section, "public works contract" means any agreement between any individual, firm or corporation and the state or any political subdivision of the state other than a municipality for construction, rehabilitation, conversion, extension, demolition or repair of a public building, highway or other changes or improvements in real property, of which is financed in whole or in part by the state, including, but not limited to, matching expenditures, grants, loans, insurance or guarantees.

- B. (1) The contractor agrees and warrants that in the performance of the contract such contractor will not discriminate or permit discrimination against any person or group of persons on the grounds of race, color, religious creed, age, marital status, national origin, ancestry, sex, mental retardation or physical disability, including, but not limited to, blindness, unless it is shown by such contractor that such disability prevents performance of the work involved, in any manner prohibited by the laws of the United States or of the State of Connecticut. The contractor further agrees to take affirmative action to insure that applicants with job-related qualifications are employed and that employees are treated when employed without regard to their race, color, religious creed, age, marital status, national origin, ancestry, sex, mental retardation, or physical disability, including, but not limited to, blindness, unless it is shown by such contractor that such disability prevents performance of the work involved; (2) the contractor agrees, in all solicitations or advertisements for employees placed by or on behalf of the contractor, to state that it is an "affirmative action/equal opportunity employer" in accordance with regulations adopted by the commission; (3) the contractor agrees to provide each labor union or representative of workers with which such contractor has a collective bargaining agreement or other contract or understanding and each vendor with which such contractor has a contract or understanding, a notice to be provided by the commission advising the labor union or workers' representative of the contractor's commitments under this section, and to post copies of the notice in conspicuous places available to employees and applicants for employment; (4) the contractor agrees to comply with each provision of this section and Connecticut General Statutes Sections 46a-68e and 46a-68f and with each regulation or relevant order issued by said commission pursuant to Connecticut General Statutes Sections 46a-56, 46a-68e, and 46a-68f; (5) the contractor agrees to provide the Commission on Human Rights and Opportunities with such information requested by the commission and permit access to pertinent books, records and accounts, concerning the



employment practices and procedures of the contractor as relate to the provisions of this section and Connecticut General Statutes Section 46a-56. If the contract is a public works contract, the contractor agrees and warrants that he will make good faith efforts to employ minority business enterprises as subcontractors and suppliers of materials on such public works projects.

- C. Determination of the contractor's good faith efforts shall include, but shall not be limited to, the following factors: The contractor's employment and subcontracting policies, patterns and practices; affirmative advertising, recruitment and training; technical assistance activities and such other reasonable activities or efforts as the commission may prescribe that are designed to ensure the participation of minority business enterprises in public works projects.
- D. The contractor shall develop and maintain adequate documentation, in a manner prescribed by the commission, of its good faith efforts.
- E. The contractor shall include the provisions of subsection (b) of this section in every subcontract or purchase order entered into in order to fulfill any obligation of a contract with the state and such provisions shall be binding on a subcontractor, vendor, or manufacturer unless exempted by regulations or orders of the Commission. The contractor shall take such action with respect to any such subcontract or purchase order as the Commission may direct as a means of enforcing such provisions including sanctions for noncompliance in accordance with Connecticut General Statutes Section 46a-56; provided if such contractor becomes involved in, or is threatened with, litigation with a subcontractor or vendor as a result of such direction by the Commission, the contractor may request the State of Connecticut to enter into any such litigation or negotiation prior thereto to protect the interests of the state and the state may so enter.
- F. The contractor agrees to comply with the regulations referred to in this section as they exist on the date of this contract and as they may be adopted or amended from time to time during the term of this contract and any amendments thereto.

15. NONDISCRIMINATION PROVISIONS REGARDING SEXUAL ORIENTATION:

This section is inserted in connection with Subsection (a) of Section 4a-60a of the General Statutes of Connecticut, as revised.

- A. (1) The contractor agrees and warrants that in the performance of the contract such contractor will not discriminate or permit discrimination against any person or group of persons on the grounds of sexual orientation, in any manner prohibited by laws of the United States or of the State of Connecticut, and that employees are treated when employed without regard to their sexual orientation; (2) the contractor agrees to provide each labor union or representative of workers with which such contractor or understanding and each vendor with which such contractor has a collective bargaining agreement or other contract or understanding and each vendor with which such contractor has a contract or understanding, a notice to be provided by the Commission on Human Rights and Opportunities advising the labor union or workers' representative of the contractor's commitment under this section, and to post copies of the notice in conspicuous places available to employees and applicants for employment; (3) the contractor agrees to comply with each provision of this section and with each regulation or relevant order issued by said commission pursuant to Section 46a-

56 of the general statutes; (4) the contractor agrees to provide the Commission on Human Rights and Opportunities with such information requested by the commission, and permit access to pertinent books, records and accounts, concerning the employment practices and procedures of the contractor which relate to the provisions of this section and Section 46a-56 of the General Statutes.

- B. The contractor shall include the provisions of Subsection a of this section in every subcontract or purchase order entered into in order to fulfill any obligation of a contract with the state and such provisions shall be binding on a subcontractor, vendor or manufacturer unless exempted by regulations or orders of the commission. The contractor shall take such action with respect to any such subcontract or purchase order as the commission may direct as a means of enforcing such provisions including sanctions for noncompliance in accordance with Section 46a-56 of the General Statutes; provided, if such contractor becomes involved in, or is threatened with, litigation with a subcontractor or vendor as a result of such direction by the commission, the contractor may request the State of Connecticut to enter into any such litigation or negotiation prior thereto to protect the interests of the state and the state may so enter.

16. AGREEMENT TO ARBITRATE: Any dispute arising out of the awarding of the contract for this project by the Agency, or performance thereunder, shall be submitted to arbitration under the rules of the American Arbitration Association. Hartford, Connecticut, shall be the locale where the Arbitration is to be held.

17. UNION LABOR: Attention is called to the fact that there may be construction work now being carried on at the site at which this construction is contemplated being done by union labor. This fact must be kept in mind by all bidders.

18. LABOR MARKET AREA:

All bidders shall have read Sections 31-52 and 31-52a of the Connecticut General Statutes, as revised. These sections relate to the preference of State citizens and the preference of residents of the labor market area in which the work under the contract is to be done and the penalties for violations thereof.

In order to avoid violations by the contractor and to cooperate with and assist the State in the implementation of the statutory mandates, any contractor bidder awarded a contract with the State shall be required to provide the State with the following information:

- A. The names and addresses of employees utilized by the contractor and by its subcontractors and how long each such employee has resided in Connecticut.
- B. How long each employee has resided in the labor market area, as established by the State Labor Commissioner, in which the work under the contract is to be done. Labor market areas are indicated on the attached map.
- C. Within thirty (30) days after the start of work, the contractor shall submit a signed statement setting forth the procedures the contractor and its subcontractors have taken to assure that they have sought out qualified residents of the labor market area. Also, the statement shall include information as to how many persons were considered for employment and how many were actually hired. Such procedures

will include, but not be limited to, obtaining names of available persons from area Employment Security Offices.

- D. In the same manner as Item (C) above, the statement shall indicate the steps taken to assure that the contractor and its subcontractors have sought out qualified residents of this state.
- E. The contractor shall cooperate with and provide information to the construction supervisor or inspector of the State assigned to collect and verify the information required. The State may request that all such information be updated during the term of the contract at reasonable times.
- F. All such information gathered and compiled by the State shall be forwarded to the Labor Commissioner.

Pursuant to Section 31-52b of the Connecticut General Statutes, as revised:  
"The provisions of Sections 31-52 and 31-52a shall not apply where the state or any subdivision thereof may suffer the loss of revenue granted or to be granted from any agency or department of the federal government as a result of said sections or regulative procedures pursuant thereto." However, no exception shall be determined to be applicable unless stated in writing from the Agency.



Opportunity \* Guidance \* Support



# **THIS IS A PUBLIC WORKS PROJECT**

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# **PREVAILING WAGE LAW**

**CT General Statutes Section 31-53**

**If you have QUESTIONS regarding your wages  
CALL (860) 263-6790**


Section 31-55 of the CT State Statutes requires every contractor or subcontractor performing work for the state to post in a prominent place the prevailing wages as determined by the Labor Commissioner.

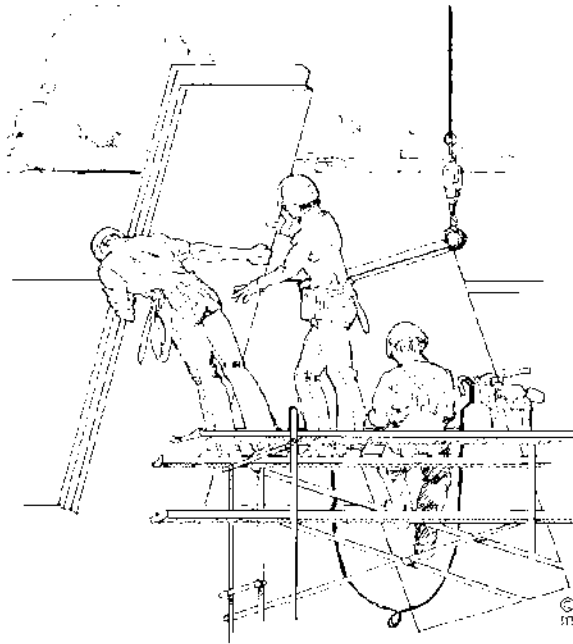
~NOTICE~

TO ALL CONTRACTING AGENCIES

Please be advised that Connecticut General Statutes Section 31-53, requires the contracting agency to certify to the Department of Labor, the total dollar amount of work to be done in connection with such public works project, regardless of whether such project consists of one or more contracts.

Please find the attached “Contracting Agency Certification Form” to be completed and returned to the Department of Labor, Wage and Workplace Standards Division, Public Contract Compliance Unit.

 Inquiries can be directed to (860)263-6543.



CONNECTICUT DEPARTMENT OF LABOR  
WAGE AND WORKPLACE STANDARDS DIVISION  
CONTRACT COMPLIANCE UNIT

*CONTRACTING AGENCY CERTIFICATION FORM*

I, \_\_\_\_\_, acting in my official capacity as \_\_\_\_\_,  
authorized representative title

for \_\_\_\_\_, located at \_\_\_\_\_,  
contracting agency address

do hereby certify that the total dollar amount of work to be done in connection with  
\_\_\_\_\_, located at \_\_\_\_\_,  
project name and number address

shall be \$\_\_\_\_\_, which includes all work, regardless of whether such project  
consists of one or more contracts.

*CONTRACTOR INFORMATION*

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Authorized Representative: \_\_\_\_\_

Approximate Starting Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Approximate Completion Date: \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_  
Signature

\_\_\_\_\_  
Date

Return To: Connecticut Department of Labor  
Wage & Workplace Standards Division  
Contract Compliance Unit  
200 Folly Brook Blvd.  
Wethersfield, CT 06109

Date Issued: \_\_\_\_\_

CONNECTICUT DEPARTMENT OF LABOR  
WAGE AND WORKPLACE STANDARDS DIVISION

**CONTRACTORS WAGE CERTIFICATION FORM**  
**Construction Manager at Risk/General Contractor/Prime Contractor**

I, \_\_\_\_\_ of \_\_\_\_\_  
Officer, Owner, Authorized Rep. Company Name

do hereby certify that the \_\_\_\_\_  
Company Name  
\_\_\_\_\_  
Street  
\_\_\_\_\_  
City

and all of its subcontractors will pay all workers on the  
\_\_\_\_\_  
Project Name and Number  
\_\_\_\_\_  
Street and City

the wages as listed in the schedule of prevailing rates required for such project (a copy of which is attached hereto).

\_\_\_\_\_  
Signed

Subscribed and sworn to before me this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, \_\_\_\_\_.

\_\_\_\_\_  
Notary Public

Return to:

Connecticut Department of Labor  
Wage & Workplace Standards Division  
200 Folly Brook Blvd.  
Wethersfield, CT 06109

*Rate Schedule Issued (Date):* \_\_\_\_\_







**\*FRINGE BENEFITS EXPLANATION (P):**

Bona fide benefits paid to approved plans, funds or programs, except those required by Federal or State Law (unemployment tax, worker’s compensation, income taxes, etc.).

Please specify the type of benefits provided:

- 1) Medical or hospital care \_\_\_\_\_ 4) Disability \_\_\_\_\_
- 2) Pension or retirement \_\_\_\_\_ 5) Vacation, holiday \_\_\_\_\_
- 3) Life Insurance \_\_\_\_\_ 6) Other (please specify) \_\_\_\_\_

**CERTIFIED STATEMENT OF COMPLIANCE**

For the week ending date of \_\_\_\_\_,

I, \_\_\_\_\_ of \_\_\_\_\_, (hereafter known as Employer) in my capacity as \_\_\_\_\_ (title) do hereby certify and state:

**Section A:**

1. All persons employed on said project have been paid the full weekly wages earned by them during the week in accordance with Connecticut General Statutes, section 31-53, as amended. Further, I hereby certify and state the following:

- a) The records submitted are true and accurate;
- b) The rate of wages paid to each mechanic, laborer or workman and the amount of payment or contributions paid or payable on behalf of each such person to any employee welfare fund, as defined in Connecticut General Statutes, section 31-53 (h), are not less than the prevailing rate of wages and the amount of payment or contributions paid or payable on behalf of each such person to any employee welfare fund, as determined by the Labor Commissioner pursuant to subsection Connecticut General Statutes, section 31-53 (d), and said wages and benefits are not less than those which may also be required by contract;
- c) The Employer has complied with all of the provisions in Connecticut General Statutes, section 31-53 (and Section 31-54 if applicable for state highway construction);
- d) Each such person is covered by a worker’s compensation insurance policy for the duration of his employment which proof of coverage has been provided to the contracting agency;
- e) The Employer does not receive kickbacks, which means any money, fee, commission, credit, gift, gratuity, thing of value, or compensation of any kind which is provided directly or indirectly, to any prime contractor, prime contractor employee, subcontractor, or subcontractor employee for the purpose of improperly obtaining or rewarding favorable treatment in connection with a prime contract or in connection with a prime contractor in connection with a subcontractor relating to a prime contractor; and
- f) The Employer is aware that filing a certified payroll which he knows to be false is a class D felony for which the employer may be fined up to five thousand dollars, imprisoned for up to five years or both.

2. OSHA~The employer shall affix a copy of the construction safety course, program or training completion document to the certified payroll required to be submitted to the contracting agency for this project on which such persons name first appears.

\_\_\_\_\_  
 (Signature) (Title) Submitted on (Date)

[New] In accordance with Section 31-53b(a) of the C.G.S. each contractor shall provide a copy of the OSHA 10 Hour Construction Safety and Health Card for each employee, to be attached to the first certified payroll on the project.

PAYROLL CERTIFICATION FOR PUBLIC WORKS PROJECTS											Connecticut Department of Labor Wage and Workplace Standards Division 200 Folly Brook Blvd. Wethersfield, CT 06109										
In accordance with Connecticut General Statutes, 31-53 Certified Payrolls with a statement of compliance shall be submitted monthly to the contracting agency.											WEEKLY PAYROLL										
CONTRACTOR NAME AND ADDRESS: Landon Corporation, 15 Connecticut Avenue, Northford, CT 06472						SUBCONTRACTOR NAME & ADDRESS XYZ Corporation 2 Main Street Yantic, CT 06389					WORKER'S COMPENSATION INSURANCE CARRIER Travelers Insurance Company POLICY # #BAC8888928 EFFECTIVE DATE: 1/1/09 EXPIRATION DATE: 12/31/09										
PAYROLL NUMBER	Week-Ending Date	PROJECT NAME & ADDRESS									Total ST Hours	BASE HOURLY RATE	TYPE OF FRINGE BENEFITS Per Hour 1 through 6 (see back)	GROSS PAY FOR ALL WORK PERFORMED THIS WEEK	TOTAL DEDUCTIONS				GROSS PAY FOR THIS PREVAILING RATE JOB	CHECK # AND NET PAY	
		Week-Ending Date	DAY AND DATE												Total O/T Hours	TOTAL FRINGE BENEFIT PLAN CASH	FICA	FEDERAL			STATE
PERSON/WORKER, ADDRESS and SECTION	APPR RATE %	MALE/FEMALE AND RACE*	WORK CLASSIFICATION	S	M	T	W	TH	F	S											
				Trade License Type & Number - OSHA 10 Certification Number							HOURS WORKED EACH DAY										
1	9/26/09	DOT 105-296, Route 82																			
Robert Craft 81 Maple Street Willimantic, CT 06226		M/C	Electrical Lineman E-1 1234567 Owner OSHA 123456		8	8	8	8	8			S-TIME 40 O-TIME	\$ 30.75 Base Rate \$ 8.82 Cash Fringe	1. \$ 5.80 2. \$ 3. \$ 2.01 4. \$ 5. \$ 6. \$	\$1,582.80				P-xxxx	\$1,582.80	#123 \$ xxx.xx
Ronald Jones 212 Elm Street Norwich, CT 06360	65%	M/B	Electrical Apprentice OSHA 234567		8	8	8	8	8			S-TIME 40 O-TIME	\$ 19.99 Base Rate \$ 16.63 Cash Fringe	1. \$ 2. \$ 3. \$ 4. \$ 5. \$ 6. \$	\$1,464.80	xx.xx	xxx.xx	xx.xx	G-xxx	\$1,464.80	#124 \$xxx.xx
Franklin T. Smith 234 Washington Rd. New London, CT 06320 SECTION B		M/H	Project Manager			8						S-TIME 8 O-TIME	\$ Base Rate \$ Cash Fringe	1. \$ 2. \$ 3. \$ 4. \$ 5. \$ 6. \$	\$1,500.00	xx.xx	xx.xx	xx.xx	M-xx.x		#125 xxx.xx
												S-TIME O-TIME	\$ Base Rate \$ Cash Fringe	1. \$ 2. \$ 3. \$ 4. \$ 5. \$ 6. \$							

OSHA 10 ~ATTACH CARD TO 1ST CERTIFIED PAYROLL

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Bona fide benefits paid to approved plans, funds or programs, except those required by Federal or State Law (unemployment tax, worker's compensation, income taxes, etc.).

Please specify the type of benefits provided:

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- 3) Life Insurance Utopia 6) Other (please specify) \_\_\_\_\_

**CERTIFIED STATEMENT OF COMPLIANCE**

For the week ending date of 9/26/09,

I, Robert Craft of XYZ Corporation, (hereafter known as

Employer) in my capacity as Owner (title) do hereby certify and state:

**Section A:**

1. All persons employed on said project have been paid the full weekly wages earned by them during the week in accordance with Connecticut General Statutes, section 31-53, as amended. Further, I hereby certify and state the following:

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- c) The Employer has complied with all of the provisions in Connecticut General Statutes, section 31-53 (and Section 31-54 if applicable for state highway construction);
- d) Each such employee of the Employer is covered by a worker's compensation insurance policy for the duration of his employment which proof of coverage has been provided to the contracting agency;
- e) The Employer does not receive kickbacks, which means any money, fee, commission, credit, gift, gratuity, thing of value, or compensation of any kind which is provided directly or indirectly, to any prime contractor, prime contractor employee, subcontractor, or subcontractor employee for the purpose of improperly obtaining or rewarding favorable treatment in connection with a prime contract or in connection with a prime contractor in connection with a subcontractor relating to a prime contractor; and
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Robert Craft      owner      10/2/09  
 (Signature)      (Title)      Submitted on (Date)

**Section B: Applies to CONNDOT Projects ONLY**

That pursuant to CONNDOT contract requirements for reporting purposes only, all employees listed under Section B who performed work on this project are not covered under the prevailing wage requirements defined in Connecticut General Statutes Section 31-53.

Robert Craft      owner      10/2/09  
 (Signature)      (Title)      Submitted on (Date)

Note: CTDOL will assume all hours worked were performed under Section A unless clearly delineated as Section B WWS-CP1 as such. Should an employee perform work under both Section A and Section B, the hours worked and wages paid must be segregated for reporting purposes.

**\*\*\*THIS IS A PUBLIC DOCUMENT\*\*\*  
\*\*\*DO NOT INCLUDE SOCIAL SECURITY NUMBERS\*\*\***

## Information Bulletin

### *Occupational Classifications*

The Connecticut Department of Labor has the responsibility to properly determine "job classification" on prevailing wage projects covered under C.G.S. Section 31-53(d).

**Note:** *This information is intended to provide a sample of some occupational classifications for guidance purposes only. It is not an all-inclusive list of each occupation's duties. This list is being provided only to highlight some areas where a contractor may be unclear regarding the proper classification. If unsure, the employer should seek guidelines for CTDOL.*

**Below are additional clarifications of specific job duties performed for certain classifications:**

- **ASBESTOS WORKERS**

Applies all insulating materials, protective coverings, coatings and finishes to all types of mechanical systems.

- **ASBESTOS INSULATOR**

Handle, install apply, fabricate, distribute, prepare, alter, repair, dismantle, heat and frost insulation, including penetration and fire stopping work on all penetration fire stop systems.

- **BOILERMAKERS**

Erects hydro plants, incomplete vessels, steel stacks, storage tanks for water, fuel, etc. Builds incomplete boilers, repairs heat exchanges and steam generators.

- **BRICKLAYERS, CEMENT MASONS, CEMENT FINISHERS, MARBLE MASONS, PLASTERERS, STONE MASONS, PLASTERERS. STONE MASONS, TERRAZZO WORKERS, TILE SETTERS**

Lays building materials such as brick, structural tile and concrete cinder, glass, gypsum, terra cotta block. Cuts, tools and sets marble, sets stone, finishes concrete, applies decorative steel, aluminum and plastic tile, applies cements, sand, pigment and marble chips to floors, stairways, etc.

- **CARPENTERS, MILLWRIGHTS. PILEDIVERMEN. LATHERS. RESILEINT FLOOR LAYERS, DOCK BUILDERS, DIKERS, DIVER TENDERS**

Constructs, erects, installs and repairs structures and fixtures of wood, plywood and wallboard. Installs, assembles, dismantles, moves industrial machinery. Drives piling into ground to provide foundations for structures such as buildings and bridges, retaining walls for earth embankments, such as cofferdams. Fastens wooden, metal or rockboard lath to walls, ceilings and partitions of buildings, acoustical tile layer, concrete form builder. Applies firestopping materials on fire resistive joint systems only. Installation of curtain/window walls only where attached to wood or metal studs. Installation of insulated material of all types whether blown, nailed or attached in other ways to walls, ceilings and floors of buildings. Assembly and installation of modular furniture/furniture systems. Free-standing furniture is not covered. This includes free standing: student chairs, study top desks, book box desks, computer furniture, dictionary stand, atlas stand, wood shelving, two-position information access station, file cabinets, storage cabinets, tables, etc.

- **LABORER, CLEANING**

- The clean up of any construction debris and the general (heavy/light) cleaning, including sweeping, wash down, mopping, wiping of the construction facility and its furniture, washing, polishing, and dusting.

- **DELIVERY PERSONNEL**

- If delivery of supplies/building materials is to one common point and stockpiled there, prevailing wages are not required. If the delivery personnel are involved in the distribution of the material to multiple locations within the construction site then they would have to be paid prevailing wages for the type of work performed: laborer, equipment operator, electrician, ironworker, plumber, etc.

- An example of this would be where delivery of drywall is made to a building and the delivery personnel distribute the drywall from one "stockpile" location to further sub-locations on each floor. Distribution of material around a construction site is the job of a laborer or tradesman, and not a delivery personnel.

- **ELECTRICIANS**

Install, erect, maintenance, alteration or repair of any wire, cable, conduit, etc., which generates, transforms, transmits or uses electrical energy for light, heat, power or other purposes, including the Installation or maintenance of telecommunication, LAN wiring or computer equipment, and low voltage wiring. **\*License required per Connecticut General Statutes: E-1,2 L-5,6 C-5,6 T-1,2 L-1,2 V-1,2,7,8,9.**

- **ELEVATOR CONSTRUCTORS**

Install, erect, maintenance and repair of all types of elevators, escalators, dumb waiters and moving walks. *\*License required by Connecticut General Statutes: R-1,2,5,6.*

- **FORK LIFT OPERATOR**

Laborers Group 4) Mason Tenders - operates forklift solely to assist a mason to a maximum height of nine (9) feet only.

Power Equipment Operator Group 9 - operates forklift to assist any trade, and to assist a mason to a height over nine (9) feet.

- **GLAZIERS**

Glazing wood and metal sash, doors, partitions, and 2 story aluminum storefronts. Installs glass windows, skylights, store fronts and display cases or surfaces such as building fronts, interior walls, ceilings and table tops and metal store fronts. Installation of aluminum window walls and curtain walls is the "joint" work of glaziers and ironworkers, which require equal composite workforce.

- **IRONWORKERS**

Erection, installation and placement of structural steel, precast concrete, miscellaneous iron, ornamental iron, metal curtain wall, rigging and reinforcing steel. Handling, sorting, and installation of reinforcing steel (rebar). Metal bridge rail (traffic), metal bridge handrail, and decorative security fence installation. Installation of aluminum window walls and curtain walls is the "joint" work of glaziers and ironworkers which require equal composite workforce.

- **INSULATOR**

- Installing fire stopping systems/materials for "Penetration Firestop Systems": transit to cables, electrical conduits, insulated pipes, sprinkler pipe penetrations, ductwork behind radiation, electrical cable trays, fire rated pipe penetrations, natural polypropylene, HVAC ducts, plumbing bare metal, telephone and communication wires, and boiler room ceilings.

- **LABORERS**

Acetylene burners, asphalt rakers, chain saw operators, concrete and power buggy operator, concrete saw operator, fence and guard rail erector (except metal bridge rail (traffic), decorative security fence (non-metal)).

installation.), hand operated concrete vibrator operator, mason tenders, pipelayers (installation of storm drainage or sewage lines on the street only), pneumatic drill operator, pneumatic gas and electric drill operator, powermen and wagon drill operator, air track operator, block paver, curb setters, blasters, concrete spreaders.

- **PAINTERS**

Maintenance, preparation, cleaning, blasting (water and sand, etc.), painting or application of any protective coatings of every description on all bridges and appurtenances of highways, roadways, and railroads. Painting, decorating, hardwood finishing, paper hanging, sign writing, scenic art work and drywall hhg for any and all types of building and residential work.

- **LEAD PAINT REMOVAL**

- Painter's Rate

1. Removal of lead paint from bridges.
2. Removal of lead paint as preparation of any surface to be repainted.
3. Where removal is on a Demolition project prior to reconstruction.

- Laborer's Rate

1. Removal of lead paint from any surface NOT to be repainted.
2. Where removal is on a *TOTAL* Demolition project only.

- **PLUMBERS AND PIPEFITTERS**

Installation, repair, replacement, alteration or maintenance of all plumbing, heating, cooling and piping. ***\*License required per Connecticut General Statutes: P-1,2,6,7,8,9 J-1,2,3,4 SP-1,2 S-1,2,3,4,5,6,7,8 B-1,2,3,4 D-1,2,3,4.***

- **POWER EQUIPMENT OPERATORS**

Operates several types of power construction equipment such as compressors, pumps, hoists, derricks, cranes, shovels, tractors, scrapers or motor graders, etc. Repairs and maintains equipment. ***\*License required, crane operators only, per Connecticut General Statutes.***

- **ROOFERS**

Covers roofs with composition shingles or sheets, wood shingles, slate or asphalt and gravel to waterproof roofs, including preparation of surface. (demolition or removal of any type of roofing and or clean-up of any and all areas where a roof is to be relaid.)



- **SHEETMETAL WORKERS**

Fabricate, assembles, installs and repairs sheetmetal products and equipment in such areas as ventilation, air-conditioning, warm air heating, restaurant equipment, architectural sheet metal work, sheetmetal roofing, and aluminum gutters. Fabrication, handling, assembling, erecting, altering, repairing, etc. of coated metal material panels and composite metal material panels when used on building exteriors and interiors as soffits, fascia, louvers, partitions, canopies, cornice, column covers, awnings, beam covers, cladding, sun shades, lighting troughs, spires, ornamental roofing, metal ceilings, mansards, copings, ornamental and ventilation hoods, vertical and horizontal siding panels, trim, etc. The sheet metal classification also applies to the vast variety of coated metal material panels and composite metal material panels that have evolved over the years as an alternative to conventional ferrous and non-ferrous metals like steel, iron, tin, copper, brass, bronze, aluminum, etc. Fabrication, handling, assembling, erecting, altering, repairing, etc. of architectural metal roof, standing seam roof, composite metal roof, metal and composite bathroom/toilet partitions, aluminum gutters, metal and composite lockers and shelving, kitchen equipment, and walk-in coolers. To include testing and air –balancing ancillary to installation and construction.

- **SPRINKLER FITTERS**

Installation, alteration, maintenance and repair of fire protection sprinkler systems.

***\*License required per Connecticut General Statutes: F-1,2,3,4.***

- **TILE MARBLE AND TERRAZZO FINISHERS**

Assists and tends the tile setter, marble mason and terrazzo worker in the performance of their duties.

- **TRUCK DRIVERS**

~How to pay truck drivers delivering asphalt is under REVISION~

Truck Drivers are required to be paid prevailing wage for time spent "working" directly on the site. These drivers remain covered by the prevailing wage for any time spent transporting between the actual construction location and facilities (such as fabrication, plants, mobile factories, batch plant, borrow pits, job headquarters, tool yards, etc.) dedicated exclusively, or nearly so, to performance of the contract or project, which are so located in proximity to the actual construction location that it is reasonable to include them. ***\*License required, drivers only, per Connecticut General Statutes.***

***For example:***

- Material men and deliverymen are not covered under prevailing wage as long as they are not directly involved in the construction process. If, they unload the material, they would then be covered by prevailing wage for the classification they are performing work in: laborer, equipment operator, etc.
- Hauling material off site is not covered provided they are not dumping it at a location outlined above.
- Driving a truck on site and moving equipment or materials on site would be considered covered work, as this is part of the construction process.

➤ *Any questions regarding the proper classification should be directed to:*  
*Public Contract Compliance Unit*  
*Wage and Workplace Standards Division*  
*Connecticut Department of Labor*  
*200 Folly Brook Blvd, Wethersfield, CT 06109*  
*(860) 263-6543.*

November 29, 2006

**Notice**  
**To All Mason Contractors and Interested Parties**  
**Regarding Construction Pursuant to Section 31-53 of the**  
**Connecticut General Statutes (Prevailing Wage)**

The Connecticut Labor Department Wage and Workplace Standards Division is empowered to enforce the prevailing wage rates on projects covered by the above referenced statute.

Over the past few years the Division has withheld enforcement of the rate in effect for workers who operate a forklift on a prevailing wage rate project due to a potential jurisdictional dispute.

The rate listed in the schedules and in our Occupational Bulletin (see enclosed) has been as follows:

**Forklift Operator:**

- **Laborers (Group 4) Mason Tenders** - operates forklift solely to assist a mason to a maximum height of nine feet only.
- **Power Equipment Operator (Group 9)** - operates forklift to assist any trade and to assist a mason to a height over nine feet.

The U.S. Labor Department conducted a survey of rates in Connecticut but it has not been published and the rate in effect remains as outlined in the above Occupational Bulletin.

*Since this is a classification matter and not one of jurisdiction, effective January 1, 2007 the Connecticut Labor Department will enforce the rate on each schedule in accordance with our statutory authority.*

Your cooperation in filing appropriate and accurate certified payrolls is appreciated.

## STATUTE 31-55a

### - SPECIAL NOTICE -

**To: All State and Political Subdivisions, Their Agents, and Contractors**

**Connecticut General Statute 31-55a - Annual adjustments to wage rates by contractors doing state work.**

*Each contractor that is awarded a contract on or after October 1, 2002, for (1) the construction of a state highway or bridge that falls under the provisions of section 31-54 of the general statutes, or (2) the construction, remodeling, refinishing, refurbishing, rehabilitation, alteration or repair of any public works project that falls under the provisions of section 31-53 of the general statutes shall contact the Labor Commissioner on or before July first of each year, for the duration of such contract, to ascertain the prevailing rate of wages on an hourly basis and the amount of payment or contributions paid or payable on behalf of each mechanic, laborer or worker employed upon the work contracted to be done, and shall make any necessary adjustments to such prevailing rate of wages and such payment or contributions paid or payable on behalf of each such employee, effective each July first.*

- The prevailing wage rates applicable to any contract or subcontract awarded on or after October 1, 2002 are subject to annual adjustments each July 1st for the duration of any project which was originally advertised for bids on or after October 1, 2002.
- Each contractor affected by the above requirement shall pay the annual adjusted prevailing wage rate that is in effect each July 1st, as posted by the Department of Labor.
- It is the **contractor's** responsibility to obtain the annual adjusted prevailing wage rate increases directly from the Department of Labor's Web Site. The annual adjustments will be posted on the Department of Labor Web page: [www.ctdol.state.ct.us](http://www.ctdol.state.ct.us). For those without internet access, please contact the division listed below.
- The Department of Labor will continue to issue the initial prevailing wage rate schedule to the Contracting Agency for the project. All subsequent annual adjustments will be posted on our Web Site for contractor access.

**Any questions should be directed to the Contract Compliance Unit, Wage and Workplace Standards Division, Connecticut Department of Labor, 200 Folly Brook Blvd., Wethersfield, CT 06109 at (860)263-6790.**

**Minimum Rates and Classifications for Building Construction**

ID#: 21-19309

**Connecticut Department of Labor  
Wage and Workplace Standards Division**

By virtue of the authority vested in the Labor Commissioner under provisions of Section 31-53 of the General Statutes of Connecticut, as amended, the following are declared to be the prevailing rates and welfare payments and will apply only where the contract is advertised for bid within 20 days of the date on which the rates are established. Any contractor or subcontractor not obligated by agreement to pay to the welfare and pension fund shall pay this amount to each employee as part of his/her hourly wages.

Project Number: ECSU-2020-12

Project Town: Willimantic

State#:

FAP#:

Project: High Rise Geothermal Heat Pump Replacement

<b>CLASSIFICATION</b>	<b>Hourly Rate</b>	<b>Benefits</b>
1b) Asbestos/Toxic Waste Removal Laborers: Asbestos removal and encapsulation (except its removal from mechanical systems which are not to be scrapped), toxic waste removers, blasters.**See Laborers Group 7**		
1c) Asbestos Worker/Heat and Frost Insulator	42.07	30.99
2) Boilermaker	38.34	26.01
3a) Bricklayer, Cement Mason, Concrete Finisher (including caulking), Stone Masons	35.71	33.31 + a
3b) Tile Setter	34.9	25.87
3c) Terrazzo Mechanics and Marble Setters	31.69	22.35
3d) Tile, Marble & Terrazzo Finishers	26.7	21.75
3e) Plasterer	33.48	32.06
-----LABORERS-----		
4) Group 1: Laborers (common or general), acetylene burners, concrete specialists, wrecking laborers, fire watchers.	31.0	22.15
4a) Group 2: Mortar mixers, plaster tender, power buggy operators, powdermen, fireproofers/mixer/nozzleman (Person running mixer and spraying fireproof only).	31.25	22.15

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4b) Group 3: Jackhammer operators/pavement breaker, mason tender (brick), mason tender (cement/concrete), forklift operators and forklift operators (masonry).	31.5	22.15
4c) **Group 4: Pipelayers (Installation of water, storm drainage or sewage lines outside of the building line with P6, P7 license) (the pipelayer rate shall apply only to one or two employees of the total crew who primary task is to actually perform the mating of pipe sections) P6 and P7 rate is \$26.80.	32.0	22.15
4d) Group 5: Air track operator, sand blaster and hydraulic drills.	31.75	22.15
4e) Group 6: Blasters, nuclear and toxic waste removal.	34.0	22.15
4f) Group 7: Asbestos/lead removal and encapsulation (except it's removal from mechanical systems which are not to be scrapped).	32.0	22.15
4g) Group 8: Bottom men on open air caisson, cylindrical work and boring crew.	29.28	22.15
4h) Group 9: Top men on open air caisson, cylindrical work and boring crew.	28.74	22.15
4i) Group 10: Traffic Control Signalman	18.0	22.15
5) Carpenter, Acoustical Ceiling Installation, Soft Floor/Carpet Laying, Metal Stud Installation, Form Work and Scaffold Building, Drywall Hanging, Modular-Furniture Systems Installers, Lathers, Piledrivers, Resilient Floor Layers.	34.53	25.64
5a) Millwrights	34.94	26.19
6) Electrical Worker (including low voltage wiring) (Trade License required: E1,2 L-5,6 C-5,6 T-1,2 L-1,2 V-1,2,7,8,9)	40.25	29.17+3% of gross wage
7a) Elevator Mechanic (Trade License required: R-1,2,5,6)	55.12	34.765+a+b
-----LINE CONSTRUCTION-----		
Groundman	26.5	6.5% + 9.00
Linemen/Cable Splicer	48.19	6.5% + 22.00
8) Glazier (Trade License required: FG-1,2)	39.18	22.55 + a

9) Ironworker, Ornamental, Reinforcing, Structural, and Precast Concrete Erection	36.67	37.62 + a
-----OPERATORS-----		
Group 1: Crane handling or erecting structural steel or stone, hoisting engineer 2 drums or over, front end loader (7 cubic yards or over), work boat 26 ft. and over and Tunnel Boring Machines. (Trade License Required)	42.45	25.30 + a
Group 2: Cranes (100 ton rate capacity and over); Excavator over 2 cubic yards; Piledriver (\$3.00 premium when operator controls hammer); Bauer Drill/Caisson. (Trade License Required)	42.11	25.30 + a
Group 3: Excavator; Backhoe/Excavator under 2 cubic yards; Cranes (under 100 ton rated capacity), Grader/Blade; Master Mechanic; Hoisting Engineer (all types of equipment where a drum and cable are used to hoist or drag material regardless of motive power of operation), Rubber Tire Excavator (Drott-1085 or similar); Grader Operator; Bulldozer Fine Grade. (slopes, shaping, laser or GPS, etc.). (Trade License Required)	41.32	25.30 + a
Group 4: Trenching Machines; Lighter Derrick; Concrete Finishing Machine; CMI Machine or Similar; Koehring Loader (Skooper).	40.91	25.30 + a
Group 5: Specialty Railroad Equipment; Asphalt Paver; Asphalt Reclaiming Machine; Line Grinder; Concrete Pumps; Drills with Self Contained Power Units; Boring Machine; Post Hole Digger; Auger; Pounder; Well Digger; Milling Machine (over 24	40.28	25.30 + a
Group 5 continued: Side Boom; Combination Hoe and Loader; Directional Driller; Pile Testing Machine.	40.28	25.30 + a
Group 6: Front End Loader (3 up to 7 cubic yards); Bulldozer (rough grade dozer).	39.95	25.30 + a
Group 7: Asphalt roller, concrete saws and cutters (ride on types), vermeer concrete cutter, Stump Grinder; Scraper; Snooper; Skidder; Milling Machine (24	39.59	25.30 + a
Group 8: Mechanic, grease truck operator, hydroblaster; barrier mover; power stone spreader; welding; work boat under 26 ft.; transfer machine.	39.17	25.30 + a
Group 9: Front end loader (under 3 cubic yards), skid steer loader regardless of attachments, (Bobcat or Similar): forklift, power chipper; landscape equipment (including Hydroseeder).	38.71	25.30 + a
Group 10: Vibratory hammer; ice machine; diesel and air, hammer, etc.	36.54	25.30 + a
Group 11: Conveyor, earth roller, power pavement breaker (whiphammer), robot demolition equipment.	36.54	25.30 + a

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Group 12: Wellpoint operator.	36.48	25.30 + a
Group 13: Compressor battery operator.	35.86	25.30 + a
Group 14: Elevator operator; tow motor operator (solid tire no rough terrain).	34.66	25.30 + a
Group 15: Generator Operator; Compressor Operator; Pump Operator; Welding Machine Operator; Heater Operator.	34.23	25.30 + a
Group 16: Maintenance Engineer/Oiler.	33.54	25.30 + a
Group 17: Portable asphalt plant operator; portable crusher plant operator; portable concrete plant operator.	38.11	25.30 + a
Group 18: Power safety boat; vacuum truck; zim mixer; sweeper; (Minimum for any job requiring a CDL license).	35.53	25.30 + a
-----PAINTERS (Including Drywall Finishing)-----		
10a) Brush and Roller	35.62	22.55
10b) Taping Only/Drywall Finishing	36.37	22.55
10c) Paperhanger and Red Label	36.12	22.55
10e) Blast and Spray	38.62	22.55
11) Plumber (excluding HVAC pipe installation) (Trade License required: P-1,2,6,7,8,9 J-1,2,3,4 SP-1,2)	44.63	32.95
12) Well Digger, Pile Testing Machine	37.26	24.05 + a
13) Roofer (composition)	38.4	21.89
14) Roofer (slate & tile)	38.9	21.89
15) Sheetmetal Worker (Trade License required for HVAC and Ductwork: SM-1,SM-2,SM-3,SM-4,SM-5,SM-6)	38.9	39.46
16) Pipefitter (Including HVAC work) (Trade License required: S-1,2,3,4,5,6,7,8 B-1,2,3,4 D-1,2,3,4, G-1, G-2, G-8 & G-9)	44.63	32.95

As of: January 22, 2021



-----TRUCK DRIVERS-----

17a) 2 Axle	29.86	25.79 + a
17b) 3 Axle, 2 Axle Ready Mix	29.97	25.79 + a
17c) 3 Axle Ready Mix	30.03	25.79 + a
17d) 4 Axle, Heavy Duty Trailer up to 40 tons	30.08	25.79 + a
17e) 4 Axle Ready Mix	30.13	25.79 + a
17f) Heavy Duty Trailer (40 Tons and Over)	30.35	25.79 + a
17g) Specialized Earth Moving Equipment (Other Than Conventional Type on-the-Road Trucks and Semi-Trailers, Including Euclids)	30.13	25.79 + a
18) Sprinkler Fitter (Trade License required: F-1,2,3,4)	45.92	26.08 + a
19) Theatrical Stage Journeyman	25.76	7.34

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*Welders: Rate for craft to which welding is incidental.*

*\*Note: Hazardous waste removal work receives additional \$1.25 per hour for truck drivers.*

*\*\*Note: Hazardous waste premium \$3.00 per hour over classified rate*

***ALL Cranes: When crane operator is operating equipment that requires a fully licensed crane operator to operate he receives an extra \$4.00 premium in addition to the hourly wage rate and benefit contributions:***

- 1) Crane handling or erecting structural steel or stone; hoisting engineer (2 drums or over)***
- 2) Cranes (100 ton rate capacity and over) Bauer Drill/Caisson***
- 3) Cranes (under 100 ton rated capacity)***

Crane with 150 ft. boom (including jib) - \$1.50 extra

Crane with 200 ft. boom (including jib) - \$2.50 extra

Crane with 250 ft. boom (including jib) - \$5.00 extra

Crane with 300 ft. boom (including jib) - \$7.00 extra

Crane with 400 ft. boom (including jib) - \$10.00 extra

All classifications that indicate a percentage of the fringe benefits must be calculated at the percentage rate times the "base hourly rate".

Apprentices duly registered under the Commissioner of Labor's regulations on "Work Training Standards for Apprenticeship and Training Programs" Section 31-51-d-1 to 12, are allowed to be paid the appropriate percentage of the prevailing journeymen hourly base and the full fringe benefit rate, providing the work site ratio shall not be less than one full-time journeyperson instructing and supervising the work of each apprentice in a specific trade.

*The Prevailing wage rates applicable to this project are subject to annual adjustments each July 1st for the duration of the project.*

*Each contractor shall pay the annual adjusted prevailing wage rate that is in effect each July 1st, as posted by the Department of Labor.*

*It is the contractor's responsibility to obtain the annual adjusted prevailing wage rate increases directly from the Department of Labor's website.*

*The annual adjustments will be posted on the Department of Labor's Web page: [www.ct.gov/dol](http://www.ct.gov/dol). For those without internet access, please contact the division listed below.*

*The Department of Labor will continue to issue the initial prevailing wage rate schedule to the Contracting Agency for the project.*

*All subsequent annual adjustments will be posted on our Web Site for contractor access.*

*Contracting Agencies are under no obligation pursuant to State labor law to pay any increase due to the annual adjustment provision.*

***Effective October 1, 2005 - Public Act 05-50: any person performing the work of any mechanic, laborer, or worker shall be paid prevailing wage***

All Person who perform work ON SITE must be paid prevailing wage for the appropriate mechanic, laborer, or worker classification.

All certified payrolls must list the hours worked and wages paid to All Persons who perform work ON SITE regardless of their ownership i.e.: (Owners, Corporate Officers, LLC Members, Independent Contractors, et. al)

Reporting and payment of wages is required regardless of any contractual relationship alleged to exist between the contractor and such person.

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**~~Unlisted classifications needed for work not included within the scope of the classifications listed may be added after award only as provided in the labor standards contract clause (29 CFR 5.5 (a) (1) (ii)).**

Please direct any questions which you may have pertaining to classification of work and payment of prevailing wages to the Wage and Workplace Standards Division, telephone (860)263-6790.

**As of:** January 22, 2021

**Connecticut Department of Labor  
Wage and Workplace Standards Division  
FOOTNOTES**

⇒ Please Note: If the “Benefits” listed on the schedule for the following occupations includes a letter(s) (+ a or + a+b for instance), refer to the information below.

Benefits to be paid at the appropriate prevailing wage rate for the listed occupation.

If the “Benefits” section for the occupation lists only a dollar amount, disregard the information below.

**Bricklayers, Cement Masons, Cement Finishers, Concrete Finishers, Stone Masons  
(Building Construction) and  
(Residential- Hartford, Middlesex, New Haven, New London and Tolland Counties)**

- a. Paid Holiday: Employees shall receive 4 hours for Christmas Eve holiday provided the employee works the regularly scheduled day before and after the holiday. Employers may schedule work on Christmas Eve and employees shall receive pay for actual hours worked in addition to holiday pay.

**Elevator Constructors: Mechanics**

- a. Paid Holidays: New Year’s Day, Memorial Day, Independence Day, Labor Day, Veterans’ Day, Thanksgiving Day, Christmas Day, plus the Friday after Thanksgiving.
- b. Vacation: Employer contributes 8% of basic hourly rate for 5 years or more of service or 6% of basic hourly rate for 6 months to 5 years of service as vacation pay credit.

**Glaziers**

- a. Paid Holidays: Labor Day and Christmas Day.

**Power Equipment Operators  
(Heavy and Highway Construction & Building Construction)**

- a. Paid Holidays: New Year’s Day, Good Friday, Memorial day, Independence Day, Labor Day, Thanksgiving Day and Christmas Day, provided the employee works 3 days during the week in which the holiday falls, if scheduled, and if scheduled, the working day before and the working day after the holiday. Holidays falling on Saturday may be observed on Saturday, or if the employer so elects, on the preceding Friday.

**Ironworkers**

- a. Paid Holiday: Labor Day provided employee has been on the payroll for the 5 consecutive work days prior to Labor Day.

**Laborers (Tunnel Construction)**

- a. Paid Holidays: New Year's Day, Memorial Day, Independence Day, Labor Day, Thanksgiving Day and Christmas Day. No employee shall be eligible for holiday pay when he fails, without cause, to work the regular work day preceding the holiday or the regular work day following the holiday.

**Roofers**

- a. Paid Holidays: July 4<sup>th</sup>, Labor Day, and Christmas Day provided the employee is employed 15 days prior to the holiday.

**Sprinkler Fitters**

- a. Paid Holidays: Memorial Day, July 4th, Labor Day, Thanksgiving Day and Christmas Day, provided the employee has been in the employment of a contractor 20 working days prior to any such paid holiday.

**Truck Drivers**

(Heavy and Highway Construction & Building Construction)

- a. Paid Holidays: New Year's Day, Memorial Day, Independence Day, Labor Day, Thanksgiving Day, Christmas day, and Good Friday, provided the employee has at least 31 calendar days of service and works the last scheduled day before and the first scheduled day after the holiday, unless excused.

**Sec. 31-53b. Construction safety and health course. New miner training program. Proof of completion required for mechanics, laborers and workers on public works projects. Enforcement. Regulations. Exceptions.** (a) Each contract for a public works project entered into on or after July 1, 2009, by the state or any of its agents, or by any political subdivision of the state or any of its agents, described in subsection (g) of section 31-53, shall contain a provision requiring that each contractor furnish proof with the weekly certified payroll form for the first week each employee begins work on such project that any person performing the work of a mechanic, laborer or worker pursuant to the classifications of labor under section 31-53 on such public works project, pursuant to such contract, has completed a course of at least ten hours in duration in construction safety and health approved by the federal Occupational Safety and Health Administration or, has completed a new miner training program approved by the Federal Mine Safety and Health Administration in accordance with 30 CFR 48 or, in the case of telecommunications employees, has completed at least ten hours of training in accordance with 29 CFR 1910.268.

(b) Any person required to complete a course or program under subsection (a) of this section who has not completed the course or program shall be subject to removal from the worksite if the person does not provide documentation of having completed such course or program by the fifteenth day after the date the person is found to be in noncompliance. The Labor Commissioner or said commissioner's designee shall enforce this section.

(c) Not later than January 1, 2009, the Labor Commissioner shall adopt regulations, in accordance with the provisions of chapter 54, to implement the provisions of subsections (a) and (b) of this section. Such regulations shall require that the ten-hour construction safety and health courses required under subsection (a) of this section be conducted in accordance with federal Occupational Safety and Health Administration Training Institute standards, or in accordance with Federal Mine Safety and Health Administration Standards or in accordance with 29 CFR 1910.268, as appropriate. The Labor Commissioner shall accept as sufficient proof of compliance with the provisions of subsection (a) or (b) of this section a student course completion card issued by the federal Occupational Safety and Health Administration Training Institute, or such other proof of compliance said commissioner deems appropriate, dated no earlier than five years before the commencement date of such public works project.

(d) This section shall not apply to employees of public service companies, as defined in section 16-1, or drivers of commercial motor vehicles driving the vehicle on the public works project and delivering or picking up cargo from public works projects provided they perform no labor relating to the project other than the loading and unloading of their cargo.

(P.A. 06-175, S. 1; P.A. 08-83, S. 1.)

History: P.A. 08-83 amended Subsec. (a) by making provisions applicable to public works project contracts entered into on or after July 1, 2009, replacing provision re total cost of work with reference to Sec. 31-53(g), requiring proof in certified payroll form that new mechanic, laborer or worker has completed a 10-hour or more construction safety course and adding provision re new miner training program, amended Subsec. (b) by substituting "person" for "employee" and adding "or program", amended Subsec. (c) by adding "or in accordance with Federal Mine Safety and Health Administration Standards" and setting new deadline of January 1, 2009, deleted former Subsec. (d) re "public building", added new Subsec. (d) re exemptions for public service company employees and delivery drivers who perform no labor other than delivery and made conforming and technical changes, effective January 1, 2009.

# **Informational Bulletin**

## **THE 10-HOUR OSHA CONSTRUCTION SAFETY AND HEALTH COURSE**

(applicable to public building contracts entered into *on or after July 1, 2007*, where the total cost of all work to be performed is at least \$100,000)

- (1) This requirement was created by Public Act No. 06-175, which is codified in Section 31-53b of the Connecticut General Statutes (pertaining to the prevailing wage statutes);
- (2) The course is required for public building construction contracts (projects funded in whole or in part by the state or any political subdivision of the state) entered into on or after July 1, 2007;
- (3) It is required of private employees (not state or municipal employees) and apprentices who perform manual labor for a general contractor or subcontractor on a public building project where the total cost of all work to be performed is at least \$100,000;
- (4) The ten-hour construction course pertains to the ten-hour Outreach Course conducted in accordance with federal OSHA Training Institute standards, and, for telecommunications workers, a ten-hour training course conducted in accordance with federal OSHA standard, 29 CFR 1910.268;
- (5) The internet website for the federal OSHA Training Institute is [http://www.osha.gov/fso/ote/training/edcenters/fact\\_sheet.html](http://www.osha.gov/fso/ote/training/edcenters/fact_sheet.html);
- (6) The statutory language leaves it to the contractor and its employees to determine who pays for the cost of the ten-hour Outreach Course;
- (7) Within 30 days of receiving a contract award, a general contractor must furnish proof to the Labor Commissioner that all employees and apprentices performing manual labor on the project will have completed such a course;
- (8) Proof of completion may be demonstrated through either: (a) the presentation of a *bona fide* student course completion card issued by the federal OSHA Training Institute; *or* (2) the presentation of documentation provided to an employee by a trainer certified by the Institute pending the actual issuance of the completion card;
- (9) Any card with an issuance date more than 5 years prior to the commencement date of the construction project shall not constitute proof of compliance;



- (10) Each employer shall affix a copy of the construction safety course completion card to the certified payroll submitted to the contracting agency in accordance with Conn. Gen. Stat. § 31-53(f) on which such employee's name first appears;
- (11) Any employee found to be in non-compliance shall be subject to removal from the worksite if such employee does not provide satisfactory proof of course completion to the Labor Commissioner by the fifteenth day after the date the employee is determined to be in noncompliance;
- (12) Any such employee who is determined to be in noncompliance may continue to work on a public building construction project for a maximum of fourteen consecutive calendar days while bringing his or her status into compliance;
- (13) The Labor Commissioner may make complaint to the prosecuting authorities regarding any employer or agent of the employer, or officer or agent of the corporation who files a false certified payroll with respect to the status of an employee who is performing manual labor on a public building construction project;
- (14) The statute provides the minimum standards required for the completion of a safety course by manual laborers on public construction contracts; any contractor can exceed these minimum requirements; and
- (15) Regulations clarifying the statute are currently in the regulatory process, and shall be posted on the CTDOL website as soon as they are adopted in final form.
- (16) Any questions regarding this statute may be directed to the Wage and Workplace Standards Division of the Connecticut Labor Department via the internet website of <http://www.ctdol.state.ct.us/wgwkstnd/wgemenu.htm>; or by telephone at (860)263-6790.

**THE ABOVE INFORMATION IS PROVIDED EXCLUSIVELY AS AN EDUCATIONAL RESOURCE, AND IS NOT INTENDED AS A SUBSTITUTE FOR LEGAL INTERPRETATIONS WHICH MAY ULTIMATELY ARISE CONCERNING THE CONSTRUCTION OF THE STATUTE OR THE REGULATIONS.**

STATE OF CONNECTICUT  
**CERTIFICATE OF INSURANCE**

This is to certify that the Company listed below has issued the policies listed below, that these policies are written in accordance with the Company's standard policies and endorsements, except as indicated below or as noted in the attachments hereto, which policies and endorsements will be made available to the Owner upon request, that they provide coverage and limits of liability shown with respect to the insurance indicated, that they are in force on this date, that all deductible amounts are indicated below, and that this Certificate is furnished in accordance with and for the purpose of satisfying the requirements of the State of Connecticut, and the Agency in connection with the award and performance of a contract or agreement with the State of Connecticut, and the Agency.

1. Name of insured \_\_\_\_\_
  2. Address of insured \_\_\_\_\_
  3. Location and Description of Work \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_
- Project No. \_\_\_\_\_

Kind and Type of Insurance	Policy No.	Effective Date	Expiration Date	IN DOLLARS Coverage and limits of Liability		
				Bodily Injury Liability		Property Damage Liability
				Single Limit	Each Accident	Aggregate
A) Protective Liability for and in the name of the State of CT See (1) Reverse Side				1,000,000	100,000	500,000
B) Contractor's Liability				1,000,000	100,000	500,000
C) Contractor Protective Liability				1,000,000	100,000	500,000
D) Contractual Liability See (1) & (2) Reverse Side				1,000,000	100,000	500,000
E) Worker's Compensation (if self-insured Compensation Comm's Certificate Required.				STATUTORY		
F) <u>Special Hazards Insurance Type C- Collapse Structural Injury Type X- explosion or Blast</u>	NOT REQUIRED			1,000,000	100,000	500,000
G) <u>Type U. Underground Damage</u>	NOT REQUIRED			1,000,000	100,000	500,000
H) <u>Auto Liability</u> Owned Automobiles Hired Automobiles Non-owned Automobiles				Each Person	Each Accident	
I) <u>Builders Risk</u> insurance (Fire Extended Coverage)				AS CALLED FOR ON PROJECT DATA SHEET		
J) <u>Umbrella Policy</u> ( as needed )						

1. Unless requested otherwise by the State, it is agreed that the above named insurance company waives governmental immunity as a defense and will not use the defense of governmental immunity in the adjustment of claims or in the defense of any suit brought against the State, and it is further agreed that the company will bill all premiums and audit charges earned under the protective liability policy to the above named contractor.
  
2. The contractor shall at all times indemnify and save harmless the State of Connecticut, the Agency, and their respective officers, agents, and employees, on account of any and all claims, damages, losses, litigation, expenses, counsel fees, and compensation arising out of injuries (including death) sustained by or alleged to have been sustained by the officers, agents, and employees of said State or Agency, or of the contractor, his subcontractors, or material men, and from injuries (including death) sustained by or alleged to have been sustained by the public, any or all persons on or near the work, or by any other person or property, real or personal (including property of said State or Agency) caused in whole or in part by the acts, omissions, or neglect of the contractor including but not limited to any neglect in safeguarding the work or through the use of unacceptable materials in constructing the work of the contractor, any subcontractor, material man, or anyone directly employed by them or any of them while engaged in the performance of the contract, including the entire elapsed time from the date ordered to start work or the actual start whichever occurs first until the completion as certified by the Owner.

Such insurance as is herein certified applies to all operations of the insured in connection with the work herein described at the locations stated.

In the event of any restrictive amendment to, any change in or cancellation of any one or more of said policies the

\_\_\_\_\_ Insurance Company

will give not less than thirty days written notice to the party to whom the certificate is issued of such amendment, change or cancellation.

(Original and two copies to be submitted to the awarding Agency in the State of Connecticut. Copy to be furnished named insurance.)

Dated this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_ 2015

Insurance Company \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_

Authorized Agency \_\_\_\_\_

Authorized Agent \_\_\_\_\_

# AGREEMENT

BETWEEN  
**Eastern Connecticut State University**  
AND  
***Contractor by Name***

This Agreement (“Contract”) is entered into by and between [**Eastern Connecticut State University**], a constituent unit of the State of Connecticut System of Higher Education, with an address of 83 Windham Street, Willimantic, CT 06226 (hereinafter the “Institution”), and [***Name of Company***] (hereinafter the “Contractor”) with a principal place of business at \_\_\_\_\_ to provide [***name the service***].

## **I. GENERAL**

Contractor shall provide [***describe the service to be provided***]

## **II. TERM OF THE AGREEMENT**

This Contract shall become effective only as of the date of signature by the Agency’s authorized officials and, the date of approval by the Office of the Attorney General (OAG), if applicable, and shall continue in effect until [***insert end date***] unless terminated earlier in accordance with the terms of Section 7 below. Work shall commence on [***insert start date***].

## **III. COST [*insert RFP/Bid costing details*]**

1. **MAXIMUM AMOUNT OF CONTRACT \$** [***insert not to exceed amount***]
2. **Notices:** All notices, demands or requests provided for or permitted to be given pursuant to this Contract must be in writing. All notices, demands and requests shall be deemed to have been properly served if given by personal delivery, or if transmitted by facsimile with confirmed receipt, or if delivered to Federal Express or other reputable express carrier for next business day delivery, charges billed to or prepaid by shipper; or if deposited in the United States mail, registered or certified with return receipt requested, proper postage prepaid, addressed as follows:

### **MUST BE COMPLETED**

If to the Eastern Connecticut State University

Institution\*: 83 Windham Street

Willimantic, CT 06226

Attn: Renee Theroux-Keech

If to the **[*Contractor Name*]**

Contractor\*: **[*Contractor Street*]**

**\*Any party may change its Notice information in writing in accordance with this Section.**

#### **IV. GENERAL STATE CONTRACT PROVISIONS:**

1. **Statutory Authority.** Connecticut General Statutes §§ 10a-6, 10a-1b, 4a-52a, and/or 10a-151b provide the Institution with authority to enter into contracts in the pursuit of its mission.
2. **Claims Against the State.** The Contractor agrees that the sole and exclusive means for the presentation of any claim against the State of Connecticut or the Institution arising from this Contract shall be in accordance with Chapter 53 of the Connecticut General Statutes (Claims Against the State) and the Contractor further agrees not to initiate any legal proceedings in any state or federal court in addition to, or in lieu of, said Chapter 53 proceedings.
3. **Indemnification.** The Contractor agrees to indemnify, defend and hold harmless the State of Connecticut as well as all Departments, officers, agents, and employees of the State from and against any and all claims, losses or suits according to or resulting from any Contractors, Subcontractors, laborers, or any person, firm or corporation who may be directly or indirectly injured or damaged by the negligence or willful misconduct of the Contractor in the performance of the contract.
4. **Sovereign Immunity.** The parties acknowledge and agree that nothing in this contract shall be construed as a modification, compromise or waiver by the State of any rights or defenses of any immunities provided by Federal law or the laws of the State of Connecticut to the State or any of its officers and employees, which they may have had, now have or will have with respect to all matters arising out of this contract. To the extent that this section conflicts with any other section, this section shall govern.
5. **Insurance.** The Contractor agrees that while performing services specified in this contract that it shall carry sufficient insurance (liability and/or other) as applicable according to the nature of the service(s) to be performed so as to “save harmless” the State of Connecticut from any insurable cause whatsoever. If requested, certificates of such insurance shall be provided to the contracting state agency prior to the performance of services.
6. **Forum and Choice of Law.** The parties deem the Contract to have been made in the City of Hartford, State of Connecticut. Both parties agree that it is fair and reasonable for the validity and construction of the contract to be, and it shall be, governed by the laws and court decisions of the State of Connecticut, without giving effect to its principles of conflicts of laws. To the extent that any immunities provided by Federal law or the laws of the State of Connecticut do not bar an action against the State, and to the extent that these courts are courts of competent jurisdiction, for the purpose of venue, the complaint shall be made returnable to the Judicial District of Hartford only or shall be brought in the United States District Court for the District of Connecticut only, and shall not be transferred to any other court, provided, however, that nothing here constitutes a waiver or compromise of the sovereign immunity of the State of Connecticut. The Contractor waives any objection which it may now have or will have to the laying of venue of any claims in any forum and further irrevocably submits to such jurisdiction in any suit, action or proceeding.
7. **Termination.**

- a. Notwithstanding any provisions in this contract, the Institution, through a duly authorized employee, may terminate the Contract whenever the Institution makes a written determination that such termination is in the best interests of the State. The Institution shall notify the Contractor in writing of termination pursuant to this section, which notice shall specify the effective date of termination and the extent to which the Contractor must complete its performance under the contract prior to such date.
- b. Notwithstanding any provisions in this contract, the Institution, through a duly authorized employee, may, after making a written determination that the Contractor has breached the contract, terminate the contract in accordance with the following breach provision.
  - i. Breach. If either party breaches the contract in any respect, the non-breaching party shall provide written notice of the breach to the breaching party and afford the breaching party an opportunity to cure within ten (10) days from the date that the breaching party receives the notice. In the case of a Contractor breach, any other time period which the Institution sets forth in the notice shall trump the ten (10) days. The right to cure period shall be extended if the non-breaching party is satisfied that the breaching party is making a good faith effort to cure but the nature of the breach is such that it cannot be cured within the right to cure period. The notice may include an effective contract termination date if the breach is not cured by the stated date and, unless otherwise modified by the non-breaching party in writing prior to the termination date, no further action shall be required of any party to effect the termination as of the stated date. If the notice does not set forth an effective contract termination date, then the non-breaching party may terminate the contract by giving the breaching party no less than twenty four (24) hours' prior written notice. If the Institution believes that the Contractor has not performed according to the contract, the Institution may withhold payment in whole or in part pending resolution of the performance issue, provided that the Institution notifies the Contractor in writing prior to the date that the payment would have been due.
- c. The Institution shall send the notice of termination via certified mail, return receipt requested, to the Contractor at the most current address which the Contractor has furnished to the Institution for purposes of correspondence, or by hand delivery. Upon receiving the notice from the Institution, the Contractor shall immediately discontinue all services affected in accordance with the notice, undertake all Institution all records. The records are deemed to be the property of the Institution and the Contractor shall deliver them to the Institution no later than thirty (30) days after the termination of the contract or fifteen (15) days after the Contractor receives a written request from the Institution for the records. The Contractor shall deliver those records that exist in electronic, magnetic or other intangible form in a non-proprietary format, such as, but not limited to, ASCII or .TXT.
- d. Upon receipt of a written notice of termination from the Institution, the Contractor shall cease operations as the Institution directs in the notice, and take

all actions that are necessary or appropriate, or that the Institution may reasonably direct, for the protection, and preservation of the goods and any other property. Except for any work which the Institution directs the Contractor to perform in the notice prior to the effective date of termination, and except as otherwise provided in the notice, the Contractor shall terminate or conclude all existing subcontracts and purchase orders and shall not enter into any further subcontracts, purchase orders or commitments.

- e. The Institution shall, within forty-five (45) days of the effective date of termination; reimburse the Contractor for its performance rendered and accepted by the Institution in accordance with the terms of this contract, in addition to all actual and reasonable costs incurred after termination in completing those portions of the performance which the notice required the Contractor to complete. However, the Contractor is not entitled to receive and the Institution is not obligated to tender to the Contractor any payments for anticipated or lost profits. Upon request by the Institution, the Contractor shall assign to the Institution, or any replacement Contractor which the Institution designates, all subcontracts, purchase orders and other commitments, deliver to the Institution all records and other information pertaining to its performance, and remove from State premises, whether leased or owned, all of Contractor's property, equipment, waste material and rubbish related to its performance, all as the Institution may request.
- f. For breach or violation of any of the provisions in the section concerning representations and warranties, the Institution may terminate the contract in accordance with its terms and revoke any consents to assignments given as if the assignments had never been requested or consented to, without liability to the Contractor or Contractor parties or any third party.
- g. Upon termination of the contract, all rights and obligations shall be null and void, so that no party shall have any further rights or obligations to any other party, except with respect to the sections which survive termination. All representations, warranties, agreements and rights of the parties under the contract shall survive such termination to the extent not otherwise limited in the contract and without each one of them having to be specifically mentioned in the contract.
- h. Termination of the contract pursuant to this section shall not be deemed to be a breach of contract by the Institution.

8. **Entire Agreement and Amendment.** This written contract shall constitute the entire agreement between the parties and no other terms and conditions in any document, acceptance or acknowledgment shall be effective or binding unless expressly agreed to in writing by the Institution. This contract may not be changed other than by a formal written contract amendment signed by the parties hereto and approved by the Connecticut Attorney General.

9. **Nondiscrimination.**

- (a) For purposes of this Section, the following terms are defined as follows: (i) "Commission" means the Commission on Human Rights and Opportunities; (ii) "Contract" and "contract" include any extension or modification of the Contract or



contract; (iii) "Contractor" and "contractor" include any successors or assigns of the Contractor or contractor; (iv) "Gender identity or expression" means a person's gender-related identity, appearance or behavior, whether or not that gender-related identity, appearance or behavior is different from that traditionally associated with the person's physiology or assigned sex at birth, which gender-related identity can be shown by providing evidence including, but not limited to, medical history, care or treatment of the gender-related identity, consistent and uniform assertion of the gender-related identity or any other evidence that the gender-related identity is sincerely held, part of a person's core identity or not being asserted for an improper purpose; (v) "good faith" means that degree of diligence which a reasonable person would exercise in the performance of legal duties and obligations; (vi) "good faith efforts" shall include, but not be limited to, those reasonable initial efforts necessary to comply with statutory or regulatory requirements and additional or substituted efforts when it is determined that such initial efforts will not be sufficient to comply with such requirements; (vii) "marital status" means being single, married as recognized by the State of Connecticut, widowed, separated or divorced; (viii) "mental disability" means one or more mental disorders, as defined in the most recent edition of the American Psychiatric Association's "Diagnostic and Statistical Manual of Mental Disorders", or a record of or regarding a person as having one or more such disorders; (ix) "minority business enterprise" means any small contractor or supplier of materials fifty-one percent or more of the capital stock, if any, or assets of which is owned by a person or persons: (1) who are active in the daily affairs of the enterprise, (2) who have the power to direct the management and policies of the enterprise, and (3) who are members of a minority, as such term is defined in subsection (a) of Connecticut General Statutes § 32-9n; and (x) "public works contract" means any agreement between any individual, firm or corporation and the State or any political subdivision of the State other than a municipality for construction, rehabilitation, conversion, extension, demolition or repair of a public building, highway or other changes or improvements in real property, or which is financed in whole or in part by the State, including, but not limited to, matching expenditures, grants, loans, insurance or guarantees.

For purposes of this Section, the terms "Contract" and "contract" do not include a contract where each contractor is (1) a political subdivision of the state, including, but not limited to, a municipality, (2) a quasi-public agency, as defined in Conn. Gen. Stat. § 1-120, (3) any other state, including but not limited to any federally recognized Indian tribal governments, as defined in Conn. Gen. Stat. § 1-267, (4) the federal government, (5) a foreign government, or (6) an agency of a subdivision, agency, state or government described in the immediately preceding enumerated items (1), (2), (3), (4) or (5).

(b) (1) The Contractor agrees and warrants that in the performance of the Contract such Contractor will not discriminate or permit discrimination against any person or group of persons on the grounds of race, color, religious creed, age, marital status, national origin, ancestry, sex, gender identity or expression, intellectual disability, mental disability or physical disability, including, but not limited to, blindness, unless it is shown by such Contractor that such disability prevents performance of the work involved, in any manner prohibited by the laws of the United States or of the State of Connecticut; and the Contractor further agrees to take affirmative action to insure that applicants with job-related qualifications are employed and that employees are treated when employed without regard to their race, color, religious creed, age, marital status, national origin, ancestry, sex, gender identity or expression, intellectual disability, mental disability or physical disability, including, but not limited to, blindness, unless it is shown by the

Contractor that such disability prevents performance of the work involved; (2) the Contractor agrees, in all solicitations or advertisements for employees placed by or on behalf of the Contractor, to state that it is an "affirmative action equal opportunity employer" in accordance with regulations adopted by the Commission; (3) the Contractor agrees to provide each labor union or representative of workers with which the Contractor has a collective bargaining Agreement or other contract or understanding and each vendor with which the Contractor has a contract or understanding, a notice to be provided by the Commission, advising the labor union or workers' representative of the Contractor's commitments under this section and to post copies of the notice in conspicuous places available to employees and applicants for employment; (4) the Contractor agrees to comply with each provision of this Section and Conn. Gen. Stat. §§ 46a-68e and 46a-68f and with each regulation or relevant order issued by said Commission pursuant to Conn. Gen. Stat. §§ 46a-56, 46a-68e and 46a-68f; and (5) the Contractor agrees to provide the Commission on Human Rights and Opportunities with such information requested by the Commission, and permit access to pertinent books, records and accounts, concerning the employment practices and procedures of the Contractor as it relates to the provisions of this Section and Conn. Gen. Stat. § 46a-56. If the contract is a public works contract, the Contractor agrees and warrants that he will make good faith efforts to employ minority business enterprises as subcontractors and suppliers of materials on such public works projects.

(c) Determination of the Contractor's good faith efforts shall include, but shall not be limited to, the following factors: The Contractor's employment and subcontracting policies, patterns and practices; affirmative advertising, recruitment and training; technical assistance activities and such other reasonable activities or efforts as the Commission may prescribe that are designed to ensure the participation of minority business enterprises in public works projects.

(d) The Contractor shall develop and maintain adequate documentation, in a manner prescribed by the Commission, of its good faith efforts.

(e) The Contractor shall include the provisions of subsection (b) of this Section in every subcontract or purchase order entered into in order to fulfill any obligation of a contract with the State and such provisions shall be binding on a subcontractor, vendor or manufacturer unless exempted by regulations or orders of the Commission. The Contractor shall take such action with respect to any such subcontract or purchase order as the Commission may direct as a means of enforcing such provisions including sanctions for noncompliance in accordance with Conn. Gen. Stat. § 46a-56; provided if such Contractor becomes involved in, or is threatened with, litigation with a subcontractor or vendor as a result of such direction by the Commission, the Contractor may request the State of Connecticut to enter into any such litigation or negotiation prior thereto to protect the interests of the State and the State may so enter.

(f) The Contractor agrees to comply with the regulations referred to in this Section as they exist on the date of this Contract and as they may be adopted or amended from time to time during the term of this Contract and any amendments thereto.

(g) (1) The Contractor agrees and warrants that in the performance of the Contract such Contractor will not discriminate or permit discrimination against any person or group of persons on the grounds of sexual orientation, in any manner prohibited by the laws of the United States or the State of Connecticut, and that employees are treated when employed

without regard to their sexual orientation; (2) the Contractor agrees to provide each labor union or representative of workers with which such Contractor has a collective bargaining Agreement or other contract or understanding and each vendor with which such Contractor has a contract or understanding, a notice to be provided by the Commission on Human Rights and Opportunities advising the labor union or workers' representative of the Contractor's commitments under this section, and to post copies of the notice in conspicuous places available to employees and applicants for employment; (3) the Contractor agrees to comply with each provision of this section and with each regulation or relevant order issued by said Commission pursuant to Conn. Gen. Stat. § 46a-56; and (4) the Contractor agrees to provide the Commission on Human Rights and Opportunities with such information requested by the Commission, and permit access to pertinent books, records and accounts, concerning the employment practices and procedures of the Contractor which relate to the provisions of this Section and Conn. Gen. Stat. § 46a-56.

(h) The Contractor shall include the provisions of the foregoing paragraph in every subcontract or purchase order entered into in order to fulfill any obligation of a contract with the State and such provisions shall be binding on a subcontractor, vendor or manufacturer unless exempted by regulations or orders of the Commission. The Contractor shall take such action with respect to any such subcontract or purchase order as the Commission may direct as a means of enforcing such provisions including sanctions for noncompliance in accordance with Conn. Gen. Stat. § 46a-56; provided, if such Contractor becomes involved in, or is threatened with, litigation with a subcontractor or vendor as a result of such direction by the Commission, the Contractor may request the State of Connecticut to enter into any such litigation or negotiation prior thereto to protect the interests of the State and the State may so enter.

10. **Executive Orders.** This Contract is subject to the provisions of Executive Order No. Three of Governor Thomas J. Meskill, promulgated June 16, 1971, concerning labor employment practices, Executive Order No. Seventeen of Governor Thomas J. Meskill, promulgated February 15, 1973, concerning the listing of employment openings and Executive Order No. Sixteen of Governor John G. Rowland promulgated August 4, 1999, concerning violence in the workplace, all of which are incorporated into and are made a part of the Contract as if they had been fully set forth in it. The Contract may also be subject to Executive Order No. 14 of Governor M. Jodi Rell, promulgated April 17, 2006, concerning procurement of cleaning products and services and to Executive Order No. 49 of Governor Dannel P. Malloy, promulgated May 22, 2015, mandating disclosure of certain gifts to public employees and contributions to certain candidates for office. If Executive Order 14 and/or Executive Order 49 are applicable, they are deemed to be incorporated into and are made a part of the Contract as if they had been fully set forth in it. At the Contractor's request, the Institution or DAS shall provide a copy of these orders to the Contractor.
11. **Force Majeure.** If the performance of obligations under this Contract are rendered impossible or hazardous or is otherwise prevented or impaired due to illness, accident, Act(s) of God, riots, strikes, labor difficulties, epidemics, earthquakes, and/or any other cause or event, similar or dissimilar, beyond the control of the Contractor, then each party's obligations to the other under this Contract shall be excused and neither party shall have any liability to the other under or in connection with this Contract.

12. **Campaign Contribution Restrictions.** For all state contracts as defined in Connecticut General Statutes § 9-612(g)(2), as amended by Public Act 10-1 having a value in a calendar year of \$50,000 or more or a combination or series of such agreements or contracts having a value of \$100,000 or more, the authorized signatory to this Agreement expressly acknowledges receipt of the State Election Enforcement Commission's notice advising state contractors of state campaign contribution and solicitation prohibitions, and will inform its principals of the contents of the Notice, referenced herein as Exhibit A.
13. **Contract Assignment.** No right or duty, in whole or in part, of the Contractor under this Agreement may be assigned or delegated without the prior written consent of the institution.
14. **Confidential Information.** The Contractor acknowledges that it may have access to Confidential Information (as hereinafter defined). The Contractor agrees that it will use the Confidential Information solely for the purpose of performing its duties as a consultant and agrees that it will not divulge, furnish, publish or use for its own benefit or for the direct or indirect benefit of any other person or entity, whether or not for monetary gain, any Confidential Information.
- For purposes of this Agreement, the term "Confidential Information" shall mean (i) all information related to the business operations, marketing plans, financial position and (ii) other business information and any other information disclosed to the Contractor. Confidential Information shall not include information which (i) is or becomes part of the public domain through no act or omission attributable to the Contractor, (ii) is released after prior written authorization or (iii) the Contractor receives from any third party who is unrelated to it and who is not under any obligation to maintain the confidentiality of such information.
15. **Family Educational Rights and Privacy Act (FERPA).** In all respects, Contractor shall comply with the provisions of the Family Educational Rights and Privacy Act (FERPA). For purposes of this contract, FERPA includes any amendments or other relevant provisions of federal law, as well as all requirements of Chapter 99 of Title 34 of the Code of Federal Regulations, as amended from time to time. Nothing in this agreement may be construed to allow Contractor to maintain, use, disclose or share student information in a manner not allowed by federal law or regulation or by this contract. Contractor agrees that it shall not provide any student information obtained under this contract to any party ineligible to receive data protected by FERPA. This section shall survive the termination, cancellation or expiration of the contract.
16. **Summary of State Ethics Laws.** Pursuant to the requirements of section 1-101qq of the Connecticut General Statutes, the summary of State ethic laws developed by the State Ethics Commission pursuant to section 1-81b of the Connecticut General Statutes is incorporated by reference into and made a part of the contract as if the summary had been fully set forth in the contract.
17. **Whistleblower.** This contract may be subject to the provisions of Section 4-61dd of the Connecticut General Statutes. In accordance with this statute, if an officer, employee or appointing authority of the Contractor takes or threatens to take any personnel action against any employee of the Contractor in retaliation for such employee's disclosure of

information to any employee of the contracting state or quasi-public agency or the Auditors of Public Accounts or the Attorney General under the provisions of subsection (a) of such statute, the Contractor shall be liable for a civil penalty of not more than five thousand dollars for each offense, up to a maximum of twenty percent (20%) of the value of this contract. Each violation shall be a separate and distinct offense and in the case of a continuing violation, each calendar day's continuance of the violation shall be deemed to be a separate and distinct offense. The State may request that the Attorney General bring a civil action in the Superior Court for the Judicial District of Hartford to seek imposition and recovery of such civil penalty. In accordance with subsection (f) of such statute, each large state contractor, as defined in the statute, shall post a notice of the provisions of the statute relating to large state contractors in a conspicuous place which is readily available for viewing by the employees of the contractor.

18. **Disclosure of Records.** This Contract may be subject to the provisions of section 1-218 of the Connecticut General Statutes. In accordance with this statute, each contract in excess of two million five hundred thousand dollars between a public agency and a person for the performance of a governmental function shall (a) provide that the public agency is entitled to receive a copy of records and files related to the performance of the governmental function, and (b) indicate that such records and files are subject to the Freedom of Information Act (FOIA) and may be disclosed by the public agency pursuant to FOIA. No request to inspect or copy such records or files shall be valid unless the request is made to the public agency in accordance with FOIA. Any complaint by a person who is denied the right to inspect or copy such records or files shall be brought to the Freedom of Information Commission in accordance with the provisions of sections 1-205 and 1-206 of the Connecticut General Statutes.
19. **Audit Requirements for State Grants.** For purposes of this clause, the word "Contractor" shall be read to mean "nonstate entity," as that term is defined in Conn. Gen. Stat. § 4-230. The Contractor shall provide for an annual financial audit acceptable to the Institution for any expenditure of State-awarded funds made by the Contractor. Such audit shall include management letters and audit recommendations. The State Auditors of Public Accounts shall have access to all records and accounts for the fiscal year(s) in which the award was made. The Contractor will comply with federal and State single audit standards as applicable.
20. **Audit Requirements for Federal Grants.** For U.S. based, non-profit Contractors expending \$500,000 or more of federal awards in one year: The Contractor agrees to comply with the requirements of Office of Management and Budget (OMB) Circular A-133. Contractor further agrees to provide the Institution with copies of all independent auditors' reports which cover the period of performance of this contract. Contractor will provide a copy of its response to auditors' reports and, in instances of non-compliance, a plan for corrective action. All records and reports prepared in accordance with the requirements of OMB Circular A-133 shall be made available for review or audit by appropriate officials of the Federal agency, Institution, or the General Accounting Office (GAO) during normal business hours.

For U.S. based, non-profit Contractors expending less than \$500,000 of Federal awards in one year: Contractor agrees that all records pertaining to this agreement will be made available for review or audit by appropriate officials of the Federal agency, Institution, or the GAO during normal business hours.

21. **Professional Standards.** In rendering services under this contract, the Contractor shall conform to high professional standards of work and business ethic. The Contractor warrants that the services shall be performed: 1) in a professional and workmanlike manner; and 2) in accordance with generally and currently accepted principles and practices. During the term of this contract, the Contractor agrees to provide to Institution in a good and faithful manner, using its best efforts and in a manner that shall promote the interests of Institution, such services as Institution requests, provided in the contract.

22. **Contractor's Standards of Conduct.**

- (a) In order to insure the orderly and efficient performance of duties and services at the Institution and to protect the health, safety and welfare of all members of Institution's community the Contractor agrees that the following items are strictly prohibited while performing services under this Agreement:
- i. Use or possession of drugs or alcohol;
  - ii. Possession of firearms or illegal weapons anywhere on campus property including vehicles;
  - iii. Smoking in buildings;
  - iv. Harassment (sexual, racial or otherwise) or intimidation of anyone on the premises of the campus;
  - v. Violation of applicable traffic or public safety regulations or of Institution rules and procedures;
  - vi. Unauthorized use of Institution vehicles, equipment or property;
  - vii. Use of University telephones for personal business;
  - viii. Removal or theft of University property;
  - ix. Unauthorized duplication or possession of University keys;
  - x. Transfer of personal identification card or of parking pass to unauthorized personnel;
  - xi. Conduct or behavior that endangers the health, safety and welfare of any member of the public or of the University community;
  - xii. Interference with the work of other employees;
  - xiii. Work attire other than the specified uniform; and
  - xiv. Loud, vulgar behavior or the use of profanity.
- (b) Violation of Standards: Contractor will require its employees to comply with the standards listed in Professional Standards and 22 (a) above. The Institution may, at its discretion, recommend discharge of any employee of the Contractor found to be in violation of the standards listed in 1.1(i) or 1.2(a) above, or in violation of any law or standards adopted by the Institution from time to time, as required, to protect the health, safety and welfare of the Institution's community. Upon request of the Institution, Contractor shall remove any of its employees that violate said standards from assignments to be performed under this Agreement.

**V. ACCEPTANCE OF AGREEMENT**

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the parties have executed this Contract by their duly authorized representatives with full knowledge of and agreement with its terms and conditions.

**[Eastern Connecticut State University**

**[Enter Contractor Business Name]**

By: \_\_\_\_\_

By: \_\_\_\_\_

Print Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Print Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Title: \_\_\_\_\_

Title: \_\_\_\_\_

Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Date: \_\_\_\_\_

**By the Connecticut Attorney General**

This contract template, having been reviewed and approved as to form by the Connecticut Attorney General, is exempt from review pursuant to a Memorandum of Agreement between the Connecticut State Colleges and Universities, Board of Regents for Higher Education and the Connecticut Attorney General dated December 30, 2015. Therefore, no signature is required below.

# CONNECTICUT STATE ELECTIONS ENFORCEMENT COMMISSION

## EXHIBIT A - SEEC NOTICE



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### NOTICE TO EXECUTIVE BRANCH STATE CONTRACTORS AND PROSPECTIVE STATE CONTRACTORS OF CAMPAIGN CONTRIBUTION AND SOLICITATION LIMITATIONS

This notice is provided under the authority of Connecticut General Statutes §9-612(g)(2), as amended by P.A. 10-1, and is for the purpose of informing state contractors and prospective state contractors of the following law (*italicized words are defined below*):

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#### CAMPAIGN CONTRIBUTION AND SOLICITATION LIMITATIONS

No *state contractor, prospective state contractor, principal of a state contractor or principal of a prospective state contractor*, with regard to a *state contract* or *state contract solicitation* with or from a state agency in the executive branch or a quasi-public agency or a holder, or principal of a holder of a valid prequalification certificate, shall make a contribution to (i) an exploratory committee or candidate committee established by a candidate for nomination or election to the office of Governor, Lieutenant Governor, Attorney General, State Comptroller, Secretary of the State or State Treasurer, (ii) a political committee authorized to make contributions or expenditures to or for the benefit of such candidates, or (iii) a party committee (which includes town committees).

In addition, no holder or principal of a holder of a valid prequalification certificate, shall make a contribution to (i) an exploratory committee or candidate committee established by a candidate for nomination or election to the office of State senator or State representative, (ii) a political committee authorized to make contributions or expenditures to or for the benefit of such candidates, or (iii) a party committee.

On and after January 1, 2011, no state contractor, prospective state contractor, principal of a state contractor or principal of a prospective state contractor, with regard to a state contract or state contract solicitation with or from a state agency in the executive branch or a quasi-public agency or a holder, or principal of a holder of a valid prequalification certificate, shall **knowingly solicit** contributions from the state contractor's or prospective state contractor's employees or from a *subcontractor* or *principals of the subcontractor* on behalf of (i) an exploratory committee or candidate committee established by a candidate for nomination or election to the office of Governor, Lieutenant Governor, Attorney General, State Comptroller, Secretary of the State or State Treasurer, (ii) a political committee authorized to make contributions or expenditures to or for the benefit of such candidates, or (iii) a party committee.

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#### DUTY TO INFORM

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State contractors and prospective state contractors are required to inform their principals of the above prohibitions, as applicable, and the possible penalties and other consequences of any violation thereof.

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## **PENALTIES FOR VIOLATIONS**

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Contributions or solicitations of contributions made in violation of the above prohibitions may result in the following civil and criminal penalties:

**Civil penalties** - Up to \$2,000 or twice the amount of the prohibited contribution, whichever is greater, against a principal or a contractor. Any state contractor or prospective state contractor which fails to make reasonable efforts to comply with the provisions requiring notice to its principals of these prohibitions and the possible consequences of their violations may also be subject to civil penalties of up to \$2,000 or twice the amount of the prohibited contributions made by their principals.

**Criminal penalties** - Any knowing and willful violation of the prohibition is a Class D felony, which may subject the violator to imprisonment of not more than 5 years, or not more than \$5,000 in fines, or both.

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## **CONTRACT CONSEQUENCES**

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In the case of a state contractor, contributions made or solicited in violation of the above prohibitions may result in the contract being voided.

In the case of a prospective state contractor, contributions made or solicited in violation of the above prohibitions shall result in the contract described in the state contract solicitation not being awarded to the prospective state contractor, unless the State Elections Enforcement Commission determines that mitigating circumstances exist concerning such violation.

The State shall not award any other state contract to anyone found in violation of the above prohibitions for a period of one year after the election for which such contribution is made or solicited, unless the State Elections Enforcement Commission determines that mitigating circumstances exist concerning such violation.

Additional information may be found on the website of the State Elections Enforcement Commission, [www.ct.gov/seec](http://www.ct.gov/seec). Click on the link to “Lobbyist/Contractor Limitations.”

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## **DEFINITIONS**

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“State contractor” means a person, business entity or nonprofit organization that enters into a state

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contract. Such person, business entity or nonprofit organization shall be deemed to be a state contractor until December thirty-first of the year in which such contract terminates. "State contractor" does not include a municipality or any other political subdivision of the state, including any entities or associations duly created by the municipality or political subdivision exclusively amongst themselves to further any purpose authorized by statute or charter, or an employee in the executive or legislative branch of state government or a quasi-public agency, whether in the classified or unclassified service and full or part-time, and only in such person's capacity as a state or quasi-public agency employee.

"Prospective state contractor" means a person, business entity or nonprofit organization that (i) submits a response to a state contract solicitation by the state, a state agency or a quasi-public agency, or a proposal in response to a request for proposals by the state, a state agency or a quasi-public agency, until the contract has been entered into, or (ii) holds a valid prequalification certificate issued by the Commissioner of Administrative Services under section 4a-100. "Prospective state contractor" does not include a municipality or any other political subdivision of the state, including any entities or associations duly created by the municipality or political subdivision exclusively amongst themselves to further any purpose authorized by statute or charter, or an employee in the executive or legislative branch of state government or a quasi-public agency, whether in the classified or unclassified service and full or part-time, and only in such person's capacity as a state or quasi-public agency employee.

"Principal of a state contractor or prospective state contractor" means (i) any individual who is a member of the board of directors of, or has an ownership interest of five per cent or more in, a state contractor or prospective state contractor, which is a business entity, except for an individual who is a member of the board of directors of a nonprofit organization, (ii) an individual who is employed by a state contractor or prospective state contractor, which is a business entity, as president, treasurer or executive vice president, (iii) an individual who is the chief executive officer of a state contractor or prospective state contractor, which is not a business entity, or if a state contractor or prospective state contractor has no such officer, then the officer who duly possesses comparable powers and duties, (iv) an officer or an employee of any state contractor or prospective state contractor who has *managerial or discretionary responsibilities with respect to a state contract*, (v) the spouse or a *dependent child* who is eighteen years of age or older of an individual described in this subparagraph, or (vi) a political committee established or controlled by an individual described in this subparagraph or the business entity or nonprofit organization that is the state contractor or prospective state contractor.

"State contract" means an agreement or contract with the state or any state agency or any quasi-public agency, let through a procurement process or otherwise, having a value of fifty thousand dollars or more, or a combination or series of such agreements or contracts having a value of one hundred thousand dollars or more in a calendar year, for (i) the rendition of services, (ii) the furnishing of any goods, material, supplies, equipment or any items of any kind, (iii) the construction, alteration or repair of any public building or public work, (iv) the acquisition, sale or lease of any land or building, (v) a licensing arrangement, or (vi) a grant, loan or loan guarantee. "State contract" does not include any agreement or contract with the state, any state agency or any quasi-public agency that is exclusively federally funded, an education loan, a loan to an individual for other than commercial purposes or any agreement or contract between the state or any state agency and the United States Department of the Navy or the United States Department of Defense.

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“State contract solicitation” means a request by a state agency or quasi-public agency, in whatever form issued, including, but not limited to, an invitation to bid, request for proposals, request for information or request for quotes, inviting bids, quotes or other types of submittals, through a competitive procurement process or another process authorized by law waiving competitive procurement.

“Managerial or discretionary responsibilities with respect to a state contract” means having direct, extensive and substantive responsibilities with respect to the negotiation of the state contract and not peripheral, clerical or ministerial responsibilities.

“Dependent child” means a child residing in an individual’s household who may legally be claimed as a dependent on the federal income tax of such individual.

“Solicit” means (A) requesting that a contribution be made, (B) participating in any fund-raising activities for a candidate committee, exploratory committee, political committee or party committee, including, but not limited to, forwarding tickets to potential contributors, receiving contributions for transmission to any such committee or bundling contributions, (C) serving as chairperson, treasurer or deputy treasurer of any such committee, or (D) establishing a political committee for the sole purpose of soliciting or receiving contributions for any committee. Solicit does not include: (i) making a contribution that is otherwise permitted by Chapter 155 of the Connecticut General Statutes; (ii) informing any person of a position taken by a candidate for public office or a public official, (iii) notifying the person of any activities of, or contact information for, any candidate for public office; or (iv) serving as a member in any party committee or as an officer of such committee that is not otherwise prohibited in this section.

“Subcontractor” means any person, business entity or nonprofit organization that contracts to perform part or all of the obligations of a state contractor's state contract. Such person, business entity or nonprofit organization shall be deemed to be a subcontractor until December thirty first of the year in which the subcontract terminates. “Subcontractor” does not include (i) a municipality or any other political subdivision of the state, including any entities or associations duly created by the municipality or political subdivision exclusively amongst themselves to further any purpose authorized by statute or charter, or (ii) an employee in the executive or legislative branch of state government or a quasi-public agency, whether in the classified or unclassified service and full or part-time, and only in such person's capacity as a state or quasi-public agency employee.

“Principal of a subcontractor” means (i) any individual who is a member of the board of directors of, or has an ownership interest of five per cent or more in, a subcontractor, which is a business entity, except for an individual who is a member of the board of directors of a nonprofit organization, (ii) an individual who is employed by a subcontractor, which is a business entity, as president, treasurer or executive vice president, (iii) an individual who is the chief executive officer of a subcontractor, which is not a business entity, or if a subcontractor has no such officer, then the officer who duly possesses comparable powers and duties, (iv) an officer or an employee of any subcontractor who has managerial or discretionary responsibilities with respect to a subcontract with a state contractor, (v) the spouse or a dependent child

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who is eighteen years of age or older of an individual described in this subparagraph, or (vi) a political committee established or controlled by an individual described in this subparagraph or the business entity or nonprofit organization that is the subcontractor.

**COMMISSION ON HUMAN RIGHTS AND OPPORTUNITIES  
CONTRACT COMPLIANCE REGULATIONS**

**IMPORTANT**

All bidders are required to file an acknowledgement of receipt of the "NOTIFICATION TO BIDDERS" form with their proposal.

Before a contract award can be made for this project, the successful low bidder will be required to file the following forms, developed by The Commission on Rights and Opportunities pursuant to Connecticut General Statutes Section 4-114a.

1) Contractors Minority Business Enterprises Utilization Form

2) Affidavit (when applicable)

3) CHRO Certificate of Compliance - Pursuant to section 46a-68c of the Connecticut General Statutes, each contractor with fifty or more employees awarded a public works contract in excess of fifty thousand dollars in any fiscal year, but not subject to the provisions of section 46a-68d, shall develop and file with the commission an affirmative action plan which shall comply with regulations adopted by said commission. Failure to develop an approved an approved affirmative action plan pursuant to this section shall act as a bar to bidding on or the award of future contracts until such requirement has been met. When the commission approves an affirmative action plan pursuant to this section, it shall issue a certificate of compliance to the contractor. This certificate shall be prima facie proof of the contractor's eligibility to bid or be awarded contracts for a period of two years from the date of the certificate.

**Form of Proposal - Set Aside Worksheet**

(for \$50k-500k projects)

**Project Number:**

**Project Name:**

	Subcontractor Name	Class of work	SBE	MBE/WBE	Prime Contractor self performing \$
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9	Prime Contractor Total	Bidder is the Prime Contractor			\$
10	SBE Subtotal	Add SBE subcontract amounts from above list and enter total at right			
11	MBE/WBE Subtotal	Add MBE/WBE subcontract amounts from the list and enter total to the right			
12	Lump Sum base bid	Enter total lump sum base bid from bid submittal form			
15	<b>SBE Percentage</b>	Divide line 10 by line 9. Enter % to the right			
16	<b>MBE/WBE Percentage</b>	Divide line 11 by line 10. Enter % to the right.			

In determining and ensuring compliance with CHRO requirements this worksheet must be submit the bid submittal package. Failure to do so shall be grounds for disqualification of the bid. Compliance determination shall initially be based on the base bid sum. However, for bid solicitations requiring of Alternates or Supplemental bids, a revised worksheet shall be required prior to issuance of contract. **The SBE requirement is 100% of the entire bid total with 6.25% to an MBE/WBE** Each bidder shall submit, as part of their proposal, copies of Certificates of Eligibility for each set a subcontractor or "screen shots" from the State of Connecticut Supplier Diversity web site for each set aside subcontractor showing name and address, certification type and certificate expiration date.

Vendor Company Name (Prime Contractor) \_\_\_\_\_

Authorized signature \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

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**COMMISSION ON HUMAN RIGHTS AND OPPORTUNITIES**  
**CONTRACT COMPLIANCE REGULATIONS**  
**NOTIFICATION TO BIDDERS**

(Revised 09/17/07)

The contract to be awarded is subject to contract compliance requirements mandated by Sections 4a-60 and 4a-60a of the Connecticut General Statutes; and, when the awarding agency is the State, Sections 46a-71(d) and 46a-81i(d) of the Connecticut General Statutes. There are Contract Compliance Regulations codified at Section 46a-68j-21 through 43 of the Regulations of Connecticut State Agencies, which establish a procedure for awarding all contracts covered by Sections 4a-60 and 46a-71(d) of the Connecticut General Statutes.

According to Section 46a-68j-30(9) of the Contract Compliance Regulations, every agency awarding a contract subject to the contract compliance requirements has an obligation to "aggressively solicit the participation of legitimate minority business enterprises as bidders, contractors, subcontractors and suppliers of materials." "Minority business enterprise" is defined in Section 4a-60 of the Connecticut General Statutes as a business wherein fifty-one percent or more of the capital stock, or assets belong to a person or persons: "(1) Who are active in daily affairs of the enterprise; (2) who have the power to direct the management and policies of the enterprise; and (3) who are members of a minority, as such term is defined in subsection (a) of Section 32-9n." "Minority" groups are defined in Section 32-9n of the Connecticut General Statutes as "(1) Black Americans . . . (2) Hispanic Americans . . . (3) persons who have origins in the Iberian Peninsula . . . (4) Women . . . (5) Asian Pacific Americans and Pacific Islanders; (6) American Indians . . ." An individual with a disability is also a minority business enterprise as provided by Section 4a-60g of the Connecticut General Statutes. The above definitions apply to the contract compliance requirements by virtue of Section 46a-68j-21(11) of the Contract Compliance Regulations.

The awarding agency will consider the following factors when reviewing the bidder's qualifications under the contract compliance requirements:

- (a) the bidder's success in implementing an affirmative action plan;
- (b) the bidder's success in developing an apprenticeship program complying with Sections 46a-68-1 to 46a-68-17 of the Administrative Regulations of Connecticut State Agencies, inclusive;
- (c) the bidder's promise to develop and implement a successful affirmative action plan;
- (d) the bidder's submission of employment statistics contained in the "Employment Information Form", indicating that the composition of its workforce is at or near parity when compared to the racial and sexual composition of the workforce in the relevant labor market area; and
- (e) the bidder's promise to set aside a portion of the contract for legitimate minority business enterprises. See Section 46a-68j-30(10)(E) of the Contract Compliance Regulations.

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**INSTRUCTIONS AND OTHER INFORMATION**

The following BIDDER CONTRACT COMPLIANCE MONITORING REPORT must be completed in full, signed, and submitted with the bid for this contract. The contract awarding agency and the Commission on Human Rights and Opportunities will use the information contained thereon to determine the bidders compliance to Sections 4a-60 and 4a-60a CONN. GEN. STAT., and Sections 46a-68j-23 of the Regulations of Connecticut State Agencies regarding equal employment opportunity, and the bidder's  good faith efforts to include minority business enterprises as subcontractors and suppliers for the work of the contract.

1) **Definition of Small Contractor**

Section 4a-60g CONN. GEN. STAT. defines a small contractor as a company that has been doing business under the same management and control and has maintained its principal place of business in Connecticut for a one year period immediately prior to its application for certification under this section, had gross revenues not exceeding ten million dollars in the most recently completed fiscal year, and at least fifty-one percent of the ownership of which is held by a person or persons who are active in the daily affairs of the company, and have the power to direct the management and policies of the company, except that a nonprofit corporation shall be construed to be a small contractor if such nonprofit corporation meets the requirements of subparagraphs (A) and (B) of subdivision 4a-60g CONN. GEN. STAT.



**MANAGEMENT:** Managers plan, organize, direct, and control the major functions of an organization through subordinates who are at the managerial or supervisory level. They make policy decisions and set objectives for the company or departments. They are not usually directly involved in production or providing services. Examples include top executives, public relations managers, managers of operations specialties (such as financial, human resources, or purchasing managers), and construction and engineering managers.

**BUSINESS AND FINANCIAL OPERATIONS:** These occupations include managers and professionals who work with the financial aspects of the business. These occupations include accountants and auditors, purchasing agents, management analysts, labor relations specialists, and budget, credit, and financial analysts.

**MARKETING AND SALES:** Occupations related to the act or process of buying and selling products and/or services such as sales engineer, retail sales workers and sales representatives including wholesale.

**LEGAL OCCUPATIONS:** In-House Counsel who is charged with providing legal advice and services in regards to legal issues that may arise during the course of standard business practices. This category also includes assistive legal occupations such as paralegals, legal assistants.

**COMPUTER SPECIALISTS:** Professionals responsible for the computer operations within a company are grouped in this category. Examples of job titles in this category include computer programmers, software engineers, database administrators, computer scientists, systems analysts, and computer support specialists

**ARCHITECTURE AND ENGINEERING:** Occupations related to architecture, surveying, engineering, and drafting are included in this category. Some of the job titles in this category include electrical and electronic engineers, surveyors, architects, drafters, mechanical engineers, materials engineers, mapping technicians, and civil engineers.

**OFFICE AND ADMINISTRATIVE SUPPORT:** All clerical-type work is included in this category. These jobs involve the preparing, transcribing, and preserving of written communications and records; collecting accounts; gathering and distributing information; operating office machines and electronic data processing equipment; and distributing mail. Job titles listed in this category include telephone operators, bill and account collectors, customer service representatives, dispatchers, secretaries and administrative assistants, computer operators and clerks (such as payroll, shipping, stock, mail and file).

**BUILDING AND GROUNDS CLEANING AND MAINTENANCE:** This category includes occupations involving landscaping, housekeeping, and janitorial services. Job titles found in this category include supervisors of landscaping or housekeeping, janitors, maids, grounds maintenance workers, and pest control workers.

**CONSTRUCTION AND EXTRACTION:** This category includes construction trades and related occupations. Job titles found in this category include boilermakers, masons (all types), carpenters, construction laborers, electricians, plumbers (and related trades), roofers, sheet metal workers, elevator installers, hazardous materials removal workers, paperhangers, and painters. Paving, surfacing, and tamping equipment operators; drywall and ceiling tile installers; and carpet, floor and tile installers and finishers are also included in this category. First line supervisors, foremen, and helpers in these trades are also grouped in this category..

**INSTALLATION, MAINTENANCE AND REPAIR:** Occupations involving the installation, maintenance, and repair of equipment are included in this group. Examples of job titles found here are heating, ac, and refrigeration mechanics and installers; telecommunication line installers and repairers; heavy vehicle and mobile equipment service technicians and mechanics; small engine mechanics; security and fire alarm systems installers; electric/electronic repair, industrial, utility and transportation equipment; millwrights; riggers; and manufactured building and mobile home installers. First line supervisors, foremen, and helpers for these jobs are also included in the category.

**MATERIAL MOVING WORKERS:** The job titles included in this group are Crane and tower operators; dredge, excavating, and lading machine operators; hoist and winch operators; industrial truck and tractor operators; cleaners of vehicles and equipment; laborers and freight, stock, and material movers, hand; machine feeders and offbearers; packers and packagers, hand; pumping station operators; refuse and recyclable material collectors; and miscellaneous material moving workers.

**PRODUCTION WORKERS:** The job titles included in this category are chemical production machine setters, operators and tenders; crushing/grinding workers; cutting workers; inspectors, testers sorters, samplers, weighers; precious stone/metal workers; painting workers; cementing/gluing machine operators and tenders; etchers/engravers; molders, shapers and casters except for metal and plastic; and production workers.

3) Definition of Racial and Ethnic Terms (as used in Part IV Bidder Employment Information) (Page 3)

<p><u>White</u> (not of Hispanic Origin)- All persons having origins in any of the original peoples of Europe, North Africa, or the Middle East.</p> <p><u>Black</u>(not of Hispanic Origin)- All persons having origins in any of the Black racial groups of Africa.</p> <p><u>Hispanic</u>- All persons of Mexican, Puerto Rican, Cuban, Central or South American, or other Spanish culture or origin, regardless of race.</p>	<p><u>Asian or Pacific Islander</u>- All persons having origins in any of the original peoples of the Far East, Southeast Asia, the Indian subcontinent, or the Pacific Islands. This area includes China, India, Japan, Korea, the Philippine Islands, and Samoa.</p> <p><u>American Indian or Alaskan Native</u>- All persons having origins in any of the original peoples of North America, and who maintain cultural identification through tribal affiliation or community recognition.</p>
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**BIDDER CONTRACT COMPLIANCE MONITORING REPORT**

**PART I - Bidder Information**

<p>Company Name Street Address City &amp; State Chief Executive</p>	<p>Bidder Federal Employer Identification Number _____ Or Social Security Number _____</p>
<p>Major Business Activity (brief description)</p>	<p>Bidder Identification (response optional/definitions on page 1)</p> <p>-Bidder is a small contractor. Yes__ No__ -Bidder is a minority business enterprise Yes__ No__ (If yes, check ownership category) Black__ Hispanic__ Asian American__ American Indian/Alaskan Native__ Iberian Peninsula__ Individual(s) with a Physical Disability__ Female__</p>
<p>Bidder Parent Company (If any)</p>	<p>- Bidder is certified as above by State of CT Yes__ No__</p>
<p>Other Locations in Ct. (If any)</p>	<p>- DAS Certification Number _____</p>

**PART II - Bidder Nondiscrimination Policies and Procedures**

<p>1. Does your company have a written Affirmative Action/Equal Employment Opportunity statement posted on company bulletin boards? Yes__ No__</p>	<p>7. Do all of your company contracts and purchase orders contain non-discrimination statements as required by Sections 4a-60 &amp; 4a-60a Conn. Gen. Stat.? Yes__ No__</p>
<p>2. Does your company have the state-mandated sexual harassment prevention in the workplace policy posted on company bulletin boards? Yes__ No__</p>	<p>8. Do you, upon request, provide reasonable accommodation to employees, or applicants for employment, who have physical or mental disability? Yes__ No__</p>
<p>3. Do you notify all recruitment sources in writing of your company's Affirmative Action/Equal Employment Opportunity employment policy? Yes__ No__</p>	<p>9. Does your company have a mandatory retirement age for all employees? Yes__ No__</p>
<p>4. Do your company advertisements contain a written statement that you are an Affirmative Action/Equal Opportunity Employer? Yes__ No__</p>	<p>10. If your company has 50 or more employees, have you provided at least two (2) hours of sexual harassment training to all of your supervisors? Yes__ No__ NA__</p>
<p>5. Do you notify the Ct. State Employment Service of all employment openings with your company? Yes__ No__</p>	<p>11. If your company has apprenticeship programs, do they meet the Affirmative Action/Equal Employment Opportunity requirements of the apprenticeship standards of the Ct. Dept. of Labor? Yes__ No__ NA__</p>
<p>6. Does your company have a collective bargaining agreement with workers? Yes__ No__ 6a. If yes, do the collective bargaining agreements contain non-discrimination clauses covering all workers? Yes__ No__ 6b. Have you notified each union in writing of your commitments under the nondiscrimination requirements of contracts with the state of Ct? Yes__ No__</p>	<p>12. Does your company have a written affirmative action Plan? Yes__ No__ If no, please explain.</p> <p>13. Is there a person in your company who is responsible for equal employment opportunity? Yes__ No__ If yes, give name and phone number.</p>

1. Will the work of this contract include subcontractors or suppliers? Yes\_\_ No\_\_

1a. If yes, please list all subcontractors and suppliers and report if they are a small contractor and/or a minority business enterprise. (defined on page 1 / use additional sheet if necessary)

1b. Will the work of this contract require additional subcontractors or suppliers other than those identified in 1a. above?

Yes\_\_ No\_\_

PART IV - Bidder Employment Information

Date:

JOB CATEGORY *	OVERALL TOTALS	WHITE (not of Hispanic origin)		BLACK (not of Hispanic origin)		HISPANIC		ASIAN or PACIFIC ISLANDER		AMERICAN INDIAN or ALASKAN NATIVE	
		Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female	male	female
Management											
Business & Financial Ops											
Marketing & Sales											
Legal Occupations											
Computer Specialists											
Architecture/Engineering											
Office & Admin Support											
Bldg/ Grounds Cleaning/Maintenance											
Construction & Extraction											
Installation , Maintenance & Repair											
Material Moving Workers											
Production Occupations											
TOTALS ABOVE											
Total One Year Ago											
FORMAL ON THE JOB TRAINEES (ENTER FIGURES FOR THE SAME CATEGORIES AS ARE SHOWN ABOVE)											
Apprentices											
Trainees											

\*NOTE: JOB CATEGORIES CAN BE CHANGED OR ADDED TO (EX. SALES CAN BE ADDED OR REPLACE A CATEGORY NOT USED IN YOUR COMPANY)

**PART V - Bidder Hiring and Recruitment Practices**

1. Which of the following recruitment sources are used by you? (Check yes or no, and report percent used)				2. Check (X) any of the below listed requirements that you use as a hiring qualification  (X)		3. Describe below any other practices or actions that you take which show that you hire, train, and promote employees without discrimination
SOURCE	YES	NO	% of applicants provided by source			
State Employment Service					Work Experience	
Private Employment Agencies					Ability to Speak or Write English	
Schools and Colleges					Written Tests	
Newspaper Advertisement					High School Diploma	
Walk Ins					College Degree	
Present Employees					Union Membership	
Labor Organizations					Personal Recommendation	
Minority/Community Organizations					Height or Weight	
Others (please identify)					Car Ownership	
					Arrest Record	
					Wage Garnishments	

Certification (Read this form and check your statements on it CAREFULLY before signing). I certify that the statements made by me on this BIDDER CONTRACT COMPLIANCE MONITORING REPORT are complete and true to the best of my knowledge and belief, and are made in good faith. I understand that if I knowingly make any misstatements of facts, I am subject to be declared in non-compliance with Section 4a-60, 4a-60a, and related sections of the CONN. GEN. STAT.

(Signature)	(Title)	(Date Signed)	(Telephone)
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AMENDMENT NO. 1-A

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1. PREVAILING WAGE RATES

Notwithstanding the amount of the proposal or ECSU's estimated cost for this project, prevailing wages are required on this project, in accordance with the schedule provided in the proposal documents, pursuant to Connecticut General Statutes Section 31-53 (a-f, h), as amended.

2. SET-ASIDE / MINORITY BUSINESS ENTERPRISE PARTICIPATION

This project requires set-aside and minority business enterprise participation as stated in Section 7 (f, g, h, i) on the Project Data Sheet / Proposal Form. The contractor who is selected to perform this state project must file and receive an approved Affirmative Action Plan by the Commission on Human Rights and Opportunities.

This project is subject to the State SET ASIDE goals and **NEW STATUTORY CHANGES TO 4a-60g effective 10/1/13** as it relates to new self- performance and subcontracting requirements.

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Executive Order No. 14: This Agreement is subject to the provisions of Executive Order No. 14 of Governor M. Jodi Rell, promulgated on April 17, 2006. Pursuant to this Executive Order, the Contractor shall use cleaning and/or sanitizing products having properties that minimize potential impacts on human health and the environment, consistent with maintaining clean and sanitary facilities.



## STATE OF CONNECTICUT GIFT AND CAMPAIGN CONTRIBUTION CERTIFICATION

*Written or electronic certification to accompany a State contract with a value of \$50,000 or more in a calendar or fiscal year, pursuant to C.G.S. §§ 4-250 and 4-252(c); Governor M. Jodi Rell's Executive Orders No. 1, Para. 8, and No. 7C, Para. 10; and C.G.S. §9-612(g)(2)*

### INSTRUCTIONS:

Complete all sections of the form. Attach additional pages, if necessary, to provide full disclosure about any lawful campaign contributions made to campaigns of candidates for statewide public office or the General Assembly, as described herein. Sign and date the form, under oath, in the presence of a Commissioner of the Superior Court or Notary Public. Submit the completed form to the awarding State agency at the time of initial contract execution and if there is a change in the information contained in the most recently filed certification, such person shall submit an updated certification either (i) not later than thirty (30) days after the effective date of such change or (ii) upon the submittal of any new bid or proposal for a contract, whichever is earlier. Such person shall also submit an accurate, updated certification not later than fourteen days after the twelve-month anniversary of the most recently filed certification or updated certification.

**CHECK ONE:**     Initial Certification     12 Month Anniversary Update (Multi-year contracts only.)  
                    Updated Certification because of change of information contained in the most recently filed certification or twelve-month anniversary update.

### GIFT CERTIFICATION:

As used in this certification, the following terms have the meaning set forth below:

- 1) "Contract" means that contract between the State of Connecticut (and/or one or more of its agencies or instrumentalities) and the Contractor, attached hereto, or as otherwise described by the awarding State agency below;
- 2) If this is an Initial Certification, "Execution Date" means the date the Contract is fully executed by, and becomes effective between, the parties; if this is a twelve-month anniversary update, "Execution Date" means the date this certification is signed by the Contractor;
- 3) "Contractor" means the person, firm or corporation named as the contractor below;
- 4) "Applicable Public Official or State Employee" means any public official or state employee described in C.G.S. §4-252(c)(1)(i) or (ii);
- 5) "**Gift**" has the same meaning given that term in C.G.S. § 4-250(1);
- 6) "Principals or Key Personnel" means and refers to those principals and key personnel of the Contractor, and its or their agents, as described in C.G.S. §§ 4-250(5) and 4-252(c)(1)(B) and (C).

I, the undersigned, am a Principal or Key Personnel of the person, firm or corporation authorized to execute this certification on behalf of the Contractor. I hereby certify that, no gifts were made by (A) such person, firm, corporation, (B) any principals and key personnel of the person firm or corporation who participate substantially in preparing bids, proposals or negotiating state contracts or (C) any agent of such, firm, corporation, or principals or key personnel who participates substantially in preparing bids, proposals or negotiating state contracts, to (i) any public official or state employee of the state agency or quasi-public agency soliciting bids or proposals for state contracts who participates substantially in the preparation of bid solicitations or request for proposals for state contracts or the negotiation or award of state contracts or (ii) any public official or state employee of any other state agency, who has supervisory or appointing authority over such state agency or quasi-public agency.

I further certify that no Principals or Key Personnel know of any action by the Contractor to circumvent (or which would result in the circumvention of) the above certification regarding **Gifts** by providing for any other Principals, Key Personnel, officials, or employees of the Contractor, or its or their agents, to make a **Gift** to any Applicable Public Official or State Employee. I further certify that the Contractor made the bid or proposal for the Contract without fraud or collusion with any person.



**CAMPAIGN CONTRIBUTION CERTIFICATION:**

I further certify that, on or after December 31, 2006, neither the Contractor nor any of its principals, as defined in C.G.S. § 9-612(g)(1), has made any **campaign contributions** to, or solicited any contributions on behalf of, any exploratory committee, candidate committee, political committee, or party committee established by, or supporting or authorized to support, any candidate for statewide public office, in violation of C.G.S. § 9-612(g)(2)(A). I further certify that **all lawful campaign contributions** that have been made on or after December 31, 2006 by the Contractor or any of its principals, as defined in C.G.S. § 9-612(g)(1), to, or solicited on behalf of, any exploratory committee, candidate committee, political committee, or party committee established by, or supporting or authorized to support any candidates for statewide public office or the General Assembly, are listed below:

**Lawful Campaign Contributions to Candidates for Statewide Public Office:**

<u>Contribution Date</u>	<u>Name of Contributor</u>	<u>Recipient</u>	<u>Value</u>	<u>Description</u>

**Lawful Campaign Contributions to Candidates for the General Assembly:**

<u>Contribution Date</u>	<u>Name of Contributor</u>	<u>Recipient</u>	<u>Value</u>	<u>Description</u>

Sworn as true to the best of my knowledge and belief, subject to the penalties of false statement.

\_\_\_\_\_  
Printed Contractor Name

\_\_\_\_\_  
**Printed Name of Authorized Official**

\_\_\_\_\_  
**Signature of Authorized Official**

Subscribed and acknowledged before me this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 20\_\_\_\_.

\_\_\_\_\_  
**Commissioner of the Superior Court (or Notary Public)**

\_\_\_\_\_  
**My Commission Expires**



## **CAMPAIGN CONTRIBUTION RESTRICTION PROVISION**

1. Campaign Contribution Restrictions. This section (the “CCR Section”) is included here pursuant to Conn. Gen. Stat. § 9-333n and, without limiting its applicability, is made applicable to State Contracts, bid solicitations, request for proposals and prequalification certificates, as the context requires. This CCR Section, without limiting its applicability, is also made applicable to State Agencies, Quasi-public Agencies, the General Assembly, State Contractors, Prospective State Contractors and the holders of valid prequalification certificates, as the context requires.

(a) For purposes of this CCR Section only:

(1) "Quasi-public Agency" means the Connecticut Development Authority, Connecticut Innovations, Incorporated, Connecticut Health and Educational Facilities Authority, Connecticut Higher Education Supplemental Loan Authority, Connecticut Housing Finance Authority, Connecticut Housing Authority, Connecticut Resources Recovery Authority, Connecticut Hazardous Waste Management Service, Capital City Economic Development Authority, Connecticut Lottery Corporation, or as this definition may otherwise be modified by Title 1, Chapter 12 of the Connecticut General Statutes concerning quasi-public agencies.

(2) "State Agency" means any office, department, board, council, commission, institution or other agency in the executive, legislative or judicial branch of State government, or as this definition may otherwise be modified by Title 9, Chapter 150 of the Connecticut General Statutes concerning campaign financing.

(3) "State Contract" means an agreement or contract with the State or any State Agency or any Quasi-public Agency, having a value of fifty thousand dollars or more, or a combination or series of such agreements or contracts having a value of one hundred thousand dollars or more in a fiscal year, for (A) the rendition of personal services, (B) the furnishing of any material, supplies or equipment, (C) the construction, alteration or repair of any public building or public work, (D) the acquisition, sale or lease of any land or building, (E) a licensing arrangement, or (F) a grant, loan or loan guarantee, or as this definition may otherwise be modified by Title 9, Chapter 150 of the Connecticut General Statutes concerning campaign financing.

(4) "State Contractor" means a person, business entity or nonprofit organization that enters into a State Contract. Such person, business entity or nonprofit organization shall be deemed to be a State Contractor until the termination of said contract. "State contractor" does not include a municipality or any other political subdivision of the State or an employee in the executive, legislative or judicial branch of State government or a Quasi-public Agency, whether in the classified or unclassified service and full or part-time, and only in such person's capacity as a State or Quasi-

public Agency employee, or as this definition may otherwise be modified by Title 9, Chapter 150 of the Connecticut General Statutes concerning campaign financing.

(5) "Prospective State Contractor" means a person, business entity or nonprofit organization that (A) submits a bid in response to a bid solicitation by the State, a State Agency or a Quasi-public Agency, or a proposal in response to a request for proposals by the State, a State Agency or a Quasi-public Agency, until the State Contract has been entered into, or (B) holds a valid prequalification certificate issued by the Commissioner of Administrative Services under Section 4a-100 of the Connecticut General Statutes. "Prospective State Contractor" does not include a municipality or any other political subdivision of the State or an employee in the executive, legislative or judicial branch of State government or a Quasi-public Agency, whether in the classified or unclassified service and full or part-time, and only in such person's capacity as a State or Quasi-public Agency employee. Title 9, Chapter 150 of the Connecticut General Statutes concerning campaign financing may modify this definition, which modification shall control.

(6) "Principal of a State Contractor or Prospective State Contractor" (collectively referred to in this CCR Section as "Principal") means (A) an individual who is a member of the board of directors of, or has an ownership interest in, a State Contractor or Prospective State Contractor, which is a business entity, except for an individual who (i) owns less than five per cent of the shares of any such State Contractor or Prospective State Contractor that is a publicly traded corporation, or (ii) is a member of the board of directors of a nonprofit organization qualified under Section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986, or any subsequent corresponding internal revenue code of the United States, as from time to time amended, (B) an individual who is employed by a State Contractor or Prospective State Contractor, which is a business entity, as president, treasurer or executive or senior vice president, (C) an individual who is the chief executive officer of a State Contractor or Prospective State Contractor, which is not a business entity, (D) an employee of any State Contractor or Prospective State Contractor who has managerial or discretionary responsibilities with respect to a State Contract, (E) the spouse or a dependent child of an individual described in this subparagraph, or (F) a political committee established by or on behalf of an individual described in this subparagraph, or as this definition may otherwise be modified by Title 9, Chapter 150 of the Connecticut General Statutes concerning campaign financing.

(b) No State Contractor, Prospective State Contractor or Principal, with regard to a State Contract, bid solicitation or request for proposals with or from a State Agency in the executive branch or a Quasi-public Agency, and no Principal of a holder of a valid prequalification certificate, shall make a contribution to, or solicit contributions on behalf of (1) an exploratory committee or candidate committee established by a candidate for nomination or election to the office of Governor, Lieutenant Governor, Attorney General, State Comptroller, Secretary of the State or State Treasurer, (2) a political committee authorized to make contributions or expenditures to or for the benefit of such candidates, or (3) a party committee.

(c) No State Contractor, Prospective State Contractor or Principal, with regard to a State Contract, bid solicitation or request for proposals with or from the General Assembly, and no Principal of a holder of a valid prequalification certificate, shall make a contribution to, or solicit contributions on behalf of (1) an exploratory committee or candidate committee established by a candidate for nomination or election to the office of State senator or State representative, (2) a political committee authorized to make contributions or expenditures to or for the benefit of such candidates, or (3) a party committee.

(d) If a State Contractor or a Principal of a State Contractor makes or solicits a contribution prohibited under this CCR Section, the contracting State Agency or Quasi-public Agency may void the existing contract with said contractor, and no State Agency or Quasi-public Agency shall award the State Contractor a State Contract or an extension or an amendment to a State Contract for one year after the election for which such contribution is made or solicited.

(e) If a Prospective State Contractor or a Principal of a Prospective State Contractor makes or solicits a contribution prohibited under this CCR Section, no State Agency or Quasi-public Agency shall award the Prospective State Contractor the contract described in the bid solicitation or request for proposals, or any other State Contract for one year after the election for which such contribution is made or solicited.

(f) The chief executive officer of each State Contractor and Prospective State Contractor, or if a State Contractor or Prospective State Contractor has no such officer then the officer who duly possesses and exercises comparable powers and duties, shall certify, in the form of an affidavit executed subject to the penalties of false statement, that: (1) such officer has informed each individual described in subsection (a)(6) of this CCR Section with regard to said State Contractor or Prospective State Contractor concerning the provisions of subsection (b) or (c) of this CCR Section, whichever is applicable, and this subsection (f), (2) no such individual will make or solicit a contribution in violation of the provisions of subsection (b) or (c) of this CCR Section, whichever is applicable, and this subsection (f), and (3) if any such contribution is made or solicited, the State Contractor or Prospective State Contractor, as the context requires, shall not be awarded the contract described in the bid solicitation or request for proposals and shall not be awarded any other State Contract for one year after the election for which such contribution is made or solicited. Such officer shall submit the affidavit to the contracting State Agency or Quasi-public Agency prior to, in the case of an RFP, executing a negotiated contract or prior to, in the case of an ITB, the award and acceptance of a contract. In the case of an application for prequalification to the Connecticut Department of Administrative Services (“DAS”), the application shall not be deemed to be complete until DAS receives the affidavit. The State Contractor or Prospective Contractor shall submit the affidavit on a form which the State Elections Enforcement Commission (“SEEC”) prescribes.

(g) The person executing the affidavit referenced in subsection (f) shall submit to the SEEC a list of Principals in accordance with the requirements set forth on a form that the

SEEC shall have prescribed for this purpose. The complete list of Principals shall be submitted to the SEEC at the same time that the affidavit is submitted to the State Agency, Quasi-public Agency or, in the case of a prequalification application, DAS. Notwithstanding any other provision in any applicable document or instrument, no party to the Contract, or a contract awarded pursuant to a non-competitive procurement, may begin performing in any way until the contracting State Agency or Quasi-public Agency has received the affidavit referenced in subsection (f) and the SEEC has received the Principals list.

(h) Notwithstanding any other provision in the Contract, invitation to bid, request for proposals and prequalification application:

(1) The State Contractor and Prospective State Contractor shall report to the SEEC, on a form which the SEEC prescribes, any changes in Principals occurring from and after the date of the previous Principals list by submitting and delivering such form to the SEEC no later than the fifteenth day of each month following the month when a change in Principals occurs, or the next succeeding business day, whichever is later. If the Contractor or Prospective State Contractor fail to submit and deliver the appropriately completed form by its due date, then the SEEC shall notify the State Agency or Quasi-public Agency and the Contractor of the failure in writing. The State Agency or Quasi-public Agency shall then review all relevant information and determine whether such failure constitutes a breach of this Contract. If the State Agency or Quasi-public Agency determines that a breach of this Contract has occurred, then the State Agency or Quasi-public Agency shall deliver a notice of breach to the Contractor, affording the Contractor an opportunity to cure the breach within ten (10) days from the date that the Contractor receives the notice. The State Agency or Quasi-public Agency may extend the right to cure period if, and continuing so long as, the State Agency or Quasi-public Agency is satisfied that the Contractor is making a good faith effort to cure the breach but the nature of the breach is such that it cannot be cured within the right to cure period. The SEEC may, if it deems it to be appropriate, send to the Contractor electronic reminders of the Contractor's obligation to report changes in Principals. The undertaking of this reminder is permissive and shall not be construed to be a condition precedent to the Contractor's obligation to submit and deliver the form timely.

(2) If the State Agency or Quasi-public Agency determines that the Contractor has breached the Contract by failing to comply with the requirements of this CCR provision, then the State Agency or Quasi-public Agency may, after expiration of the right to cure period, direct all appropriate State entities using the Contract to withhold any payment, in whole or in part, that may be due and owing to the Contractor under this Contract until such time as the Contractor submits and delivers an appropriately completed form to the SEEC.

(3) If the Contractor fails to submit and deliver the Principals list form timely three times in any 12-month period, then the SEEC may recommend to the State Agency or Quasi-public Agency that it take these failures into account for purposes of evaluating

the Contractor's responsibility in future procurements. The SEEC may recommend that the State Agency or Quasi-public Agency make a determination that the Contractor is not responsible.

(4) The Contractor's failure to submit and deliver the Principals list form timely for the third time in any 12-month period shall, upon the SEEC's recommendation, entitle the State Agency or Quasi-public Agency to Cancel the Contract. Accordingly, the third notice of breach to the Contractor from the State Agency or Quasi-public Agency in any 12-month period may include an effective Contract Cancellation date, in which case no further action shall be required of any party to effect the Cancellation of the Contract as of the stated date. If the notice does not set forth an effective Contract Cancellation date, then the State Agency or Quasi-public Agency may Cancel the Contract by giving the Contractor no less than twenty four (24) hours' prior written notice.

(5) Noting the absence of the SEEC's signature on the Contract, the State Agency or Quasi-public Agency represents that the SEEC has previously agreed in writing to assume the rights and responsibilities attaching to the SEEC and set forth in this CCR section. The State Agency or Quasi-public Agency shall provide a copy of that document to the Contractor upon request.



## Notice to Executive Branch State Contractors and Prospective State Contractors of Campaign Contribution and Solicitation Limitations

This notice is provided under the authority of Connecticut General Statutes §9-612 (f) (2) and is for the purpose of informing state contractors and prospective state contractors of the following law (*italicized words are defined on the reverse side of this page*).

### CAMPAIGN CONTRIBUTION AND SOLICITATION LIMITATIONS

No *state contractor, prospective state contractor, principal of a state contractor or principal of a prospective state contractor*, with regard to a *state contract or state contract solicitation* with or from a state agency in the executive branch or a quasi-public agency or a holder, or principal of a holder, of a valid prequalification certificate, shall make a contribution to (i) an exploratory committee or candidate committee established by a candidate for nomination or election to the office of Governor, Lieutenant Governor, Attorney General, State Comptroller, Secretary of the State or State Treasurer, (ii) a political committee authorized to make contributions or expenditures to or for the benefit of such candidates, or (iii) a party committee (which includes town committees).

In addition, no holder or principal of a holder of a valid prequalification certificate, shall make a contribution to (i) an exploratory committee or candidate committee established by a candidate for nomination or election to the office of State senator or State representative, (ii) a political committee authorized to make contributions or expenditures to or for the benefit of such candidates, or (iii) a party committee.

On and after January 1, 2011, no state contractor, prospective state contractor, principal of a state contractor or principal of a prospective state contractor, with regard to a state contract or state contract solicitation with or from a state agency in the executive branch or a quasi-public agency or a holder, or principal of a holder of a valid prequalification certificate, shall **knowingly solicit** contributions from the state contractor's or prospective state contractor's employees or from a *subcontractor or principals of the subcontractor* on behalf of (i) an exploratory committee or candidate committee established by a candidate for nomination or election to the office of Governor, Lieutenant Governor, Attorney General, State Comptroller, Secretary of the State or State Treasurer, (ii) a political committee authorized to make contributions or expenditures to or for the benefit of such candidates, or (iii) a party committee.

### DUTY TO INFORM

State contractors and prospective state contractors are required to inform their principals of the above prohibitions, as applicable, and the possible penalties and other consequences of any violation thereof.

### PENALTIES FOR VIOLATIONS

Contributions or solicitations of contributions made in violation of the above prohibitions may result in the following civil and criminal penalties:

**Civil penalties**—Up to \$2,000 or twice the amount of the prohibited contribution, whichever is greater, against a principal or a contractor. Any state contractor or prospective state contractor which fails to make reasonable efforts to comply with the provisions requiring notice to its principals of these prohibitions and the possible consequences of their violations may also be subject to civil penalties of up to \$2,000 or twice the amount of the prohibited contributions made by their principals.

**Criminal penalties**—Any knowing and willful violation of the prohibition is a Class D felony, which may subject the violator to imprisonment of not more than 5 years, or not more than \$5,000 in fines, or both.

### CONTRACT CONSEQUENCES

In the case of a state contractor, contributions made or solicited in violation of the above prohibitions may result in the contract being voided.

In the case of a prospective state contractor, contributions made or solicited in violation of the above prohibitions shall result in the contract described in the state contract solicitation not being awarded to the prospective state contractor, unless the State Elections Enforcement Commission determines that mitigating circumstances exist concerning such violation.

The State shall not award any other state contract to anyone found in violation of the above prohibitions for a period of one year after the election for which such contribution is made or solicited, unless the State Elections Enforcement Commission determines that mitigating circumstances exist concerning such violation.

Additional information may be found on the website of the State Elections Enforcement Commission, [www.ct.gov/seec](http://www.ct.gov/seec). Click on the link to "Lobbyist/Contractor Limitations."



## DEFINITIONS

"State contractor" means a person, business entity or nonprofit organization that enters into a state contract. Such person, business entity or nonprofit organization shall be deemed to be a state contractor until December thirty-first of the year in which such contract terminates. "State contractor" does not include a municipality or any other political subdivision of the state, including any entities or associations duly created by the municipality or political subdivision exclusively amongst themselves to further any purpose authorized by statute or charter, or an employee in the executive or legislative branch of state government or a quasi-public agency, whether in the classified or unclassified service and full or part-time, and only in such person's capacity as a state or quasi-public agency employee.

"Prospective state contractor" means a person, business entity or nonprofit organization that (i) submits a response to a state contract solicitation by the state, a state agency or a quasi-public agency, or a proposal in response to a request for proposals by the state, a state agency or a quasi-public agency, until the contract has been entered into, or (ii) holds a valid prequalification certificate issued by the Commissioner of Administrative Services under section 4a-100. "Prospective state contractor" does not include a municipality or any other political subdivision of the state, including any entities or associations duly created by the municipality or political subdivision exclusively amongst themselves to further any purpose authorized by statute or charter, or an employee in the executive or legislative branch of state government or a quasi-public agency, whether in the classified or unclassified service and full or part-time, and only in such person's capacity as a state or quasi-public agency employee.

"Principal of a state contractor or prospective state contractor" means (i) any individual who is a member of the board of directors of, or has an ownership interest of five per cent or more in, a state contractor or prospective state contractor, which is a business entity, except for an individual who is a member of the board of directors of a nonprofit organization, (ii) an individual who is employed by a state contractor or prospective state contractor, which is a business entity, as president, treasurer or executive vice president, (iii) an individual who is the chief executive officer of a state contractor or prospective state contractor, which is not a business entity, or if a state contractor or prospective state contractor has no such officer, then the officer who duly possesses comparable powers and duties, (iv) an officer or an employee of any state contractor or prospective state contractor who has *managerial or discretionary responsibilities with respect to a state contract*, (v) the spouse or a *dependent child* who is eighteen years of age or older of an individual described in this subparagraph, or (vi) a political committee established or controlled by an individual described in this subparagraph or the business entity or nonprofit organization that is the state contractor or prospective state contractor.

"State contract" means an agreement or contract with the state or any state agency or any quasi-public agency, let through a procurement process or otherwise, having a value of fifty thousand dollars or more, or a combination or series of such agreements or contracts having a value of one hundred thousand dollars or more in a calendar year, for (i) the rendition of services, (ii) the furnishing of any goods, material, supplies, equipment or any items of any kind, (iii) the construction, alteration or repair of any public building or public work, (iv) the acquisition, sale or lease of any land or building, (v) a licensing arrangement, or (vi) a grant, loan or loan guarantee. "State contract" does not include any agreement or contract with the state, any state agency or any quasi-public agency that is exclusively federally funded, an education loan, a loan to an individual for other than commercial purposes or any agreement or contract between the state or any state agency and the United States Department of the Navy or the United States Department of Defense.

"State contract solicitation" means a request by a state agency or quasi-public agency, in whatever form issued, including, but not limited to, an invitation to bid, request for proposals, request for information or request for quotes, inviting bids, quotes or other types of submittals, through a competitive procurement process or another process authorized by law waiving competitive procurement.

"Managerial or discretionary responsibilities with respect to a state contract" means having direct, extensive and substantive responsibilities with respect to the negotiation of the state contract and not peripheral, clerical or ministerial responsibilities.

"Dependent child" means a child residing in an individual's household who may legally be claimed as a dependent on the federal income tax of such individual.

"Solicit" means (A) requesting that a contribution be made, (B) participating in any fundraising activities for a candidate committee, exploratory committee, political committee or party committee, including, but not limited to, forwarding tickets to potential contributors, receiving contributions for transmission to any such committee, serving on the committee that is hosting a fundraising event, introducing the candidate or making other public remarks at a fundraising event, being honored or otherwise recognized at a fundraising event, or bundling contributions, (C) serving as chairperson, treasurer or deputy treasurer of any such committee, or (D) establishing a political committee for the sole purpose of soliciting or receiving contributions for any committee. Solicit does not include: (i) making a contribution that is otherwise permitted by Chapter 155 of the Connecticut General Statutes; (ii) informing any person of a position taken by a candidate for public office or a public official, (iii) notifying the person of any activities of, or contact information for, any candidate for public office; or (iv) serving as a member in any party committee or as an officer of such committee that is not otherwise prohibited in this section.

"Subcontractor" means any person, business entity or nonprofit organization that contracts to perform part or all of the obligations of a state contractor's state contract. Such person, business entity or nonprofit organization shall be deemed to be a subcontractor until December thirty first of the year in which the subcontract terminates. "Subcontractor" does not include (i) a municipality or any other political subdivision of the state, including any entities or associations duly created by the municipality or political subdivision exclusively amongst themselves to further any purpose authorized by statute or charter, or (ii) an employee in the executive or legislative branch of state government or a quasi-public agency, whether in the classified or unclassified service and full or part-time, and only in such person's capacity as a state or quasi-public agency employee.

"Principal of a subcontractor" means (i) any individual who is a member of the board of directors of, or has an ownership interest of five per cent or more in, a subcontractor, which is a business entity, except for an individual who is a member of the board of directors of a nonprofit organization, (ii) an individual who is employed by a subcontractor, which is a business entity, as president, treasurer or executive vice president, (iii) an individual who is the chief executive officer of a subcontractor, which is not a business entity, or if a subcontractor has no such officer, then the officer who duly possesses comparable powers and duties, (iv) an officer or an employee of any subcontractor who has managerial or discretionary responsibilities with respect to a subcontract with a state contractor, (v) the spouse or a dependent child who is eighteen years of age or older of an individual described in this subparagraph, or (vi) a political committee established or controlled by an individual described in this subparagraph or the business entity or nonprofit organization that is the subcontractor.





STATE OF CONNECTICUT
CONSULTING AGREEMENT AFFIDAVIT

Affidavit to accompany a bid or proposal for the purchase of goods and services with a value of \$50,000 or more in a calendar or fiscal year, pursuant to Connecticut General Statutes §§ 4a-81(a) and 4a-81(b). For sole source or no bid contracts the form is submitted at time of contract execution.

INSTRUCTIONS:

If the bidder or vendor has entered into a consulting agreement, as defined by Connecticut General Statutes § 4a-81(b)(1): Complete all sections of the form. If the bidder or contractor has entered into more than one such consulting agreement, use a separate form for each agreement. Sign and date the form in the presence of a Commissioner of the Superior Court or Notary Public. If the bidder or contractor has not entered into a consulting agreement, as defined by Connecticut General Statutes § 4a-81(b)(1): Complete only the shaded section of the form. Sign and date the form in the presence of a Commissioner of the Superior Court or Notary Public.

Submit completed form to the awarding State agency with bid or proposal. For a sole source award, submit completed form to the awarding State agency at the time of contract execution.

This affidavit must be amended if there is any change in the information contained in the most recently filed affidavit not later than (i) thirty days after the effective date of any such change or (ii) upon the submittal of any new bid or proposal, whichever is earlier.

AFFIDAVIT: [Number of Affidavits Sworn and Subscribed On This Day: \_\_\_\_\_]

I, the undersigned, hereby swear that I am a principal or key personnel of the bidder or contractor awarded a contract, as described in Connecticut General Statutes § 4a-81(b), or that I am the individual awarded such a contract who is authorized to execute such contract. I further swear that I have not entered into any consulting agreement in connection with such contract, except for the agreement listed below:

Form fields for Consultant's Name and Title, Name of Firm (if applicable), Start Date, End Date, Cost, and Description of Services Provided.

Is the consultant a former State employee or former public official? [ ] YES [ ] NO

If YES: Name of Former State Agency, Termination Date of Employment

Sworn as true to the best of my knowledge and belief, subject to the penalties of false statement. Shaded area containing signature and date fields for Bidder/Contractor and Awarding State Agency.

Sworn and subscribed before me on this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 20\_\_\_\_.

Commissioner of the Superior Court or Notary Public

My Commission Expires

## **Non-discrimination.**

- (a) For purposes of this Section, the following terms are defined as follows:
- (1) “Commission” means the Commission on Human Rights and Opportunities;
  - (2) “Contract” and “contract” include any extension or modification of the Contract or contract;
  - (3) “Contractor” and “contractor” include any successors or assigns of the Contractor or contractor;
  - (4) “Gender identity or expression” means a person’s gender-related identity, appearance or behavior, whether or not that gender-related identity, appearance or behavior is different from that traditionally associated with the person’s physiology or assigned sex at birth, which gender-related identity can be shown by providing evidence including, but not limited to, medical history, care or treatment of the gender-related identity, consistent and uniform assertion of the gender-related identity or any other evidence that the gender-related identity is sincerely held, part of a person’s core identity or not being asserted for an improper purpose.
  - (5) “good faith” means that degree of diligence which a reasonable person would exercise in the performance of legal duties and obligations;
  - (6) “good faith efforts” shall include, but not be limited to, those reasonable initial efforts necessary to comply with statutory or regulatory requirements and additional or substituted efforts when it is determined that such initial efforts will not be sufficient to comply with such requirements;
  - (7) “marital status” means being single, married as recognized by the State of Connecticut, widowed, separated or divorced;
  - (8) “mental disability” means one or more mental disorders, as defined in the most recent edition of the American Psychiatric Association’s “Diagnostic and Statistical Manual of Mental Disorders”, or a record of or regarding a person as having one or more such disorders;
  - (9) “minority business enterprise” means any small contractor or supplier of materials fifty-one percent or more of the capital stock, if any, or assets of which is owned by a person or persons: (1) who are active in the daily affairs of the enterprise, (2) who have the power to direct the management and policies of the enterprise, and (3) who are members of a minority, as such term is defined in subsection (a) of C.G.S. § 32-9n; and
  - (10) “public works contract” means any agreement between any individual, firm or corporation and the State or any political subdivision of the State other than a municipality for construction, rehabilitation, conversion, extension, demolition or repair of a public building, highway or other changes or improvements in real property, or which is financed in whole or in part by the State, including, but not limited to, matching expenditures, grants, loans, insurance or guarantees.

For purposes of this Section, the terms “Contract” and “contract” do not include a contract where each contractor is (1) a political subdivision of the state, including, but not limited to, a municipality, unless the contract is a municipal public works contract or quasi-public agency project contract, (2) any other state, including but not limited to any federally recognized Indian tribal governments, as defined in C.G.S. § 1-267, (3) the federal government, (4) a foreign government, or (5) an agency of a subdivision, state or government described in the immediately preceding enumerated items (1), (2), (3), or (4).

- (b) (1) The Contractor agrees and warrants that in the performance of the Contract such Contractor will not discriminate or permit discrimination against any person or group of persons on the

grounds of race, color, religious creed, age, marital status, national origin, ancestry, sex, gender identity or expression, status as a veteran, intellectual disability, mental disability or physical disability, including, but not limited to, blindness, unless it is shown by such Contractor that such disability prevents performance of the work involved, in any manner prohibited by the laws of the United States or of the State of Connecticut; and the Contractor further agrees to take affirmative action to ensure that applicants with job-related qualifications are employed and that employees are treated when employed without regard to their race, color, religious creed, age, marital status, national origin, ancestry, sex, gender identity or expression, status as a veteran, intellectual disability, mental disability or physical disability, including, but not limited to, blindness, unless it is shown by the Contractor that such disability prevents performance of the work involved; (2) the Contractor agrees, in all solicitations or advertisements for employees placed by or on behalf of the Contractor, to state that it is an “affirmative action-equal opportunity employer” in accordance with regulations adopted by the Commission; (3) the Contractor agrees to provide each labor union or representative of workers with which the Contractor has a collective bargaining Agreement or other contract or understanding and each vendor with which the Contractor has a contract or understanding, a notice to be provided by the Commission, advising the labor union or workers’ representative of the Contractor’s commitments under this section and to post copies of the notice in conspicuous places available to employees and applicants for employment; (4) the Contractor agrees to comply with each provision of this Section and C.G.S. §§ 46a-68e and 46a-68f and with each regulation or relevant order issued by said Commission pursuant to C.G.S. §§ 46a-56, 46a-68e, 46a-68f and 46a-86; and (5) the Contractor agrees to provide the Commission on Human Rights and Opportunities with such information requested by the Commission, and permit access to pertinent books, records and accounts, concerning the employment practices and procedures of the Contractor as relate to the provisions of this Section and C.G.S. § 46a-56. If the contract is a public works contract, municipal public works contract or contract for a quasi-public agency project, the Contractor agrees and warrants that he or she will make good faith efforts to employ minority business enterprises as subcontractors and suppliers of materials on such public works or quasi-public agency projects.

- (c) Determination of the Contractor’s good faith efforts shall include, but shall not be limited to, the following factors: The Contractor’s employment and subcontracting policies, patterns and practices; affirmative advertising, recruitment and training; technical assistance activities and such other reasonable activities or efforts as the Commission may prescribe that are designed to ensure the participation of minority business enterprises in public works projects.
- (d) The Contractor shall develop and maintain adequate documentation, in a manner prescribed by the Commission, of its good faith efforts.
- (e) The Contractor shall include the provisions of subsection (b) of this Section in every subcontract or purchase order entered into in order to fulfill any obligation of a contract with the State and in every subcontract entered into in order to fulfill any obligation of a municipal public works contract for a quasi-public agency project, and such provisions shall be binding on a subcontractor, vendor or manufacturer unless exempted by regulations or orders of the Commission. The Contractor shall take such action with respect to any such subcontract or purchase order as the Commission may direct as a means of enforcing such provisions including sanctions for noncompliance in accordance with C.G.S. § 46a-56, as amended; provided if such Contractor becomes involved in, or is threatened with, litigation with a subcontractor or vendor as a result of such direction by the Commission regarding a State contract, the Contractor may request the State of Connecticut to enter into any such litigation or negotiation prior thereto to protect the interests of the State and the State may so enter.

- (f) The Contractor agrees to comply with the regulations referred to in this Section as they exist on the date of this Contract and as they may be adopted or amended from time to time during the term of this Contract and any amendments thereto.
- (g) (1) The Contractor agrees and warrants that in the performance of the Contract such Contractor will not discriminate or permit discrimination against any person or group of persons on the grounds of sexual orientation, in any manner prohibited by the laws of the United States or the State of Connecticut, and that employees are treated when employed without regard to their sexual orientation; (2) the Contractor agrees to provide each labor union or representative of workers with which such Contractor has a collective bargaining Agreement or other contract or understanding and each vendor with which such Contractor has a contract or understanding, a notice to be provided by the Commission on Human Rights and Opportunities advising the labor union or workers' representative of the Contractor's commitments under this section, and to post copies of the notice in conspicuous places available to employees and applicants for employment; (3) the Contractor agrees to comply with each provision of this section and with each regulation or relevant order issued by said Commission pursuant to C.G.S. § 46a-56; and (4) the Contractor agrees to provide the Commission on Human Rights and Opportunities with such information requested by the Commission, and permit access to pertinent books, records and accounts, concerning the employment practices and procedures of the Contractor which relate to the provisions of this Section and C.G.S. § 46a-56.
- (h) The Contractor shall include the provisions of the foregoing paragraph in every subcontract or purchase order entered into in order to fulfill any obligation of a contract with the State and such provisions shall be binding on a subcontractor, vendor or manufacturer unless exempted by regulations or orders of the Commission. The Contractor shall take such action with respect to any such subcontract or purchase order as the Commission may direct as a means of enforcing such provisions including sanctions for noncompliance in accordance with C.G.S. § 46a-56 as amended; provided, if such Contractor becomes involved in, or is threatened with, litigation with a subcontractor or vendor as a result of such direction by the Commission regarding a State contract, the Contractor may request the State of Connecticut to enter into any such litigation or negotiation prior thereto to protect the interests of the State and the State may so enter.

# Office of Policy and Management

REQUIRED FOR ALL CONTRACT TYPES

## Nondiscrimination Certification

Effective Date: June 30, 2009



Form A Representation By Individual



Form D New Resolution By Entity



Form B Representation By Entity



Form E Prior Resolution By Entity



Form C Affidavit By Entity

### DESCRIPTION

The Office of the Attorney General has approved the above nondiscrimination certification forms to assist executive branch agencies in complying with the State's contracting requirements under Connecticut General Statutes §§ 4a-60(a)(1) and 4a-60a(a)(1), as amended.

By law, a contractor must provide an awarding State agency with *written representation or documentation* that certifies the contractor complies with the State's nondiscrimination agreements and warranties.

***A nondiscrimination certification is required for all State contracts – regardless of type, term, cost, or value. The appropriate form must be submitted to the awarding State agency prior to contract execution. \*\*See list of exempt entities (below).\*\****

### FORMS & DESCRIPTIONS

There are five different certification forms. Form A is *always* used for contracts with an individual who is not an entity, regardless of the contract value. Form B is *always* used for contracts with an entity when the contract value is less than \$50,000. Form C is *recommended* for contracts valued at \$50,000 or more with an entity. If Form C is not used, either Form D or E must be used; both require a resolution (new or prior).

<b>For Use By:</b>	<b>Value Less Than \$50,000</b>	<b>Value \$50,000 or More</b>
<b>Individual</b>	<b>Form A</b> <i>Representation</i>	
<b>Entity</b>	<b>Form B</b> <i>Representation</i>	<b>Form C</b> <i>Affidavit</i>
		<b>Form D</b> <i>New Resolution</i>
		<b>Form E</b> <i>Prior Resolution</i>

#### Definitions

- *individual*: a person who is not an entity
- *entity*: corporation, limited liability company, or partnership

## EXPLANATION OF FORMS

**Form A. Representation:** For use by an individual when entering into any contract, regardless of contract value.

**Form B. Representation:** For use by an entity when entering into any contract valued at less than \$50,000 for any year of the contract.

**Form C. Affidavit:** (Recommended) For use by an entity when entering into any contract valued at \$50,000 or more for any year of the contract **and** the entity certifies through an affidavit that a complying nondiscrimination policy is currently in place.

**Form D. New Resolution:** For use by a entity when entering into any contract valued at \$50,000 or more for any year of the contract **and** the entity has a complying nondiscrimination policy adopted by a new resolution of the board of directors, shareholders, managers, members, or other governing body.

**Form E. Prior Resolution:** For use by a entity when entering into any contract valued at \$50,000 or more for any year of the contract **and** the entity has a complying nondiscrimination policy adopted by a prior resolution of the board of directors, shareholders, managers, members, or other governing body.

## EXEMPTIONS

The entities listed below are exempt and, therefore, not required to submit a nondiscrimination certification form when entering into a contract with the State:

1. political subdivisions of the State of Connecticut, including, but not limited to municipalities;
2. quasi-public agencies, as defined in C.G.S. § 1-120;
3. other states of the United States, including, but not limited to, the District of Columbia, Puerto Rico, U.S. territories and possessions, and federally recognized Indian tribal governments, as defined in C.G.S. § 1-267;
4. the federal government;
5. foreign governments; and
6. an agency of a subdivision, agency, state or government listed in items 1-5.

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## For Further Information, Contact:

Please direct any questions about the nondiscrimination certification forms to the Commission on Human Rights and Opportunities:

Tel. 860/ 541-3400  
Connecticut Toll Free Tel. 1-800/ 477-5737

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**STATE OF CONNECTICUT**  
**NONDISCRIMINATION CERTIFICATION – Representation**  
**By Entity**  
**For Contracts Valued at Less Than \$50,000**

*Written representation that complies with the nondiscrimination agreements and warranties under Connecticut General Statutes §§ 4a-60(a)(1) and 4a-60a(a)(1), as amended*

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**INSTRUCTIONS:**

For use by an entity (corporation, limited liability company, or partnership) when entering into any contract type with the State of Connecticut valued at less than \$50,000 for each year of the contract. Complete all sections of the form. Submit to the awarding State agency prior to contract execution.

**REPRESENTATION OF AN ENTITY:**

I, \_\_\_\_\_, \_\_\_\_\_, of \_\_\_\_\_,  
Authorized Signatory Title Name of Entity

an entity duly formed and existing under the laws of \_\_\_\_\_,  
Name of State or Commonwealth

represent that I am authorized to execute and deliver this representation on behalf of

\_\_\_\_\_ and that \_\_\_\_\_  
Name of Entity Name of Entity

has a policy in place that complies with the nondiscrimination agreements and warranties of Connecticut General Statutes §§ 4a-60(a)(1) and 4a-60a(a)(1), as amended.

\_\_\_\_\_  
Authorized Signatory Date

\_\_\_\_\_  
Printed Name







**STATE OF CONNECTICUT**  
**NONDISCRIMINATION CERTIFICATION – New Resolution**  
**By Entity**  
**For Contracts Valued at \$50,000 or More**

*Documentation in the form of a corporate, company, or partnership policy adopted by resolution of the board of directors, shareholders, managers, members or other governing body of a contractor that certifies the contractor complies with the nondiscrimination agreements and warranties under Connecticut General Statutes §§ 4a-60(a)(1) and 4a-60a(a)(1), as amended*

**INSTRUCTIONS:**

For use by an entity (corporation, limited liability company, or partnership) when entering into any contract type with the State of Connecticut valued at \$50,000 or more for any year of the contract. Complete all sections of the form. Submit to the awarding State agency prior to contract execution.

**CERTIFICATION OF RESOLUTION:**

I, \_\_\_\_\_ , \_\_\_\_\_ , of \_\_\_\_\_ ,  
Authorized Signatory Title Name of Entity

an entity duly formed and existing under the laws of \_\_\_\_\_ ,  
Name of State or Commonwealth

certify that the following is a true and correct copy of a resolution adopted on the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_ , 20\_\_\_\_\_ by the governing body of \_\_\_\_\_ ,  
Name of Entity

in accordance with all of its documents of governance and management and the laws of \_\_\_\_\_ , and further certify that such resolution has not been modified  
Name of State or Commonwealth

or revoked, and is in full force and effect.

RESOLVED: That the policies of \_\_\_\_\_ comply with the  
Name of Entity  
nondiscrimination agreements and warranties of Connecticut General Statutes  
§§ 4a-60(a)(1) and 4a-60a(a)(1), as amended.

The undersigned has executed this certificate this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_ , 20\_\_\_\_\_ .

\_\_\_\_\_  
Authorized Signatory Date

\_\_\_\_\_  
Printed Name



**STATE OF CONNECTICUT**  
**NONDISCRIMINATION CERTIFICATION – Prior Resolution**  
**By Entity**  
**For Contracts Valued at \$50,000 or More**

*Documentation in the form of a corporate, company, or partnership policy adopted by a prior resolution of the board of directors, shareholders, managers, members or other governing body of a contractor that certifies the contractor complies with the nondiscrimination agreements and warranties under Connecticut General Statutes §§ 4a-60(a)(1) and 4a-60a(a)(1), as amended*

**INSTRUCTIONS:**

For use by an entity (corporation, limited liability company, or partnership) when entering into any contract type with the State of Connecticut valued at \$50,000 or more for any year of the contract. Complete all sections of the form. Attach copy of previously adopted resolution (*State of CT, Nondiscrimination Certification, Form D: New Resolution*). Submit all documentation to the awarding State agency prior to contract execution.

**CERTIFICATION OF PRIOR RESOLUTION:**

I, the undersigned, am a duly authorized corporate officer or member of \_\_\_\_\_  
Name of Entity

I have reviewed the attached prior resolution. I certify that:

- (1) the attached prior resolution complies with the nondiscrimination agreements and warranties of Connecticut General Statutes §§ 4a-60(a)(1) and 4a-60a(a)(1), as amended; and
- (2) the prior resolution remains in full force and effect on the date this documentation is submitted to the awarding State agency.

\_\_\_\_\_  
Authorized Signatory Title

\_\_\_\_\_  
Printed Name Date

**RESERVED FOR STATE USE**

I, the undersigned head of the awarding State agency, or designee, certify that the attached prior resolution complies with the nondiscrimination agreements and warranties of Connecticut General Statutes §§ 4a-60(a)(1) and 4a-60a(a)(1), as amended.

\_\_\_\_\_  
Signature of Agency Head (or designee) Date

\_\_\_\_\_  
Awarding State Agency





By signing the filled-out form, you:

1. Certify that the TIN you are giving is correct (or you are waiting for a number to be issued),
2. Certify that you are not subject to backup withholding, or
3. Claim exemption from backup withholding if you are a U.S. exempt payee. If applicable, you are also certifying that as a U.S. person, your allocable share of any partnership income from a U.S. trade or business is not subject to the withholding tax on foreign partners' share of effectively connected income, and
4. Certify that FATCA code(s) entered on this form (if any) indicating that you are exempt from the FATCA reporting, is correct. See *What is FATCA reporting*, later, for further information.

**Note:** If you are a U.S. person and a requester gives you a form other than Form W-9 to request your TIN, you must use the requester's form if it is substantially similar to this Form W-9.

**Definition of a U.S. person.** For federal tax purposes, you are considered a U.S. person if you are:

- An individual who is a U.S. citizen or U.S. resident alien;
- A partnership, corporation, company, or association created or organized in the United States or under the laws of the United States;
- An estate (other than a foreign estate); or
- A domestic trust (as defined in Regulations section 301.7701-7).

**Special rules for partnerships.** Partnerships that conduct a trade or business in the United States are generally required to pay a withholding tax under section 1446 on any foreign partners' share of effectively connected taxable income from such business. Further, in certain cases where a Form W-9 has not been received, the rules under section 1446 require a partnership to presume that a partner is a foreign person, and pay the section 1446 withholding tax. Therefore, if you are a U.S. person that is a partner in a partnership conducting a trade or business in the United States, provide Form W-9 to the partnership to establish your U.S. status and avoid section 1446 withholding on your share of partnership income.

In the cases below, the following person must give Form W-9 to the partnership for purposes of establishing its U.S. status and avoiding withholding on its allocable share of net income from the partnership conducting a trade or business in the United States.

- In the case of a disregarded entity with a U.S. owner, the U.S. owner of the disregarded entity and not the entity;
- In the case of a grantor trust with a U.S. grantor or other U.S. owner, generally, the U.S. grantor or other U.S. owner of the grantor trust and not the trust; and
- In the case of a U.S. trust (other than a grantor trust), the U.S. trust (other than a grantor trust) and not the beneficiaries of the trust.

**Foreign person.** If you are a foreign person or the U.S. branch of a foreign bank that has elected to be treated as a U.S. person, do not use Form W-9. Instead, use the appropriate Form W-8 or Form 8233 (see Pub. 515, *Withholding of Tax on Nonresident Aliens and Foreign Entities*).

**Nonresident alien who becomes a resident alien.** Generally, only a nonresident alien individual may use the terms of a tax treaty to reduce or eliminate U.S. tax on certain types of income. However, most tax treaties contain a provision known as a "saving clause." Exceptions specified in the saving clause may permit an exemption from tax to continue for certain types of income even after the payee has otherwise become a U.S. resident alien for tax purposes.

If you are a U.S. resident alien who is relying on an exception contained in the saving clause of a tax treaty to claim an exemption from U.S. tax on certain types of income, you must attach a statement to Form W-9 that specifies the following five items.

1. The treaty country. Generally, this must be the same treaty under which you claimed exemption from tax as a nonresident alien.
2. The treaty article addressing the income.
3. The article number (or location) in the tax treaty that contains the saving clause and its exceptions.
4. The type and amount of income that qualifies for the exemption from tax.
5. Sufficient facts to justify the exemption from tax under the terms of the treaty article.

**Example.** Article 20 of the U.S.-China income tax treaty allows an exemption from tax for scholarship income received by a Chinese student temporarily present in the United States. Under U.S. law, this student will become a resident alien for tax purposes if his or her stay in the United States exceeds 5 calendar years. However, paragraph 2 of the first Protocol to the U.S.-China treaty (dated April 30, 1984) allows the provisions of Article 20 to continue to apply even after the Chinese student becomes a resident alien of the United States. A Chinese student who qualifies for this exception (under paragraph 2 of the first protocol) and is relying on this exception to claim an exemption from tax on his or her scholarship or fellowship income would attach to Form W-9 a statement that includes the information described above to support that exemption.

If you are a nonresident alien or a foreign entity, give the requester the appropriate completed Form W-8 or Form 8233.

## Backup Withholding

**What is backup withholding?** Persons making certain payments to you must under certain conditions withhold and pay to the IRS 28% of such payments. This is called "backup withholding." Payments that may be subject to backup withholding include interest, tax-exempt interest, dividends, broker and barter exchange transactions, rents, royalties, nonemployee pay, payments made in settlement of payment card and third party network transactions, and certain payments from fishing boat operators. Real estate transactions are not subject to backup withholding.

You will not be subject to backup withholding on payments you receive if you give the requester your correct TIN, make the proper certifications, and report all your taxable interest and dividends on your tax return.

**Payments you receive will be subject to backup withholding if:**

1. You do not furnish your TIN to the requester,
2. You do not certify your TIN when required (see the instructions for Part II for details),
3. The IRS tells the requester that you furnished an incorrect TIN,
4. The IRS tells you that you are subject to backup withholding because you did not report all your interest and dividends on your tax return (for reportable interest and dividends only), or
5. You do not certify to the requester that you are not subject to backup withholding under 4 above (for reportable interest and dividend accounts opened after 1983 only).

Certain payees and payments are exempt from backup withholding. See *Exempt payee code*, later, and the separate Instructions for the Requester of Form W-9 for more information.

Also see *Special rules for partnerships*, earlier.

## What is FATCA Reporting?

The Foreign Account Tax Compliance Act (FATCA) requires a participating foreign financial institution to report all United States account holders that are specified United States persons. Certain payees are exempt from FATCA reporting. See *Exemption from FATCA reporting code*, later, and the Instructions for the Requester of Form W-9 for more information.

## Updating Your Information

You must provide updated information to any person to whom you claimed to be an exempt payee if you are no longer an exempt payee and anticipate receiving reportable payments in the future from this person. For example, you may need to provide updated information if you are a C corporation that elects to be an S corporation, or if you no longer are tax exempt. In addition, you must furnish a new Form W-9 if the name or TIN changes for the account; for example, if the grantor of a grantor trust dies.

## Penalties

**Failure to furnish TIN.** If you fail to furnish your correct TIN to a requester, you are subject to a penalty of \$50 for each such failure unless your failure is due to reasonable cause and not to willful neglect.

**Civil penalty for false information with respect to withholding.** If you make a false statement with no reasonable basis that results in no backup withholding, you are subject to a \$500 penalty.

**Criminal penalty for falsifying information.** Willfully falsifying certifications or affirmations may subject you to criminal penalties including fines and/or imprisonment.

**Misuse of TINs.** If the requester discloses or uses TINs in violation of federal law, the requester may be subject to civil and criminal penalties.

## Specific Instructions

### Line 1

You must enter one of the following on this line; **do not** leave this line blank. The name should match the name on your tax return.

If this Form W-9 is for a joint account (other than an account maintained by a foreign financial institution (FFI)), list first, and then circle, the name of the person or entity whose number you entered in Part I of Form W-9. If you are providing Form W-9 to an FFI to document a joint account, each holder of the account that is a U.S. person must provide a Form W-9.

a. **Individual.** Generally, enter the name shown on your tax return. If you have changed your last name without informing the Social Security Administration (SSA) of the name change, enter your first name, the last name as shown on your social security card, and your new last name.

**Note: ITIN applicant:** Enter your individual name as it was entered on your Form W-7 application, line 1a. This should also be the same as the name you entered on the Form 1040/1040A/1040EZ you filed with your application.

b. **Sole proprietor or single-member LLC.** Enter your individual name as shown on your 1040/1040A/1040EZ on line 1. You may enter your business, trade, or “doing business as” (DBA) name on line 2.

c. **Partnership, LLC that is not a single-member LLC, C corporation, or S corporation.** Enter the entity’s name as shown on the entity’s tax return on line 1 and any business, trade, or DBA name on line 2.

d. **Other entities.** Enter your name as shown on required U.S. federal tax documents on line 1. This name should match the name shown on the charter or other legal document creating the entity. You may enter any business, trade, or DBA name on line 2.

e. **Disregarded entity.** For U.S. federal tax purposes, an entity that is disregarded as an entity separate from its owner is treated as a “disregarded entity.” See Regulations section 301.7701-2(c)(2)(iii). Enter the owner’s name on line 1. The name of the entity entered on line 1 should never be a disregarded entity. The name on line 1 should be the name shown on the income tax return on which the income should be reported. For example, if a foreign LLC that is treated as a disregarded entity for U.S. federal tax purposes has a single owner that is a U.S. person, the U.S. owner’s name is required to be provided on line 1. If the direct owner of the entity is also a disregarded entity, enter the first owner that is not disregarded for federal tax purposes. Enter the disregarded entity’s name on line 2, “Business name/disregarded entity name.” If the owner of the disregarded entity is a foreign person, the owner must complete an appropriate Form W-8 instead of a Form W-9. This is the case even if the foreign person has a U.S. TIN.

### Line 2

If you have a business name, trade name, DBA name, or disregarded entity name, you may enter it on line 2.

### Line 3

Check the appropriate box on line 3 for the U.S. federal tax classification of the person whose name is entered on line 1. Check only one box on line 3.

IF the entity/person on line 1 is a(n) . . .	THEN check the box for . . .
• Corporation	Corporation
• Individual • Sole proprietorship, or • Single-member limited liability company (LLC) owned by an individual and disregarded for U.S. federal tax purposes.	Individual/sole proprietor or single-member LLC
• LLC treated as a partnership for U.S. federal tax purposes, • LLC that has filed Form 8832 or 2553 to be taxed as a corporation, or • LLC that is disregarded as an entity separate from its owner but the owner is another LLC that is not disregarded for U.S. federal tax purposes.	Limited liability company and enter the appropriate tax classification. (P= Partnership; C= C corporation; or S= S corporation)
• Partnership	Partnership
• Trust/estate	Trust/estate

### Line 4, Exemptions

If you are exempt from backup withholding and/or FATCA reporting, enter in the appropriate space on line 4 any code(s) that may apply to you.

#### Exempt payee code.

- Generally, individuals (including sole proprietors) are not exempt from backup withholding.
- Except as provided below, corporations are exempt from backup withholding for certain payments, including interest and dividends.
- Corporations are not exempt from backup withholding for payments made in settlement of payment card or third party network transactions.
- Corporations are not exempt from backup withholding with respect to attorneys’ fees or gross proceeds paid to attorneys, and corporations that provide medical or health care services are not exempt with respect to payments reportable on Form 1099-MISC.

The following codes identify payees that are exempt from backup withholding. Enter the appropriate code in the space in line 4.

- 1—An organization exempt from tax under section 501(a), any IRA, or a custodial account under section 403(b)(7) if the account satisfies the requirements of section 401(f)(2)
- 2—The United States or any of its agencies or instrumentalities
- 3—A state, the District of Columbia, a U.S. commonwealth or possession, or any of their political subdivisions or instrumentalities
- 4—A foreign government or any of its political subdivisions, agencies, or instrumentalities
- 5—A corporation
- 6—A dealer in securities or commodities required to register in the United States, the District of Columbia, or a U.S. commonwealth or possession
- 7—A futures commission merchant registered with the Commodity Futures Trading Commission
- 8—A real estate investment trust
- 9—An entity registered at all times during the tax year under the Investment Company Act of 1940
- 10—A common trust fund operated by a bank under section 584(a)
- 11—A financial institution
- 12—A middleman known in the investment community as a nominee or custodian
- 13—A trust exempt from tax under section 664 or described in section 4947

The following chart shows types of payments that may be exempt from backup withholding. The chart applies to the exempt payees listed above, 1 through 13.

IF the payment is for . . .	THEN the payment is exempt for . . .
Interest and dividend payments	All exempt payees except for 7
Broker transactions	Exempt payees 1 through 4 and 6 through 11 and all C corporations. S corporations must not enter an exempt payee code because they are exempt only for sales of noncovered securities acquired prior to 2012.
Barter exchange transactions and patronage dividends	Exempt payees 1 through 4
Payments over \$600 required to be reported and direct sales over \$5,000 <sup>1</sup>	Generally, exempt payees 1 through 5 <sup>2</sup>
Payments made in settlement of payment card or third party network transactions	Exempt payees 1 through 4

<sup>1</sup> See Form 1099-MISC, Miscellaneous Income, and its instructions.

<sup>2</sup> However, the following payments made to a corporation and reportable on Form 1099-MISC are not exempt from backup withholding: medical and health care payments, attorneys' fees, gross proceeds paid to an attorney reportable under section 6045(f), and payments for services paid by a federal executive agency.

**Exemption from FATCA reporting code.** The following codes identify payees that are exempt from reporting under FATCA. These codes apply to persons submitting this form for accounts maintained outside of the United States by certain foreign financial institutions. Therefore, if you are only submitting this form for an account you hold in the United States, you may leave this field blank. Consult with the person requesting this form if you are uncertain if the financial institution is subject to these requirements. A requester may indicate that a code is not required by providing you with a Form W-9 with "Not Applicable" (or any similar indication) written or printed on the line for a FATCA exemption code.

A—An organization exempt from tax under section 501(a) or any individual retirement plan as defined in section 7701(a)(37)

B—The United States or any of its agencies or instrumentalities

C—A state, the District of Columbia, a U.S. commonwealth or possession, or any of their political subdivisions or instrumentalities

D—A corporation the stock of which is regularly traded on one or more established securities markets, as described in Regulations section 1.1472-1(c)(1)(i)

E—A corporation that is a member of the same expanded affiliated group as a corporation described in Regulations section 1.1472-1(c)(1)(i)

F—A dealer in securities, commodities, or derivative financial instruments (including notional principal contracts, futures, forwards, and options) that is registered as such under the laws of the United States or any state

G—A real estate investment trust

H—A regulated investment company as defined in section 851 or an entity registered at all times during the tax year under the Investment Company Act of 1940

I—A common trust fund as defined in section 584(a)

J—A bank as defined in section 581

K—A broker

L—A trust exempt from tax under section 664 or described in section 4947(a)(1)

M—A tax exempt trust under a section 403(b) plan or section 457(g) plan

**Note:** You may wish to consult with the financial institution requesting this form to determine whether the FATCA code and/or exempt payee code should be completed.

## Line 5

Enter your address (number, street, and apartment or suite number). This is where the requester of this Form W-9 will mail your information returns. If this address differs from the one the requester already has on file, write NEW at the top. If a new address is provided, there is still a chance the old address will be used until the payor changes your address in their records.

## Line 6

Enter your city, state, and ZIP code.

## Part I. Taxpayer Identification Number (TIN)

**Enter your TIN in the appropriate box.** If you are a resident alien and you do not have and are not eligible to get an SSN, your TIN is your IRS individual taxpayer identification number (ITIN). Enter it in the social security number box. If you do not have an ITIN, see *How to get a TIN* below.

If you are a sole proprietor and you have an EIN, you may enter either your SSN or EIN.

If you are a single-member LLC that is disregarded as an entity separate from its owner, enter the owner's SSN (or EIN, if the owner has one). Do not enter the disregarded entity's EIN. If the LLC is classified as a corporation or partnership, enter the entity's EIN.

**Note:** See *What Name and Number To Give the Requester*, later, for further clarification of name and TIN combinations.

**How to get a TIN.** If you do not have a TIN, apply for one immediately. To apply for an SSN, get Form SS-5, Application for a Social Security Card, from your local SSA office or get this form online at [www.SSA.gov](http://www.SSA.gov). You may also get this form by calling 1-800-772-1213. Use Form W-7, Application for IRS Individual Taxpayer Identification Number, to apply for an ITIN, or Form SS-4, Application for Employer Identification Number, to apply for an EIN. You can apply for an EIN online by accessing the IRS website at [www.irs.gov/Businesses](http://www.irs.gov/Businesses) and clicking on Employer Identification Number (EIN) under Starting a Business. Go to [www.irs.gov/Forms](http://www.irs.gov/Forms) to view, download, or print Form W-7 and/or Form SS-4. Or, you can go to [www.irs.gov/OrderForms](http://www.irs.gov/OrderForms) to place an order and have Form W-7 and/or SS-4 mailed to you within 10 business days.

If you are asked to complete Form W-9 but do not have a TIN, apply for a TIN and write "Applied For" in the space for the TIN, sign and date the form, and give it to the requester. For interest and dividend payments, and certain payments made with respect to readily tradable instruments, generally you will have 60 days to get a TIN and give it to the requester before you are subject to backup withholding on payments. The 60-day rule does not apply to other types of payments. You will be subject to backup withholding on all such payments until you provide your TIN to the requester.

**Note:** Entering "Applied For" means that you have already applied for a TIN or that you intend to apply for one soon.

**Caution:** A disregarded U.S. entity that has a foreign owner must use the appropriate Form W-8.

## Part II. Certification

To establish to the withholding agent that you are a U.S. person, or resident alien, sign Form W-9. You may be requested to sign by the withholding agent even if item 1, 4, or 5 below indicates otherwise.

For a joint account, only the person whose TIN is shown in Part I should sign (when required). In the case of a disregarded entity, the person identified on line 1 must sign. Exempt payees, see *Exempt payee code*, earlier.

**Signature requirements.** Complete the certification as indicated in items 1 through 5 below.



**1. Interest, dividend, and barter exchange accounts opened before 1984 and broker accounts considered active during 1983.**

You must give your correct TIN, but you do not have to sign the certification.

**2. Interest, dividend, broker, and barter exchange accounts opened after 1983 and broker accounts considered inactive during 1983.**

You must sign the certification or backup withholding will apply. If you are subject to backup withholding and you are merely providing your correct TIN to the requester, you must cross out item 2 in the certification before signing the form.

**3. Real estate transactions.**

You must sign the certification. You may cross out item 2 of the certification.

**4. Other payments.** You must give your correct TIN, but you do not have to sign the certification unless you have been notified that you have previously given an incorrect TIN. "Other payments" include payments made in the course of the requester's trade or business for rents, royalties, goods (other than bills for merchandise), medical and health care services (including payments to corporations), payments to a nonemployee for services, payments made in settlement of payment card and third party network transactions, payments to certain fishing boat crew members and fishermen, and gross proceeds paid to attorneys (including payments to corporations).

**5. Mortgage interest paid by you, acquisition or abandonment of secured property, cancellation of debt, qualified tuition program payments (under section 529), ABLE accounts (under section 529A), IRA, Coverdell ESA, Archer MSA or HSA contributions or distributions, and pension distributions.**

You must give your correct TIN, but you do not have to sign the certification.

**What Name and Number To Give the Requester**

For this type of account:	Give name and SSN of:
1. Individual	The individual
2. Two or more individuals (joint account) other than an account maintained by an FFI	The actual owner of the account or, if combined funds, the first individual on the account <sup>1</sup>
3. Two or more U.S. persons (joint account maintained by an FFI)	Each holder of the account
4. Custodial account of a minor (Uniform Gift to Minors Act)	The minor <sup>2</sup>
5. a. The usual revocable savings trust (grantor is also trustee)	The grantor-trustee <sup>1</sup>
b. So-called trust account that is not a legal or valid trust under state law	The actual owner <sup>1</sup>
6. Sole proprietorship or disregarded entity owned by an individual	The owner <sup>3</sup>
7. Grantor trust filing under Optional Form 1099 Filing Method 1 (see Regulations section 1.671-4(b)(2)(i)(A))	The grantor*
For this type of account:	Give name and EIN of:
8. Disregarded entity not owned by an individual	The owner
9. A valid trust, estate, or pension trust	Legal entity <sup>4</sup>
10. Corporation or LLC electing corporate status on Form 8832 or Form 2553	The corporation
11. Association, club, religious, charitable, educational, or other tax-exempt organization	The organization
12. Partnership or multi-member LLC	The partnership
13. A broker or registered nominee	The broker or nominee

For this type of account:	Give name and EIN of:
14. Account with the Department of Agriculture in the name of a public entity (such as a state or local government, school district, or prison) that receives agricultural program payments	The public entity
15. Grantor trust filing under the Form 1041 Filing Method or the Optional Form 1099 Filing Method 2 (see Regulations section 1.671-4(b)(2)(i)(B))	The trust

<sup>1</sup> List first and circle the name of the person whose number you furnish. If only one person on a joint account has an SSN, that person's number must be furnished.

<sup>2</sup> Circle the minor's name and furnish the minor's SSN.

<sup>3</sup> You must show your individual name and you may also enter your business or DBA name on the "Business name/disregarded entity" name line. You may use either your SSN or EIN (if you have one), but the IRS encourages you to use your SSN.

<sup>4</sup> List first and circle the name of the trust, estate, or pension trust. (Do not furnish the TIN of the personal representative or trustee unless the legal entity itself is not designated in the account title.) Also see *Special rules for partnerships*, earlier.

\*Note: The grantor also must provide a Form W-9 to trustee of trust.

Note: If no name is circled when more than one name is listed, the number will be considered to be that of the first name listed.

**Secure Your Tax Records From Identity Theft**

Identity theft occurs when someone uses your personal information such as your name, SSN, or other identifying information, without your permission, to commit fraud or other crimes. An identity thief may use your SSN to get a job or may file a tax return using your SSN to receive a refund.

To reduce your risk:

- Protect your SSN,
- Ensure your employer is protecting your SSN, and
- Be careful when choosing a tax preparer.

If your tax records are affected by identity theft and you receive a notice from the IRS, respond right away to the name and phone number printed on the IRS notice or letter.

If your tax records are not currently affected by identity theft but you think you are at risk due to a lost or stolen purse or wallet, questionable credit card activity or credit report, contact the IRS Identity Theft Hotline at 1-800-908-4490 or submit Form 14039.

For more information, see Pub. 5027, Identity Theft Information for Taxpayers.

Victims of identity theft who are experiencing economic harm or a systemic problem, or are seeking help in resolving tax problems that have not been resolved through normal channels, may be eligible for Taxpayer Advocate Service (TAS) assistance. You can reach TAS by calling the TAS toll-free case intake line at 1-877-777-4778 or TTY/TDD 1-800-829-4059.

**Protect yourself from suspicious emails or phishing schemes.**

Phishing is the creation and use of email and websites designed to mimic legitimate business emails and websites. The most common act is sending an email to a user falsely claiming to be an established legitimate enterprise in an attempt to scam the user into surrendering private information that will be used for identity theft.

The IRS does not initiate contacts with taxpayers via emails. Also, the IRS does not request personal detailed information through email or ask taxpayers for the PIN numbers, passwords, or similar secret access information for their credit card, bank, or other financial accounts.

If you receive an unsolicited email claiming to be from the IRS, forward this message to [phishing@irs.gov](mailto:phishing@irs.gov). You may also report misuse of the IRS name, logo, or other IRS property to the Treasury Inspector General for Tax Administration (TIGTA) at 1-800-366-4484. You can forward suspicious emails to the Federal Trade Commission at [spam@uce.gov](mailto:spam@uce.gov) or report them at [www.ftc.gov/complaint](http://www.ftc.gov/complaint). You can contact the FTC at [www.ftc.gov/idtheft](http://www.ftc.gov/idtheft) or 877-IDTHEFT (877-438-4338). If you have been the victim of identity theft, see [www.IdentityTheft.gov](http://www.IdentityTheft.gov) and Pub. 5027.

Visit [www.irs.gov/IdentityTheft](http://www.irs.gov/IdentityTheft) to learn more about identity theft and how to reduce your risk.

## Privacy Act Notice

Section 6109 of the Internal Revenue Code requires you to provide your correct TIN to persons (including federal agencies) who are required to file information returns with the IRS to report interest, dividends, or certain other income paid to you; mortgage interest you paid; the acquisition or abandonment of secured property; the cancellation of debt; or contributions you made to an IRA, Archer MSA, or HSA. The person collecting this form uses the information on the form to file information returns with the IRS, reporting the above information. Routine uses of this information include giving it to the Department of Justice for civil and criminal litigation and to cities, states, the District of Columbia, and U.S. commonwealths and possessions for use in administering their laws. The information also may be disclosed to other countries under a treaty, to federal and state agencies to enforce civil and criminal laws, or to federal law enforcement and intelligence agencies to combat terrorism. You must provide your TIN whether or not you are required to file a tax return. Under section 3406, payers must generally withhold a percentage of taxable interest, dividend, and certain other payments to a payee who does not give a TIN to the payer. Certain penalties may also apply for providing false or fraudulent information.



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## **INSPECTION OF PROPOSALS AND CONFIDENTIAL INFORMATION**

Proposals may be available for public inspection upon notice of award and shall be available for public inspection after the contract is signed by all parties. Information marked as “confidential” in any proposal shall be honored as such, to the extent allowable under the Freedom of Information Act.

The University treats Proposals as confidential until after the award is issued. At that time they become subject to disclosure under the Freedom of Information Act. If a respondent wishes to supply any information, which it believes is exempt from disclosure under the Act that respondent should summarize such information in a separate envelope and each page submitted should clearly state “Confidential”, but otherwise be presented in the same manner as the Proposal. However, any such information is provided entirely at the respondent’s own risk and the University assumes no liability for any loss or damage which may result from the University’s disclosure at any time of any information provided by the respondent in connection with its proposal.

# Connecticut State University System



**Central Connecticut State University  
Eastern Connecticut State University  
Southern Connecticut State University  
Western Connecticut State University  
System Office**

## STANDARD TERMS AND CONDITIONS

### I. DEFINITIONS

The following words, when used herein, shall have the following meanings:

1. "Contract" shall mean any agreement negotiated by and between CSU and the contractor selected by CSU as the result of a request for proposal, request for quotation, or request for bid, including, but not limited to, a personal service agreement or purchase order.
2. "CSU" shall refer to the Connecticut State University System, which is comprised of Central Connecticut State University, Eastern Connecticut State University, Southern Connecticut State University, Western Connecticut State University and the System Office, collectively and individually, as the context requires.
3. "Person" shall mean an individual, partnership, corporation or other business entity, as the context requires.
4. "Proposal" shall mean a response to a request for proposal, request for bid, or request for quotation.
5. "Proposer" shall mean a contractor that submits a response to a request for proposal, request for bid, or request for quotation.
6. "RFP" shall mean a request or invitation for proposal, bid, or quotation, as applicable.

### II. TERMS AND CONDITIONS RELATED TO REQUESTS FOR PROPOSALS

#### A. General Conditions

1. CSU reserves the right to amend or cancel an RFP prior to the date and time for the opening of proposals. CSU, in its sole discretion, reserves the right to accept or reject any and all proposals, in whole or in part, and to waive any technicality in any proposal submitted, and to accept any part of a proposal deemed to be in the best interest of CSU.
2. Proposals received from proposers debarred by the State of Connecticut will not be considered for award.
3. CSU does not commit to specific volumes of activity, nor does it guarantee the accuracy of statistical information provided in the RFP. Such information is supplied to proposers for reference only.
4. All responses to the RFP shall be and remain the sole property of CSU.
5. Each proposer shall bear all costs associated with proposer's response to an RFP, including, but not limited to, the costs of any presentation and/or demonstration required by CSU. In addition, answers or clarifications sought by CSU arising out of or in connection with the proposal shall be furnished by the proposer at the proposer's expense.

6. CSU reserves the right to negotiate, as it may deem necessary, with any or all of the proposers that submit proposals.
7. Any alleged oral agreement or arrangement made by any proposer with CSU or any employee thereof shall not be binding.

#### B. Submission of Proposals

1. Proposals must be submitted on forms supplied by CSU. Telephone, facsimile, or email proposals will not be accepted in response to an RFP.
2. The time and date proposals are to be received and opened are stated in each RFP issued by CSU. Proposals received in the applicable CSU purchasing department after the date and time specified in the RFP will be returned to the proposer unopened. Proposal amendments received by CSU after the time specified for opening of proposals shall not be considered.
3. All proposals must be addressed to the location designated in the RFP. Proposal envelopes must clearly state the proposal number as well as the date and time of the opening of the proposals, as stated in the RFP. The name and address of the proposer must appear in the upper left hand corner of the envelope.
4. Proposals must be computer prepared, typewritten or handwritten in ink. Proposals submitted in pencil will be rejected.
5. Proposers must answer all the questions set forth in the RFP using the outline and numbering scheme set forth therein. Proposers must furnish all information requested in the RFP and supply all materials required for consideration. Failure of the proposer to answer all questions and supply all information and materials requested may be grounds for rejection of the proposal.
6. All proposals must be signed by a person duly authorized to sign proposals on behalf of the proposer. All signatures on the proposal must be original. Proposals bearing stamp signatures will be rejected. Unsigned proposals will be rejected.
7. Alterations or corrections to the proposal must be initialed by the person signing the proposal or his or her authorized designee. All initials on alterations or corrections to the proposal must be original. In the event that an authorized designee initials an alteration or correction, the proposer must submit a written authorization from the proposal's signatory to the authorized designee, authorizing the designee to make the alteration or correction. Failure to submit such an authorization shall result in rejection of proposal as to those items altered or corrected and not initialed.

8. Conditional proposals are subject to rejection in whole or in part, in the sole discretion of CSU. A conditional proposal is defined as one that limits, modifies, expands or supplements any of the terms and conditions and/or specifications of the RFP.
9. Alternate proposals will not be considered by CSU, unless otherwise noted on the RFP or on the proposal form. An alternate proposal is defined as one that is submitted in addition to the proposer's primary response to the RFP.
10. CSU does not sponsor any one manufacturer's products, but lists equipment by name and model number to designate the quality and performance level desired. Proposers may propose substitutes similar in nature to the equipment specified. The substitute must, in the sole determination of CSU, be equal in quality, durability, appearance, strength and design to the equipment or product specified in the RFP, or offer a clear advantage to CSU because of improved or superior performance. All proposals including equipment or product substitutes must be accompanied with current descriptive literature on, and data substantiating, the equal or superior nature of the substitute. All final decisions concerning substitutes will be made by CSU prior to any award. The word substitute shall not be construed to permit substantial departure from the detailed requirements of the specifications.
11. Each proposer's prices must be firm for a period up to 120 days from date of the opening of proposals. Prices must be extended in decimal, not fraction, must be net, and must include transportation and delivery charges, fully prepaid by the contractor, to the destination specified in the proposal, and subject only to cash discount.
12. Pursuant to Section 12-412 of the Connecticut General Statutes, the State of Connecticut is exempt from the payment of excise, transportation and sales taxes imposed by the Federal Government and/or the State. Accordingly, such taxes must not be included in proposal prices.
13. If there is a discrepancy between a unit price and an extended price, the unit price will govern.
14. By submitting a proposal, the proposer asserts that the offer and information contained therein is in all respects fair and without collusion or fraud and was not made in connection with any competing proposer's submission of a separate response to the RFP. By submitting a proposal, the proposer further asserts that it neither participated in the formation of CSU's solicitation development process nor had any knowledge of the specific contents of the RFP prior to its issuance, and that no employee of CSU participated directly or indirectly in the preparation of the proposer's proposal.
15. It is the proposer's responsibility to check the website of the State of Connecticut Department of Administrative Services ([www.das.state.ct.us/Purchase/Portal/Portal\\_Home.asp](http://www.das.state.ct.us/Purchase/Portal/Portal_Home.asp)) for changes prior to the proposal opening. It is the responsibility of the proposer to obtain all information related to proposal submission including, without limitation, any and all addenda or supplements required.
16. Any person contemplating submitting a proposal who is in doubt as to the true meaning of, or is in need of clarification of, any part of the RFP or the specifications set forth therein, must submit a written request for clarification to CSU. The proposer may rely only upon a response to a request for clarification set forth in writing by CSU.
17. Proposals for the provision of services must include the cost of obtaining all permits, licenses, and notices

required by the city or town in which the services is to be provided, and the State and Federal governments..

18. Each proposer must complete and submit with its proposal the following non-discrimination and affirmative action forms: the Notification to Proposers, Contract Compliance, and EEO-1. It shall not be sufficient to declare or state that such forms are on file with the State of Connecticut. Failure to include the required forms shall result in rejection of the proposal.

**C. Samples**

1. Samples, when required by the RFP, must be submitted strictly in accordance with the requirements of the RFP.
2. Any and all required samples shall be furnished by the proposer at no cost to CSU. All samples, unless otherwise indicated, will become the property of CSU and will not be returned to the proposer unless the proposer states in the proposal that the sample's return is requested. A sample will be returned on the request of the proposer if the sample has not been rendered useless or beyond its useful life. The proposer must pay the costs associated with the return of any sample. Samples may be held by CSU for comparison with actual product deliveries.
3. The making of chemical and physical tests of samples submitted with proposals shall be made in the manner prescribed by CSU.

**D. Bonding Requirements / Guaranty or Surety**

1. If required by this RFP, the proposal must be accompanied by a bid bond or a certified check in an amount that is ten percent (10%) of the bid amount. The bid bond must be executed by an insurance company licensed to do business in the State of Connecticut. Certified checks must be made payable to CSU or the appropriate CSU University.
2. The proposal bond must be executed by the proposer as follows:
  - (a) If the proposer is a corporation - must be signed by an official of the corporation above his or her official title, and the corporate seal must be affixed over the signature;
  - (b) If the proposer is a partnership - must be signed by a general partner;
  - (c) If the proposer is an individual - must be signed by the individual and indicate that he or she is "doing business as . . . ."
3. The surety company executing the bond or countersigning must be licensed in Connecticut and the bond must be signed by an official of the surety company with the corporate seal affixed over his or her signature. Signatures of two witnesses for both the principal and the surety must appear on the bond.

**III. CONTRACT AWARD**

1. All proposals properly submitted will be opened and read publicly. Upon award, the proposals are subject to public inspection. CSU will not prepare abstracts of proposals received for distribution, nor will information concerning the proposals received be conveyed by telephone.
2. Award will be made to the lowest responsible qualified proposer who complies with the proposal requirements. Price alone need not be the sole determining factor for an award. Other criteria, listed in the RFP, may be considered by CSU in the award determination.
3. CSU reserves the right to grant an award and/or awards by item, or part thereof, groups of items, or all items of the proposal and to waive minor irregularities and

omissions if, in CSU's judgment, the best interests of CSU or the State of Connecticut will be served.

4. CSU reserves the right to correct inaccurate awards resulting from its administrative errors.
5. The Award Notice and Offer (to enter into a formal contract) shall be sent to the awarded proposer by first class certified mail, return receipt requested, to the address provided in the awarded proposal, or by overnight courier. The Notice and Offer shall constitute an offer by CSU to enter into negotiations to come to a formal contract agreement. If the proposer, within ten (10) business days of receipt of said Notice and Offer, declines to begin contract negotiations, then the offer to negotiate a contract may be withdrawn and an offer to negotiate a contract extended to the next lowest responsible qualified proposer, and so on until a contract is negotiated and executed.
6. Each proposal submitted shall constitute an offer by the proposer to furnish any or all of the commodities or services described therein at the prices given and in accordance with conditions set forth in the proposal, the RFP, and these "Standard Terms and Conditions." Acceptance and resulting contract formation shall be in a formal written document authorized by CSU's Purchasing Department and where applicable, approved by the Attorney General, and shall comprise the entire agreement between the proposer and CSU.

#### **IV. TERMS AND CONDITIONS RELATED TO CONTRACT WITH SUCCESSFUL PROPOSER**

By submitting a response to the RFP, the proposer agrees that any contract negotiated between it (if the successful proposer), as contractor, and CSU may contain the following provisions, as deemed applicable by CSU:

##### **A. General Conditions**

1. Any product developed and accepted by CSU under a contract awarded as a result of an RFP shall be sole property of CSU, unless stated otherwise in the contract.
2. Data collected or obtained by the contractor in connection with the performance of the contract shall not be shared with any third party without the express written approval of CSU.
3. The contractor shall defend, indemnify and hold harmless CSU, its officers and employees, against any and all suits, actions, legal or administrative proceedings, claims, demands, damages, liabilities, monetary loss, interest, attorney's fees, costs and expenses of whatsoever kind or nature arising out of the performance of the agreement, including those arising out of injury to or death of contractor's employees or subcontractors, whether arising before, during or after completion of the services thereunder and in any manner directly or indirectly caused, occasioned or contributed to in whole or in part, by reason of any act, omission, fault or negligence of contractor or its employees, agents or subcontractors. Without limiting the foregoing, the contractor shall defend, indemnify and hold CSU and the State of Connecticut harmless from liability of any kind for the use of any copyright or un-copyrighted composition, secret process, patented or unpatented invention furnished or used in the performance of the contract. This indemnification shall be in addition to the warranty obligations of the contractor and shall survive the termination or cancellation of the contract or any part thereof.
4. The contractor shall: (i) guarantee its products against defective materials and workmanship; (ii) repair

damage of any kind, for which it is responsible, to CSU's premises or equipment, to its own work or to the work of other contractors; (iii) obtain and pay for all applicable licenses, permits, and notices; (iv) give all notices and comply with all requirements of the municipality in which the service is to be provided and of the State and federal governments; and (v) carry proper and sufficient insurance to protect the State from loss.

5. The contract shall be interpreted and governed by the laws of the State of Connecticut, without regard to its principles of conflicts of laws.
6. The contractor agrees that it shall be subject to and abide by all applicable federal and state laws and regulations.
7. The contractor agrees that it shall comply with Section 4a-60 of the Connecticut General Statutes and with Executive Orders Nos. 3, 16, 17 and 7C.
8. The contractor agrees that the sole and exclusive means for the presentation of any claim against the State of Connecticut, the Connecticut State University or the Board Of Trustees arising from a contract with CSU, shall be in accordance with the provisions of Chapter 53 of the Connecticut General Statutes (Claims Against the State) and that no additional legal proceedings will be initiated in any state or federal court in addition to, or in lieu of, said Chapter 53 proceedings.
9. The contractor agrees that CSU shall have and retain sole and exclusive right and title in and to the forms, maps, and/or materials produced for CSU pursuant to the contract, including all rights to use, distribute, sell, reprint, or otherwise dispose of same. The contractor further agrees that it shall not copyright, register, distribute, or claim any rights in or to said maps and/or materials or the work produced under the contract.
10. The contractor or subcontractor, as applicable, shall offer and agree to assign to CSU all rights, title and interest in and to all causes of action it may have under Section 4 of the Clayton Act, 15 U.S.C. 15, or under Chapter 624 of the general statutes, arising from the purchase of services, property or intangibles of any kind pursuant to a public purchase contract or subcontract; such assignment shall be made and become effective at the time the contract is executed by the parties, without further acknowledgment by them.
11. The contractor shall not assign or otherwise dispose of the contract or its right, title or interest therein, or its power to execute such contract, to any other person without the prior written consent of CSU.
12. CSU reserves the right to inspect commodities for conformance with proposal specifications. When commodities are rejected by CSU, said commodities shall be removed by the contractor, at the contractor's expense, from the CSU premises within forty-eight (48) hours after notification of such rejection, unless public health and safety require immediate destruction or other disposal of such rejected delivery. Rejected items left longer than forty-eight (48) hours shall be considered abandoned by the contractor and CSU shall have the right to dispose of them as its own property.
13. If any provision, term or condition of the contract is prohibited, invalid, or unenforceable then that provision, term or condition shall be ineffective to the extent of the prohibition, invalidity, or prohibition without invalidating the remaining provisions, terms and conditions unless it materially alters the nature or intent thereof.
14. Should the terms of any purchase order or invoice issued in connection with the contract conflict with the

terms of the contract, the terms of the contract shall prevail.

15. Failure of the contractor to deliver commodities or perform services as specified in the contract will constitute authority for CSU to purchase these commodities or services on the open market. The contractor shall promptly reimburse CSU for excess costs incurred by CSU due to these purchases, and these purchases shall be deducted by CSU from the quantities contracted for.
16. No right or duty, in whole or in part, of the contractor under the contract may be assigned or delegated without the prior written consent of CSU. The subcontracting or assignment of any of contractor's obligations under the contract to a subcontractor shall require the prior written approval of CSU.
17. Upon termination of the contract by CSU, the contractor shall both immediately discontinue all services (unless the notice directs otherwise) and deliver to CSU all data, drawings, specifications, reports, estimates, summaries, and such other information and materials as may have been accumulated by the contractor in performing its duties under the contract, whether completed or in progress. All such documents, information, and materials shall become the property of CSU.
18. The State of Connecticut shall assume no liability for payment for services under the terms of the contract until the contractor is notified that the contract has been accepted by CSU and, if applicable, approved by the Office of Policy and Management ("OPM") or the Department of Administrative Services ("DAS") and by the Attorney General of the State of Connecticut.

#### **B. Insurance**

1. Before commencing to perform services pursuant to the contract, the contractor shall obtain, at its own cost and for the duration of the contract, the following insurance:
  - (a) Commercial General Liability: \$1,000,000 combined single limit per occurrence for bodily injury, personal injury and property damage. Coverage shall include Premises and Operations, Independent Contractors, Products and Completed Operations, Contractual Liability and Broad Form Property Damage coverage. If a general aggregate is used, the general aggregate limit shall apply separately to the project or the general aggregate limit shall be twice the occurrence limit.
  - (b) Automobile Liability: \$1,000,000 combined single limit per accident for bodily injury. Coverage extends to owned, hired and non-owned automobiles. If the contractor does not own an automobile, but one is used in the execution of the contract, then only hired and non-owned coverage is required. If a vehicle is not used in the execution of the contract then automobile coverage is not required.
  - (c) Professional Liability: \$1,000,000 limit of liability.
  - (d) Workers' Compensation and Employers Liability: Statutory coverage in compliance with the laws of the State of Connecticut. Coverage shall include Employer's Liability with minimum limits of \$100,000 each accident, \$500,000 Disease – Policy limit, \$100,000 each employee.  
An Excess Liability/Umbrella Policy may be used to meet the minimum limit guidelines.
2. The contractor shall provide copies of its Certificates of Insurance to CSU, if requested to do so. The Certificates shall include the following:

- (a) The certificate shall clearly identify the State of Connecticut, its officers, officials, employees, agents, boards and commissions as Additional Insured. The coverage shall contain no special limitations on the scope of protection afforded to the State.

- (b) The certificate shall clearly indicate the project name and project number or some easily identifiable reference to the relationship to the State.

3. The Certificates shall be signed by a person authorized by that insurer to execute contracts on its behalf. The certificate Accord Form 25 Certificate shall indicate a minimum thirty (30) day endeavor to notify requirement in the event of cancellation or non-renewal of coverage.
4. The contractor shall assume responsibility for payment of any and all deductibles applicable to the insurance policies described in Section IV.B.1 above.
5. The contractor's insurer shall have no right of recovery or subrogation against the State and the described insurance shall be primary coverage.
6. Each required policy of insurance shall provide that it shall not be suspended, voided, cancelled or reduced except after thirty (30) days' prior written notice sent by certified mail to CSU.
7. "Claims Made" coverage shall be unacceptable, with the exception of Professional Liability.

#### **C. Bonds**

The successful proposer shall submit the following bonds, at the request of CSU, within ten (10) days of the date of receipt of the Award Notice and Offer:

1. A Performance Bond in the amount of one hundred percent (100%) of the total proposal price; and
2. A Labor and Material Payment Bond in the amount of one hundred percent (100%) of the total proposal price.

A company authorized to transact business in the State of Connecticut shall execute the bonds. Checks shall be made payable to CSU or the appropriate CSU University.

#### **D. Delivery**

1. Unless otherwise specified in the proposal, all products and equipment delivered pursuant to the contract shall be new and shall include any and all manufacturer's warranties.
2. Delivery shall be to the point specified in the contract.
3. All deliveries shall display, in plain sight, any related Purchase Order or Reference/Delivery Number. Failure to display said number may cause the shipment to be rejected and returned at the contractor's expense.
4. All deliveries shall be in compliance with Sections 22a-194 to 22a-194g of the Connecticut General Statutes related to product packaging.
5. Deliveries shall be subject to reweighing on official sealed scales designated by the State and payment shall be made on the basis of net weight of materials received.
6. Payment terms are net forty-five (45) days after receipt of goods or invoice, whichever is later. State of Connecticut certified small or minority contractors are payable under terms net thirty (30) days.
7. Monies owed to CSU or the Department of Revenue Services (DRS) by the contractor shall be deducted from current obligations.

**E. Inspection and Tests**

1. The inspection of all commodities and the making of chemical and physical tests of samples of deliveries to determine whether or not the contract specifications are being complied with shall be made in the manner prescribed by CSU.
2. Any item that fails in any way to meet the terms or specifications set forth in the contract is subject to be paid for at an adjusted price or rejected, in the discretion of CSU.
3. After delivery and installation of any equipment provided pursuant to the contract, the contractor shall certify to CSU that the equipment has been properly installed and is ready for use. Thereafter, for a test period of sixty (60) days, CSU shall operate the system in accordance with its normal operating practices. The acceptance test shall determine if the equipment's operating characteristics meet the performance standards set forth in the contract.

**F. Advertising**

Reference by the contractor to sales to CSU for advertising and promotional purposes without the prior approval of CSU shall be expressly prohibited.



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**Article 1**  
**DEFINITIONS**

Whenever the following terms, or pronouns in place of them, are used the intent and meaning shall be as follows:

**1.1 ADDITIONAL OR DELETED WORK:** Work required, in the judgment of the Agency, involves any addition to, deduction from, or modification of the Work required by the Contract Documents.

**1.2 AGENCY:** The (User) Agency of the State of Connecticut having administrative authority of the facility in which the Work is being performed.

**1.3 APPLICATION FOR PAYMENT, PARTIAL PAYMENT OR REQUISITION:** Contractor's certified request for payment for completed portions of the Work and, if the Contract so provides, for materials or equipment suitably stored pending their incorporation into the Work.

**1.4 ARCHITECT OR ENGINEER:** An individual, partnership, firm, corporation or other business organization under contract with the Agency, commissioned to prepare Contract Drawings and specifications, to advise the Agency and in certain cases, to perform regular inspections during construction and when authorized to perform the duties of the Construction Administrator.

**1.5 BASE BID:** Monetary value stated in the Bid Proposal form as the sum for which the bidder offers to perform the Work described in the Bidding Documents, exclusive of adjustments for Supplemental Bids.

**1.6 BID BOND:** Form of bid security executed by the Bidder as Principal and by a Surety to guarantee that the Bidder will enter into a Contract within a specified time and furnish any required bond as mandated by Connecticut General Statute Section 4b-92.

**1.7 BIDDER:** An individual, partnership, firm, corporation or other business organization submitting a Bid on the Bid Proposal Form for the Work contemplated.

**1.8 BIDDING DOCUMENTS:** Collectively, the Bidding Requirements and the proposed Contract Documents, including any addenda issued prior to receipt of Bids.

**1.9 BID OR BID PROPOSAL FORM:** A complete and duly signed proposal to perform Work (or a designated portion thereof) for a stipulated sum submitted in accordance with the Bidding Documents.

**1.10 BID SECURITY:** Certified check or Bid Bond submitted with Bid Proposal Form, which provides that the Bidder, if awarded the Contract, will execute such Contract

in accordance with the requirements of the Bidding Documents.

**1.11 BUILDER'S RISK INSURANCE:** A specialized form of property insurance which provides coverage for loss or damage to the Work pursuant to the Contract Documents.

**1.12 CASH ALLOWANCE:** An amount established in the Contract Documents for inclusion in the Contract Sum to cover the cost of prescribed items not specified in detail, and as shown in the Allowance Schedule.

**1.13 CERTIFICATE of COMPLETION:** A document is-sued by the Construction Administrator to the Agency stating that the Contractor has met all contractual obligations.

**1.14 CERTIFICATE of COMPLETION and ACCEPTANCE:** A document issued by the Agency to the Contractor stating that all Work has been completed and that the Work is accepted by the Agency.

**1.15 CERTIFICATE of COMPLIANCE:** A document is-sued to the Agency by the design professional stating that for the portion of the project completed, either the design portion or the construction portion, has been performed in substantial compliance with all applicable building codes

**1.16 CERTIFICATE OF OCCUPANCY:** Document issued by the authority having jurisdiction certifying that all or a designated portion of a building is approved for its designated use.

**1.17 CERTIFICATE OF SUBSTANTIAL COMPLETION:** A document prepared by the Architect and approved by the Agency on the basis of an inspection stating:

- 1.17.1** That the Work, or a designated portion thereof, is determined to be Substantially Complete;
- 1.17.2** The date of Substantial Completion;
- 1.17.3** The responsibilities of the Agency and the Contractor for security maintenance, heat, utilities, damage to the Work and insurance; and
- 1.17.4** The time within which the Contractor shall complete the remaining work.

**1.18 CHANGE ORDER:** Written authorization signed by the Agency, authorizing a modification in the Work, an adjustment in the Contract Sum, or an adjustment in the Contract Time.

**1.19 COMMISSIONER:** The State of Connecticut, Department of Public Works (DPW) Commissioner acting directly or through specifically authorized DPW personnel or

agent(s) having authority to perform duties defined in Article 25.

**1.20 CONSTRUCTION ADMINISTRATOR:** An individual, partnership, firm, corporation or other business organization, under contract or employed by the Agency commissioned and/or authorized to oversee the fulfillment of all requirements of the Contract Documents.

**1.21 CONSTRUCTION CHANGE DIRECTIVE:** A written authorization signed by the Agency, directing a modification in the Work and stating a proposed basis for adjustment, if any, in the Contract Sum, Contract Time or both.

**1.22 CONTRACT DOCUMENTS OR CONTRACT:** The Agreement between Agency and Contractor, Conditions of the Contract (General Conditions, Supplementary Conditions, General Requirements and other Conditions), Drawings, Specifications, and Addenda issued prior to execution of the Contract, other documents listed in the Agreement and Modifications issued after execution of the Contract, all of which shall constitute the Contract.

**1.23 CONTRACTOR OR GENERAL CONTRACTOR:** An individual, partnership, firm or Corporation, under direct contract with the Agency, responsible for performing the Work under the Contract Documents. Whenever the words "Contractor" or "General Contractor" are used it shall be understood to mean Contractor.

**1.24 CONTRACTOR'S LIABILITY INSURANCE:** Insurance purchased and maintained by the Contractor that insures the Contractor for claims for property damage, bodily injury or death.

**1.25 CONTRACT START DATE OR DATE OF COMMENCEMENT OF THE WORK:** The date, specified by the Agency in the Notice to Proceed, on which the Contractor is required to start the Work.

**1.26 CONTRACT SUM:** The sum stated in the Contract, which is the total amount payable by the Agency to the Contractor for performance of the Work under the Contract Documents.

**1.27 CONTRACT TIME:** The period of time allotted in the Contract Documents for Substantial Completion of the Work, including authorized adjustments thereto. The days specified, calendar or working days, are stipulated in the Bidding Documents.

**1.28 DAY:** Whenever the word Day is used it shall be understood to mean calendar day or working day as stated on the Bidding Documents, unless stated otherwise.

**1.29 PROJECT MANAGER:** The individual employed by the Agency, to be responsible for the overall management and oversight of the Project, and to represent the Agency.

**1.30 EQUAL(S):** A replacement for the specified material, device, procedure, equipment, etc., which has been determined by the Architect and the Agency to be substantially identical to the first listed manufacturer or first listed procedure specified in terms of cost, quality and performance for the Project. The Equal does not constitute a modification in the scope of Work, the Schedule or Architect/Engineer's design intent of the specified material, device, procedure, equipment, etc.

**1.31 FINAL ACCEPTANCE:** The Agency's written approval and acceptance of the Work issued to the Contractor upon written certification by the Architect of Final Completion.

**1.32 FINAL COMPLETION:** A written statement by the Architect to the Owner that the Work has been completed in accordance with the terms and conditions of the Contract Documents.

**1.33 FINAL INSPECTION:** Review of the Work by the Architect and Agency to determine whether Final Completion has been achieved.

**1.34 FINAL PAYMENT:** The last payment made by the Owner to the Contractor, made after notice of the Final Acceptance. Payment shall include the entire unpaid balance of the Contract Sum as adjusted by Modifications.

**1.35 GENERAL CONDITIONS:** The General Conditions of the Contract for Construction, part of Division 0 of the Specifications.

**1.36 GENERAL REQUIREMENTS:** That part of the Contract Documents entitled General Requirements, which is Division 1.

**1.37 LIQUIDATED DAMAGES:** A sum established in a Contract, usually as a fixed sum per day, as the predetermined measure of damages to be paid to the Agency due to the Contractor's failure to complete the Work within the Contract Time.

**1.38 LUMP SUM:** An item or category priced as a whole rather than broken down into its elements.

**1.39 MINOR CHANGES IN THE WORK:** Changes in the Work not involving an adjustment in the Contract Sum or an extension of the Contract Time and not inconsistent with the intent of the Contract Documents, which shall be affected by written order issued by the Architect.

**1.40 MODIFICATION OR AMENDMENT:**

**1.40.1** A written change to the Contract Documents.

**1.40.2** A Change Order.

**1.40.3** A Construction Change Directive.

**1.40.4** Supplemental Instructions for minor changes in the Work and/or additional instructions to the Work.

**1.41 NOTICE TO BIDDER:** A notice contained in the Bidding Document informing prospective Bidders of the opportunity to submit Bids on a Project.

**1.42 NOTICE TO PROCEED:** Written notice, issued by the Agency to the Contractor authorizing the Contractor to proceed with the Work and establishing the date for commencement of the Contract Time.

**1.43 OWNER OR AGENCY:** Eastern Connecticut State University, Willimantic, Connecticut or specifically authorized Agency personnel or agent.

**1.44 PAYMENT BOND, LABOR BOND OR MATERIAL BOND:** A bond in which the Contractor and the Contractor's surety guarantee to the Agency that the Contractor will pay for labor and materials furnished for use in the performance of the Contract, as required by Connecticut General Statutes Section 49-41.

**1.45 PERFORMANCE BOND OR SURETY BOND:** A bond in which the Contractor and the Contractor's surety guarantee to the Agency that the Work will be performed in accordance with the Contract Documents, as required by Connecticut General Statutes Section 41.

**1.46 PERFORMANCE SPECIFICATION:** A description of the desired results or performance of a product, material, assembly, procedure, or a piece of equipment with criteria for identifying the standard.

**1.47 PLANS OR DRAWINGS:** All drawings or reproductions of drawings pertaining to the construction of the Work contemplated and its appurtenances.

**1.48 PROJECT:** The total construction of which the Work performed under the Contract Documents may be the whole or a part.

**1.49 PROJECT MANUAL:** The set of documents assembled for the Work which includes, but is not limited to, Contract Documents, Bidding Requirements, Sample Forms, Conditions of the Contract, General Requirements and the Specifications.

**1.50 PROPRIETARY SPECIFICATION:** A specification that describes a product, procedure, function, material, assembly, or piece of equipment by trade name and/or by naming the manufacturer(s) or manufacturer's procedure, exact model number, item, etc., of those products acceptable to the Agency.

**1.51 RECORD DOCUMENTS OR AS-BUILT DRAWINGS:** Construction Drawings revised to show all significant Modifications made during the construction process.

**1.52 SCHEDULE:** A Critical Path Method (CPM) or Construction Schedule as required by the Contract Documents which shall be a diagram, graph or other pictorial or written schedule showing all events expected to occur and operations to be performed and indicating the contract time, start dates, durations and finish dates and their relationship to Substantial Completion and Final Completion of the Work, rendered in a form permitting determination of the optimum sequence and duration of each operation.

**1.53 SCHEDULE OF VALUES:** A document furnished by the Contractor to the Architect and Agency stating the portions of the Contract Sum allocated to the various portions of the Work, which is to be used for reviewing the Contractor's Applications for Payment.

**1.54 SECONDARY SUBCONTRACTOR:** An individual, partnership, firm or Corporation under direct contract with the Subcontractor to the General Contractor.

**1.55 SHOP DRAWINGS:** Drawings provided to Architect and Agency by a Contractor that illustrate construction, materials, dimensions, installation, and other pertinent information for the incorporation of an element or item into the construction as detailed Contract Documents.

**1.56 SPECIFICATIONS:** The description, provisions and other requirements pertaining to the method and manner of performing the Work and/or to the quantities and quality of materials to be furnished under the Contract.

**1.57 SUBCONTRACTOR:** A person, partnership, corporation or other business organization under direct contract with the Contractor supplying labor and/or materials for the Work at the site of the Project.

**1.58 SUBMITTALS:** Documents including, but not limited to, samples, manufacturer's data, shop drawing, or other such items submitted to the Agency and Architect by the Contractor for the purpose of approval or other action, as required by the Contract Documents.

**1.59 SUBSTANTIAL COMPLETION:** The stage in the progress of the Work when the Work or designated portion

thereof is sufficiently complete in accordance with the Contract Documents so the Agency can occupy or utilize the Work for its intended use.

**1.60 SUBSTITUTION:** A material, device, procedure, equipment, etc., which has been determined by the Architect and the Agency to be not an Equal to the first manufacturer or procedure listed in the Specification in terms of cost, quality and performance but which may be used in place of that item specified. . The Substitution constitutes a modification in the Work, the Schedule or the Architect/Engineer's design intent of the specified material, device, procedure, equipment, etc.

**1.61 SUPPLEMENTAL BID:** The monetary value stated in the Bid to be added to the amount of the Base Bid if the corresponding Work, as described in the Bidding Documents, is accepted.

**1.62 SUPPLEMENTARY CONDITIONS:** An extension of the General Conditions applicable to any and all portions of Work under the Contract Documents.

**1.63 THRESHOLD LIMIT BUILDING:** Any proposed (new) structures or additions as defined by the Connecticut General Statutes Section 29-276b.

**1.64 UNIT PRICE:** The monetary value stated by the Agency or the Contractor, as a price per unit of measure for materials or services as described in the Contract Documents and/or Bidding Documents.

**1.65 WORK:** The construction and services required by the Contract Documents, and including all labor, materials, equipment and services provided or to be provided by the Contractor to fulfill the Contractor's obligations. The Work may constitute the whole or a part of the Project.

### **Article 2**

#### **REFERENCE STANDARDS AND DEFINITIONS**

**2.1** For products specified by association or trade standards, comply with requirements of the standard, except when more rigid requirements are specified or are required by applicable codes.

**2.2** References to standard specifications and codes refer to the editions current at the bid due date. An exception is, buildings exceeding the threshold limit must be in substantial compliance with the requirements of the effective code at the time of receipt of completed application to the Office of State Building Inspector (OSBI). References include their addenda and errata, if any, and shall be considered a part of these specifications as if they were printed herein in full.

**2.3** The manufacturers' standard warranties or guarantees shall apply when their products are used on this project.

**2.4** Flame Spread Ratings - all materials that are required or obligated to meet specified standards shall be submitted to the owner for their records as part of the shop drawing submittal process for their construction records.

### **Article 3**

#### **CONDITIONS OF WORK**

**3.1** The Contractor shall carefully examine and study the conditions under which the Work is to be performed and the site of the Work, and compare the Contract Documents with each other and to information furnished by the Agency including but not limited to the plans and specifications, the form of the Contract, General Conditions, Supplementary Conditions, General Requirements, Bonds and all other Contract Documents associated with the Work.

**3.2** The Contractor shall report to the Construction Administrator all errors, inconsistencies or omissions discovered. The Contractor shall not be liable to the Agency for damage resulting from errors, inconsistencies or omissions in the Contract Documents unless the Contractor recognized such errors, inconsistencies or omission and failed to report it to the Construction Administrator. If the Contractor performs any actions or construction activity knowing it involves an error, inconsistency or omission in the Contract Documents without notice to the Construction Administrator, the Contractor shall assume responsibility for such performance and related costs for the correction and shall not be allowed to submit any claim related to error, inconsistencies or omission.

**3.3** It shall be the Contractor's responsibility upon discovery to immediately notify the Construction Administrator, in writing, of errors, omissions, discrepancies, and instances of noncompliance with applicable codes and regulations within the documents, and of any work which will not fit or properly function if installed as indicated on the Contract Documents. Any additional costs arising from the Contractor's failure to provide such notification shall be borne by the Contractor.

**3.4** The Contractor shall take field measurements and verify field conditions and shall carefully compare such field measurements and conditions and other information known to the Contractor with the Contract Documents before commencing activities. Errors, inconsistencies or omissions discovered shall be reported to the Construction Administrator at once; and it will be assumed that the Contractor has been satisfied as to all requirements of the Contract Documents. Any deterrent conditions at the site of the Work which are obvious and apparent upon examination of the site but are not indicated on the plans shall be corrected by the Contractor without additional compensation.

**3.5** It is not the intent of the Documents to show all existing conditions. All contractors are advised and required to visit and examine the site with the Construction Administrator prior to submitting bids. If conflicts are noted the Contractor shall notify the Agency as soon as possible prior to bid date. If a conflict appears during construction notify the Construction Administrator, in writing, as soon as possible -- Do not proceed without direction from the Construction Administrator.

**3.6** Where existing objects or conditions are uncovered and exposed, subsequent to the issuance of the Contract, the Contractor and the Construction Administrator will jointly inspect these conditions and their findings will be recorded in writing by the Contractor. All corrective measures jointly agreed upon will be recorded in detail sufficient to prevent confusion and conflict at a later date.

**3.7** The Contractor will proceed with the Work in these areas, taking into consideration these newly exposed conditions, and will adjust its working procedures to compensate for these conditions.

**3.8** Contractors should investigate and satisfy themselves as to the conditions affecting the work, including but not restricted to those bearing upon transportation, disposal, handling and storage of materials, availability of labor, water, electric power, uncertainties of weather, roads or similar physical conditions of the ground, the character of equipment, and facilities needed preliminary to and during the prosecution of the Work. The Contractor should further satisfy himself as to the character, quality, and quantity of surface and subsurface materials or obstacles to be encountered insofar as this information is reasonably ascertainable from an inspection of the site, as well as from information presented by the Contract Documents. Any failure by the Contractor to acquaint himself with the available information shall not relieve him from the responsibility for estimating properly the difficulty and cost of successfully performing the Work.

**3.9** If applicable to this Project a review of Geo-Technical Reports, Boring Logs Asbestos, Hazardous Materials and Confined Space parameters are contained in a separate Volume of this Project Manual, the Boring Location Plans are in the Contract Documents.

**3.10** A Pre-Bid Conference and tour of the site will be conducted as scheduled in the Notice to Bidders. This scheduled conference is the only official opportunity for the bidders to tour the site with the Agency, Architect, Engineer, Construction Administrator, and Consultants.

**3.11** In performing the Work, the Contractor must employ such methods or means as will not cause any interruption of or interference with the Work of any other Contractor, nor any inordinate disruption with the normal routine of the Institution or Agency operating at the site.

**3.12** No claims for additional compensation will be considered when additional costs result from conditions made known to, discovered by, or which should have been discovered by, the Contractor prior to Contract signing.

**3.13** The Contractor shall perform the Work in accordance with the Contract Documents and approved submittals pursuant to Article 8.

#### **Article 4** **CORRELATION OF CONTRACT DOCUMENTS**

**4.1** The Contract Documents are complementary, and what is called for by any one shall be as binding as if called for by all. The Specifications and Drawings are intended to describe and illustrate the materials and labor necessary for the work of this Project. Where discrepancies of conflict occur in the Contract Documents the following order of precedence shall be utilized:

**4.1.1** Amendments and addenda shall take precedence over previously issued Contract Documents.

**4.1.2** The General Requirements take precedence over the Supplementary Conditions.

**4.1.3** The Supplementary Conditions take precedence over the General Conditions.

**4.1.4** The General Requirements take precedence over the General Conditions.

**4.1.5** The Specifications shall take precedence over the Plans.

**4.1.6** Stated dimensions shall take precedence over scaled dimensions.

**4.1.7** Large-scale detail drawings shall take precedence over small-scale drawings.

**4.1.8** The schedules contained in the Contract Documents shall take precedence over other data on the Plans.

**4.2** Neither party to the Contract shall take advantage of any obvious error or apparent discrepancy in the Contract Documents. The Contractor shall give immediate written notification of any error or discrepancy discovered to the Construction Administrator, who shall take the necessary actions to obtain such corrections and interpretations as may be deemed necessary for the completion of the Work in a satisfactory and acceptable manner. The Contractor shall then promptly proceed under the direction of the Agency and the provisions of Article 13. The Contractor's failure to provide immediate notice shall mean the Contractor will not be entitled to any additional compensation, either monetary or contract time adjustment, with respect to any discrepancy.

**4.3** Execution of the Contract by the Contractor is a representation that the Contractor has visited the site, become familiar with local conditions under which the Work is to be performed and correlated personal observations with requirements of the Contract Documents.

**4.4** Organization of the Specifications into divisions, sections and articles, and arrangement of drawings, shall not control the Contractor in dividing the Work among Subcontractors or in establishing the extent of Work to be performed by any trade.

**4.5** Unless otherwise stated in the Contract Documents, words which have well-known technical or construction industry meanings are used in the Contract Documents in accordance with such recognized meanings.

**4.6** Throughout the Technical Specifications, the Connecticut Department of Transportation Standard Specifications for Roads, Bridges, and Incidental Construction Form 816, current addition including any interim and supplemental specifications may be referenced. Where so referenced the requirements set forth therein are applicable and made a

part hereof Copies of Form 816 are available from the Connecticut Department of Transportation at a nominal charge.

## **Article 5** **SUPPLEMENTAL BID**

**5.1** Definition: A Supplemental Bid is an amount proposed by bidders and stated on the Bid Proposal Form for certain work defined in the Bidding Documents that may be added to the Base Bid amount if the Owner decides to accept a corresponding change in either the amount of construction to be completed, or in the products, materials, equipment, systems, or installation methods described in the Contract Documents.

**5.2** The cost for each supplemental bid is the net addition to the Contract Sum to incorporate the Supplemental Bid into the Work. Supplemental Bids are only accepted in the numerical order that they are listed on the Bid Proposal Form and never accepted out of numerical sequence. No other adjustments are made to the Contract Sum.

**5.3** Coordination: Modify or adjust affected adjacent Work as necessary to completely and fully integrate that Work into the Project.

**5.4** Include as part of each Supplemental Bid, miscellaneous devices, accessory objects, and similar items incidental to or required for a complete installation whether or not mentioned as part of the Supplemental Bid.

**5.5** Execute accepted Supplemental Bids under the same conditions as other Work of this Contract.

**5.6** Schedule: A "Schedule of Supplemental Bids" is included within the Supplementary General Requirements (Section 01030 Supplemental Bids. Specification Sections referenced in the Schedule contain requirements for materials necessary to achieve the Work described under each Supplemental Bid.

## **Article 6** **COMMENCEMENT AND PROGRESS OF WORK**

**6.1** The Work shall start upon the date given in the Notice to Proceed. The Contractor shall complete all the Work necessary for Final Completion, including but not limited to Substantial Completion, Contract close-out, testing and demonstration of all systems as required for acceptance, punchlist Work, training and submission of Record Documents, manuals, guarantees and warranties as stated in the Bidding Document.

**6.2** Time is of the essence with respect to the Contract Time. By executing the Contract, the Contractor confirms and agrees that the Contract Time is a reasonable period to perform the Work. The Contractor shall proceed expeditiously with adequate forces and shall achieve Substantial Completion within the Contract Time. The Contractor may, at his discretion, plan to complete the work and achieve Substantial Completion in less time than the Contract Time.

**6.3** The Contractor's early completion schedule notwithstanding, the Agency reserves the right to order Modifications to the Work in accordance with Article 13 at any time during the Contract Time.

**6.4** The Contractor shall not be entitled to costs for delay due to Agency ordered Modifications or any other circumstances for the period of time between the Contractor's elected early completion and the end of the Contract Time. Costs include, but are not limited to, delays extended home or field office costs, supervisory and management costs incurred in performance of the Work. Early completion of the Work shall not merit additional compensation.

**6.5** If the Contractor is delayed at any time in the progress of Work by acts of God such as fire or flood or any action, injunction or stop order issued by any court, judge or officer of the court or any other court action beyond the Agency's control, then the Contract Time may be extended by Change Order for such reasonable time as demonstrated by the Contractor's Schedule and as the Agency may determine that such event has delayed the Work. In any event, the granting of an extension of time shall be solely within the discretion of the Agency.

**6.6** Except as otherwise may be provided herein, extensions of time shall be the Contractor's sole remedy for such delay. No payment or compensation of any kind shall be made to the Contractor for damages because of hindrance in the orderly progress of Work caused by the aforesaid causes.

**6.7** The Contractor acknowledges that the Contract amount includes and anticipates any and all delays, whether avoidable or unavoidable, from said orders, which may issue from any court, judge, court officer, or act of God, and that such delays shall not, under any circumstances, be construed as compensable delays.

**6.8** Any extension of the Contract Time shall be by Change Order pursuant to Article 17 and Article 18.

**7.1** Pre-construction Conference: The Contractor will attend a Pre-construction Conference before starting construction, as scheduled by the Construction Administrator convenient to the Agency, the Construction Administrator, Architect, and Contractor. This meeting will take place within seven (7) Calendar Days after the written Notice to Proceed and before the Contract Start Date. Hold the conference at the Project Site or another convenient location as directed by the Construction Administrator. The Construction Administrator shall conduct the Pre-construction Conference to review the Contractor and Subcontractor responsibilities and personnel assignments. NOTE: Amplify the paragraph below as necessary to suit project requirements.

**Article 7**  
**PROJECT MEETINGS**



**7.1.1 Attendees:** Authorized representatives of the Construction Administrator, Agency, Architect, and their consultants; the Contractor and its superintendent; major subcontractors; agency; and other concerned parties shall attend the conference. All participants at the conference shall be familiar with the Project and authorized to conclude matters relating to the Work.

**7.1.2 Agenda:** Discuss items of significance that could affect progress, including the following:

- a. Tentative construction schedule.
- b. Critical work sequencing.
- c. Progress meeting schedule.
- d. Designation of responsible personnel.
- e. Procedures for processing field decisions and Change Orders.
- f. Procedures for processing Applications for Payment.
- g. Distribution of Contract Documents.
- h. Submittal of Shop Drawings, Product Data, and Samples.
- i. Preparation of record documents.
- j. Use of the premises.
- k. Parking availability.
- l. Office, work, and storage areas.
- m. Equipment deliveries and priorities.
- n. Safety procedures.
- o. First aid.
- p. Security.
- q. Housekeeping.
- r. Plan of Use
- s. Substitutions
- t. Safety – Conn OSHA
- u. Working hours.
- v. Coordination with Audio-Visual and Telecommunications.

**7.2 Progress Meetings:** The Construction Administrator will conduct progress meetings, weekly, at the Project Site or at regular intervals as agreed upon at the Pre-construction Conference. The Construction Administrator will notify the Agency, the Architect, and the Contractor of the scheduled Progress Meeting dates. Coordinate dates of Progress Meetings with preparation of Application for Payment requests.

**7.2.1 Attendees:** In addition to representatives of the Contractor, Construction Administrator, Agency and the Architect, subcontractor, supplier, or other entity concerned with current progress or involved in planning, coordination, or performance

of future activities may be requested to attend these meetings on an as needed basis. All participants at the meeting shall be familiar with the Project and authorized to conclude matters relating to the Work. The Contractor shall include the site superintendent as a minimum.

**7.2.2 Agenda:** Progress Meetings shall review and correct or approve minutes of the previous Progress Meeting. Review other items of significance that could affect progress. Include topics for discussion as appropriate to the status of the Project.

**7.2.3 Construction Schedule:** Review progress since the last Progress Meeting. Determine where each activity is in relation to the required Contractor's "Construction Schedule" and whether each activity is on time or ahead or behind Schedule. Determine how Work that is behind Schedule will be expedited; secure commitments from parties involved to do so. Discuss whether Schedule revisions are required to insure that current and subsequent activities will be completed within the Contract Time.

**7.2.4** Review the present and future needs of each entity present.

**7.2.5 Reporting:** The Construction Administrator will distribute minutes of the meeting to each party present, promptly and before the next scheduled meeting, and to parties who should have been present.

**7.2.6** A schedule of regular Project Meetings will be established at the Pre-construction Conference.

## **Article 8** **SUBMITTALS, PRODUCT DATA, SHOP** **DRAWINGS AND SAMPLES**

**8.1** Contractor shall review, approve and submit to the Construction Administrator/Agency all submittals including but not limited to Product Data, Shop Drawing and Sample Manufacturers, with such promptness as to cause no delay in the Work.

**8.2** Correction or approval of such submittals, Shop Drawings, Product Data sample will be made with reasonable promptness by the Architect. Approval will be general only and shall not relieve the Contractor from responsibility for errors in dimensions, for construction and field coordination of the Work or for any departure from the Contract

Documents unless such departure has received the Agency's written approval.

**8.3** No Work governed by such drawings, schedules or samples shall be fabricated, delivered or installed until approved by the Architect.

**8.4** No damages for delays or time extensions will be granted even if approvals deviate from the approved Schedule.

**8.5** Summary: This Section includes administrative and procedural requirements for submittals required for performance of the Work, including but not limited to the following:

- a. Submittal schedule.
- b. Shop Drawings.
- c. Product Data.
- d. Samples.
- e. Quality assurance submittals.
- f. Proposed "Substitutions Request" form.
- g. Warrantee samples.
- h. Coordination Drawings.
- i. O & M Manuals
- j. Plan of Use

**8.6** Administrative Submittals: Refer to other Division 1 Sections and other Contract Documents for requirements for administrative submittals. Such submittals include, but are not limited to, the following:

- a. Permits.
- b. Applications for Payment.
- c. Performance and payment bonds.
- d. Contractor's construction schedule.
- e. Daily construction reports.
- f. Construction Photographs.
- g. Insurance certificates.
- h. List of subcontractors.
- i. Subcontractors/Suppliers FEIN numbers and Connecticut tax registration number.

**8.7** Coordination Drawings are to show the relationship and integration of different construction elements that require careful coordination during fabrication or installation to fit in the space provided or to function as intended and as identified within the Contract Documents.

**8.7.1** Preparation of Coordination Drawings is specified in Division 1 Section "Coordination" and may include components previously shown in detail on Shop Drawings or Product Data.

**8.7.2** Field samples are full-size physical examples erected on-site to illustrate finishes, coatings, or finish materials. Field samples are used to estab-

lish the standard by which the Work will be judged.

**8.7.3** Submittal Procedures: Coordinate preparation and processing of submittals with performance of construction activities. Transmit each submittal sufficiently in advance of performance of related construction activities to avoid delay.

**8.7.4** Coordinate each submittal with fabrication, purchasing, testing, delivery, other submittals, and related activities that requires sequential activity.

**8.7.5** Coordinate transmittal of different types of submittals for related elements of the Work so processing will not be delayed by the need to review submittals concurrently for coordination.

**8.7.6** The Architect reserves the right to withhold action on a submittal requiring coordination with other submittals until all related submittals are received.

**8.7.7** The Architect reserves the right to reject incomplete submitted packages.

**8.7.8** Processing: To avoid the need to delay installation as a result of the time required to process submittals, allow sufficient time for submittal review, including time for resubmittals.

- a. Allow (2) two weeks for initial review. Allow additional time if the Architect must delay processing to permit coordination with subsequent submittals.
- b. If an intermediate submittal is necessary, process the same as the initial submittal.
- c. Allow (2) two for reprocessing each submittal.
- d. No extension of Contract Time will be authorized because of failure to transmit submittals to the Architect sufficiently in advance of the Work to permit processing.

**8.9** Submittal Preparation: Place a permanent label, title block or 8-1/2 inches x 11 inches cover page approved by the Architect, on each submittal for identification. Indicate the name of the entity that prepared each submittal on the label or title block.

**8.9.1** The minimum number of copies required for each submittal shall be at a minimum 7 copies or

as determine otherwise at the pre-construction conference or by the Construction Administrator.

**8.9.2** Provide a space approximately 4 inches by 5 inches on the label, beside the title block or on the cover page on Shop Drawings to record the Contractor's review and approval markings and the action taken.

**8.9.3** Include the following information on the label for processing and recording action taken.

- a. Project Name and State of Connecticut Project Number.
- b. Date.
- c. Name and address of the Architect, Construction Administrator, and Owner Representative.
- d. Name and address of the Contractor.
- e. Name and address of the subcontractor.
- f. Name and address of the supplier.
- g. Name of the manufacturer.
- h. Number and title of appropriate Specification Section.
- i. Drawing number and detail references, as appropriate.
- j. Indicate either initial or resubmittal.
- k. Indicate deviations from Contract Documents.
- l. Indicate if "equal" or "substitution".

**8.10** Submittal Transmittal: Package each submittal appropriately for transmittal and handling. Transmit each submittal from the Contractor to the Architect using a transmittal form. Copy the Construction Administrator on the transmittal and one copy of the submittal. The Architect will return submittals to the Contractor after action is taken with a complete copy of the submittal package to the Construction Administrator.

**8.10.1** On the transmittal, record relevant information and requests for data. On the form, or separate sheet, record deviations from Contract Document requirements, including variations and limitations. Include Contractor's certification that information complies with Contract Document requirements.

**8.11** Submittal Schedule: After development and review by the Construction Administrator and Architect acceptance of the Contractor's Construction Schedule prepare a complete Schedule of Submittals. Submit the schedule to the Construction Administrator within seven (7) days of Contract Award.

**8.11.1** Coordinate Submittal Schedule with the list of subcontracts, Schedule of Values, and the list of products as well as the Contractor's Construction Schedule.

**8.11.2** Prepare the schedule in chronological order. Provide the following information:

- a. Related section number.
- b. Schedule date for the initial submittal.
- c. Submittal category (Shop Drawings, Product Data, or Samples).
- d. Name of Subcontractor.
- e. Description of the part of Work covered.
- f. Scheduled date for resubmittal.
- g. Scheduled date for the Architect's final release of approval.

**8.11.3** Distribution: Following response to the initial submittal schedule, print and distribute copies to the Construction Administrator, Architect, subcontractors, and other parties required to comply with submittal dates indicated. Post copies in the Project meeting room and field office.

**8.11.4** When revisions are made, distribute to the same parties and post in the same locations. Delete parties from distribution when they have completed their assigned portion of the Work and are no longer involved in construction activities.

**8.11.5** Schedule Updating: Revise the schedule after each meeting or activity where revisions have been recognized or made. Issue the updated schedule concurrently with the report of each meeting.

**8.12** Daily Construction Reports: Prepare a daily construction report recording the following information concerning events at the site, and submit duplicate copies to the Construction Administrator at weekly intervals:

- a. List of subcontractors at the site.
- b. Approximate count of personnel at the site.
- c. High and low temperatures, general weather conditions.
- d. Accidents and unusual events.
- e. Meetings and significant decisions.
- f. Stoppages, delays, shortages, and losses.
- g. Meter readings and similar recordings.
- h. List of equipment on site and identify if idle or in use.
- i. Orders and requests of governing authorities.
- j. Change Orders received, start and end dates.
- k. Services connected, disconnected.
- l. Equipment or system tests and startups.

- m. Partial Completion's, occupancies.
- n. Substantial Completion's authorized.
- o. Equals or Substitutions approved or rejected.
- p. Sub-Contractors meeting minutes.
- q. Safety Meeting minutes.

**8.13 Shop Drawings:** Submit newly prepared information drawn accurately to scale. Highlight, encircle, or otherwise indicate deviations from the Contract Documents. Do not reproduce Contract Documents or copy standard information as the basis of Shop Drawings. Standard information prepared without specific reference to the Project is not a Shop Drawing.

**8.13.1** Shop Drawings include fabrication and installation Drawings, setting diagrams, schedules, patterns, templates and similar Drawings. Include the following information:

- a. Dimensions:
- b. Identification of products and materials included by sheet and detail number.
- c. Compliance with specified standards.
- d. Notation of coordination requirements.
- e. Notation of dimensions established by field measurement.
- f. Sheet Size: Except for templates, patterns and similar full-size Drawings, submit Shop Drawings on sheets at least 8-1/2 by 11 inches but no larger than 36 by 48 inches.
- g. Submit one (1) reproducible media and seven (7) prints as directed by the Construction Administrator. The Contractor's submittal shall identify the specification section and/or drawing number applicable to the submittal.
- h. Details shall be large scale and/or full size.

**8.13.2** The Contractor shall review the Shop Drawings, stamp with this approval, and submit them with reasonable promptness and in orderly sequence so as to cause no delay in his Work or in the Work of any subcontractor. Shop Drawings shall be properly identified as specified for item, material, workmanship, and project number. At the submission, the Contractor shall inform the Architect, in writing of any deviation in the shop drawings from the requirements of the Contract Documents.

**8.13.3** The Architect will review and comment on shop drawings with reasonable promptness so as to cause no delay, but only for conformance with the design concept of the project and with the information given in the Contract Documents. Shop Drawings received by the Architect that indicate insufficient study of drawings and specifications, illegible portions or gross errors, will be rejected outright. Such rejections shall not constitute an acceptable reason for granting the Contractor additional time to perform the work.

**8.13.4** The Contractor shall make any corrections required by the Architect and shall resubmit the required number of corrected copies of shop drawings until fully reviewed.

**8.13.5** Upon final review submit four (4) additional prints, same as submitted, to the Construction Administrator for his use.

**8.13.6** The Architect's review and comments on shop drawings shall not relieve the Contractor of responsibility for any deviation from the requirements of the Contract Documents.

**8.13.7** Only final reviewed shop drawings are to be used on the project site.

**8.13.8** The Work installed shall be reviewed in accordance with the shop drawings and the drawings and specifications. Final Review of the shop drawings by the Architect shall constitute acceptance by the State and the Architect of a variation or departure that is clearly identified. Final reviewed shop drawings shall not replace or be used as a vehicle to issue or incorporate change orders.

**8.14 Product Data:** Collect Product Data into a single submittal for each element of construction or system. Product Data includes printed information, schedules, such as manufacturer's installation instructions, catalog cuts, standard color charts, roughing-in diagrams and templates, standard wiring diagrams, and performance curves.

**8.14.1** Mark each copy to show applicable choices and options. Where printed Product Data includes information on several products that are not required, mark copies to indicate the applicable information. Include the following information:

- a. Manufacturer's printed recommendations.
- b. Compliance with trade association standards.
- c. Compliance with recognized testing agency standards.
- d. Application of testing agency labels and seals.
- e. Notation of dimensions verified by field measurement.

- f. Notation of coordination requirements.

**8.14.2** Do not submit Product Data until compliance with requirements of the Contract Documents has been confirmed.

**8.14.3** Preliminary Submittal: Submit a preliminary single copy of Product Data where selection of options is required.

**8.14.4** Submittals: Submit 7 copies of each required submittal; submit an additional 3 copies where required for maintenance manuals. The Architect will retain one and will return the others marked with action taken and corrections or modifications required.

**8.14.5** Unless noncompliance with Contract Document provisions is observed, the submittal may serve as the final submittal.

**8.14.6** Distribution: Furnish copies of final submittal to installers, subcontractors, suppliers, manufacturers, fabricators, and others required for performance of construction activities. Show distribution on transmittal forms.

**8.14.7** Do not proceed with installation until a copy of Product Data is in the Installer's possession.

**8.14.8** Do not permit use of unmarked copies of Product Data in connection with construction.

**8.15** Samples: Submit full-size, fully fabricated Samples cured and finished as specified and physically identical with the material or product proposed. Samples include partial sections of manufactured or fabricated components, cuts or containers of materials, color range sets, and swatches showing color, texture, and pattern.

**8.15.1** Store, mount or display Samples on site in the manner to facilitate review of qualities indicated. Prepare Samples to match the Architect's sample. Include the following:

- a. Specification Section number and reference.
- b. Generic description of the Sample.
- c. Sample source.
- d. Product name or name of the manufacturer.
- e. Compliance with recognized standards.
- f. Availability and delivery time.

**8.15.2** Submit Samples for review of size, kind, color, pattern, and texture. Submit Samples for a final check of these characteristics with other elements and a comparison of these characteristics between the final submittal and the actual component as delivered and installed.

- a. Where variation in color, pattern, texture, or other character-

istic is inherent in the material or product represented, submit at least three (3) multiple units that show approximate limits of the variations.

- b. Refer to other Specification Sections for requirements for Samples that illustrate workmanship, fabrication techniques, details of assembly, connections, operation, and similar construction characteristics.
- c. Refer to other Sections for Samples to be returned to the Contractor for incorporation in the Work. Such Samples must be undamaged at time of use. On the transmittal, indicate special requests regarding disposition of Sample submittals.
- d. Samples not incorporated into the Work are the property of the Contractor and shall be removed from the site prior to Substantial Completion.

**8.15.3** Preliminary Submittals: Submit a full set of choices where Samples are submitted for selection of color, pattern, texture, or similar characteristics from a range of standard choices, unless otherwise noted in specification section.

- a. The Architect will review and return preliminary submittals with the Architects notation, indicating selection and other action.

**8.15.4** Submittals: Except for Samples illustrating assembly details, workmanship, fabrication techniques, connections, operation, and similar characteristics, submit three (3) sets. The Architect will return one set marked with the action taken.

**8.15.5** Maintain sets of Samples, as returned, at the Project Site, for quality comparisons throughout the course of construction.

**8.15.6** Unless noncompliance with Contract Document provisions is observed, the submittal may serve as the final submittal.

**8.15.7** Sample sets may be used to obtain final acceptance of the construction associated with each set.

**8.15.8** Distribution of Samples: Prepare and distribute additional sets to subcontractors, manufacturers, fabricators, suppliers, installers, and others as required for performance of the Work. Show distribution on transmittal forms.

**8.15.9** Field samples are full-size examples erected on-site to illustrate finishes, coatings, or finish materials and to establish the Project standard.

**8.16 Quality Assurance Submittals:** Submit quality-control submittals, including design data, certifications, manufacturer's instructions, manufacturer's field reports, and other quality-control submittals as required under other Sections of the Specifications.

**8.16.1** Certifications: Where other Sections of the Specifications require certification that a product, material, or installation complies with specified requirements, submit a notarized certification from the manufacturer certifying compliance with specified requirements.

**8.16.2** Signature: Certification shall be signed by an officer of the manufacturer or other individual authorized to sign documents on behalf of the company.

**8.16.3** Inspection and Test Reports: Requirements for submittal of inspection and test reports from independent testing agencies are specified in Division 1 Section "Quality Control".

**8.17 Architect's Action:** Except for submittals for the record or information, where action and return is required, the Architect will review each submittal, mark to indicate action taken, and return promptly.

a. Compliance with specified characteristics is the Contractor's responsibility.

**8.17.1** Action Stamp: The Architect will stamp each submittal with a uniform, action stamp. The Architect will mark the stamp appropriately to indicate the action taken, as follows:

a. Final Unrestricted Release: When the Architect marks a submittal "Approved for fabrication," the Work covered by the submittal may proceed provided it complies with requirements of the Contract Documents. Final payment depends on that compliance.

b. Final-But-Restricted Release: When the Architect marks a submittal "Incorporate Notations," the Work covered by the submittal may proceed provided it complies with notations or corrections on the submittal and requirements of the Contract Documents. Submit corrected copies for record. Final pay-

ment depends on that compliance.

c. Returned for Resubmittal: When the Architect marks a submittal "Rejected, or Revise and Resubmit," do not proceed with Work covered by the submittal, including purchasing, fabrication, delivery, or other activity. Revise or prepare a new submittal according to the notations; resubmit without delay. Repeat if necessary to obtain different action mark.

**8.17.2** Other Action: Where a submittal is for information or record purposes or special processing or other activity, the Architect will return the submittal marked "Action Not Required."

**8.17.3** Unsolicited Submittals: The Architect will discard unsolicited submittals without action.

**8.18** Do not use, or allow others to use, submittals marked "Rejected, or Revise and Resubmit" at the Project Site or elsewhere where Work is in progress.

**8.19** The Contractor shall allow a minimum of two weeks for the Agency and its agents' review of Submittals. No extension of the Contract Time shall be granted for revisions and resubmission. Further, the Contractor shall allow a minimum of eight weeks for testing and acceptance of the Work by the Agency and its agents.

## **Article 9** **EQUALS AND SUBSTITUTIONS**

Definitions in this Article do not change or modify the meaning of other terms used in the Contract Documents.

**9.1** Equals or Substitutions General: Changes in products, materials, equipment, and methods of construction required by the Contract Documents proposed by the Contractor after award of the Contract.

**9.2** Equal: Any deviation from the specification which is defined as follows: A replacement for the specified material, device, procedure, equipment, etc., which is recognized and accepted as substantially equal to the first listed manufacturer or first listed procedure specified, after review, by the Architect and may be rejected or approved at the sole discretion of the owner. All equals must be substantially equivalent to the first manufacturer or first procedure listed in the Specifications with reference to all of the following areas: the substance and function considering quality, workmanship, economy of operation, durability and suitability.

bility for purposes intended; size, rating and cost. The equal does not constitute a modification in the scope of Work, the Schedule or Architect/Engineer's design intent of the specified material, device, procedure, equipment, etc.

**9.3 Substitution:** Any deviation from the specified requirements, which is defined as follows: A replacement for the specified material, device, procedure, equipment, etc., which is not recognized or accepted as equal to the first manufacturer or procedure listed in the Specification after review by the Architect and may be rejected or approved by the Agency. The Substitution is not equal to the specified requirement in comparison to the first manufacture or first procedure listed in the Specifications in one or more of the following areas: the substance and function considering quality, workmanship, economy of operation, durability and suitability for purposes intended; size; cost and rating. The Substitution constitutes a modification in the scope of Work, the Schedule or the Architect/Engineer's design intent of the specified material, device, procedure, equipment, etc.

**9.3.1** The following are not considered to be requests for Equals or Substitutions:

- a. Revisions to the Contract Documents requested by the Agency or Architect.
- b. Specified options of products and construction methods included in the Contract Documents.
- c. The Contractor's determination of and compliance with governing regulations and orders issued by governing authorities having jurisdiction.

**9.4 Submittals: Equals and Substitution Request Submittals:** The Owner will consider requests for equals or substitutions if received within time period of thirty (30) calendar days from the contract award. Requests received more than the days specified will be rejected.

**9.4.1** The Contractor is required to prepare and submit 3 copies of the required data for the first manufacturer listed or procedure listed in the specifications section with reference to all of the following areas: the substance and function considering quality, workmanship, economy of operation, durability and suitability for purposes intended including the size, rating and cost. All submissions must include all the required data for the first listed manufacturer or procedure as specified, as well as the required data for the proposed Equal or Substitution. This will enable the Agency and Architect/Engineer to determine that the proposed Equal or Substitution is or is not substantially equal to the first listed manufacturer or procedure.

**9.4.2** The Contractor is required to identify the product or the fabrication or installation method to be replaced in each request. Include related Specification Section and Drawing numbers.

**9.4.3** The Contractor is required to provide complete documentation showing compliance with the requirements for equals or substitutions, and the following information, as appropriate on a "Substitution Request" form as required by the Agency:

- h. Coordination information, including a list of changes or modifications needed to other parts of the Work and to construction performed by the Agency and separate contractors, that will be necessary to accommodate the proposed Equal or Substitution.
- h. A detailed comparison chart of significant qualities of the proposed substitution with those of the Work specified. Significant qualities may include elements, such as performance, weight, size, durability, and visual effect.
- h. Product Data, including Shop Drawings and descriptions of products and fabrication and installation procedures.
- h. Samples, where applicable or requested.
- h. A statement indicating the effect on the Contractor's Construction Schedule compared to the schedule without approval of the Equal or Substitution. Indicate the effect on overall Contract Time.
- h. Cost information, broken down, including a proposal of the net change, if any in the Contract Sum.
- h. The Contractor's certification that the proposed Equal or Substitution conforms to requirements in the Contract Documents in every respect and is appropriate for the applications indicated.
- h. The Contractor's waiver of rights to additional payment or time that may subsequently become necessary because of the failure of the Equal or Substitution to perform adequately.

**9.5 Architect's/Engineer's Action:** If necessary, the Architect/Engineer will request additional information or documentation for evaluation within one week of receipt of the original request for equal or substitution request. The Architect/Engineer will notify the Construction Administrator who will notify the Agency of recommended acceptance or rejection of the proposed equal or substitution, within two (2) weeks of receipt of the request, or one (1) week of receipt of additional information or documentation, whichever is later. The Construction Administrator will give final acceptance or rejection by the Agency not less than one (1) week after notification.

**9.6** Any request deemed an "Equal" and accepted by the Construction Administrator, Architect, and Agency will result in written notification to the Contractor and will not be in the form of a change order for an "Equal".

**9.7** Any request deemed a "Substitution" and rejected or approved by Construction Administrator, Architect, and Agency may result in written notification to the Contractor and may be in the form of a change order if the "Substitution" is approved.

**9.8 Equal or Substitutions:** Conditions: The Architect will consider the Contractor's request for Equal or Substitution of a product or method of construction when one or more of the following conditions are satisfied, as determined by the Architect. If the following conditions are not satisfied, the Architect will return the requests to the Construction Administrator without action except to record noncompliance with these requirements.

- a. The proposed request does not require extensive revisions to the Contract Documents.
- b. The proposed request is in accordance with the general intent of the Contract Documents.
- c. The proposed request is timely, fully documented, and/or properly submitted. The proposed request can be provided within the Contract Time. However, the Architect will not consider the proposed request if it is a result of the Contractor's failure to pursue the Work promptly or coordinate activities properly.
- d. The proposed request will offer the Agency a substantial advantage, in cost, time, energy conservation, or other considerations, after deducting additional responsibilities the Agency must

assume. However, if the proposed request requires the Owner to incur additional responsibilities, including but not limited to, additional compensation to the Architect for redesign and evaluation services, increased cost of other construction by the Owner or similar considerations, then the Owner will have just cause to reject the request for Equal or Substitution.

- e. The proposed request can receive the necessary approvals, in a timely manner, required by governing authorities having jurisdiction.
- f. The proposed request can be provided in a manner that is compatible with the Work as certified by the Contractor.
- g. The proposed request can be coordinated with the Work as certified by the Contractor.
- h. The proposed request can uphold the warranties required by the Contract Documents as certified by the Contractor.

**9.9** The Contractor's submission and the Architect's review of Submittals, including but not limited to, Samples, Manufacturer's Data, Shop Drawings, or other such items, which are not clearly identified as a request for an Equal or Substitution, will not be considered or accepted as a valid request for an Equal or Substitution, nor does it constitute an approval.

## **Article 10** **SEPARATE CONTRACTS**

**10.1** The Agency reserves the right to perform Work in connection with the Contract with the Agency's own forces, or to let separate contracts relating to the Contract (Project) site or in connection with work on adjoining sites. In such cases, the Contractor shall afford such parties reasonable opportunity for storage of materials and equipment and coordinate and connect the Work with the work on adjoining sites or other projects, and shall fully cooperate with such parties.

**10.2** Contractors working in the same vicinity shall cooperate with one another and, in case of dispute, decision of the Agency shall be final and binding to all Contractors involved, including Contractors under separate Contracts.



**10.3** The Contractor shall assume all liability, financial or otherwise, in connection with this Contract and shall protect and hold harmless the Agency from any and all damages or claims that may arise because of inconvenience or delay which the Contractor may cause other Contractors. If the Contractor experiences a loss because of the presence and operations of other Contractors working adjacent to or within the limits of the same project, then as between the Agency and the Contractor, the Contractor shall bear such loss.

**10.4** Insofar as possible, the Contractor shall arrange the Work and shall place and dispose of the materials being used so as not to interfere with the operations of other Contractors adjacent to or within the limits of the same project. The Contractor shall join its Work with that of others in an acceptable manner, and perform the Work in proper accordance with that of the others.

**10.5** In no event shall the Agency be responsible for any claim or damages that are the result of the Contractor's failure to coordinate the work with any Contractor or Subcontractor.

**Article 11**  
**COOPERATION OF TRADES**

**11.1** The Contractor shall be responsible for and shall control all activities of their Subcontractors. The Subcontractors shall consult and cooperate with one another. Each Subcontractor shall furnish all necessary information to other Subcontractors and shall lay out and install their own Work so as to avoid any delays or interference with the Work of others.

**11.2** Any cost or changes, cutting and/or repairing, made necessary by the failure to observe the above requirements shall be borne by the party or parties responsible for such failure or neglect or their faulty Work installed.

**Article 12**  
**DAMAGES**

**12.1** The Liquidated Damages, provided in the Bidding Documents, will be assessed for each day beyond the date given for Substantial Completion of the Contract according to the Contract Time.

**12.2** The Liquidated Damages or any portion thereof may be waived at the sole discretion of the Agency.

**12.3** No payment by the Agency, either partial or final, shall be construed to waive the Agency's right to seek liquidated damages.

**12.4** In the event a court determines that the contract herein is null and void for any reason, Contractor agrees that Contractor will not seek or pursue any lawsuit or claim for damages, including, but not limited to, claims for loss of overhead or anticipated profits, against the Agency and the Agency shall not be liable for any damages which Contractor may incur as a result of such decision. In addition, if the court enjoins the Agency from entering into or proceeding with the contract herein, the Agency shall not be liable for any damages arising out of or relating to the award of such contract which Contractor may have incurred as a result of the injunction.

**Article 13**  
**MINIMUM WAGE RATES**

In accordance with the provisions of the Connecticut General Statutes Section 31-53, the following applies:

"The wages paid on an hourly basis to any mechanic, laborer or workman employed upon the work herein contracted to be done and the amount of payment or contribution paid or payable on behalf of each such employee to any employee welfare fund, as defined in subsection (h) of section 31-53 of the general statutes, shall be at a rate equal to the rate customary or prevailing for the same work in the same trade or occupation in the town in which such public works project is being constructed. Any contractor who is not obligated by agreement to make payment or contribution on behalf of such employees to any such employee welfare fund shall pay to each employee as part of his wages the amount of payment or contribution for his classification on each pay day."

**Article 14**  
**POSTING MINIMUM WAGE RATES**

**14.1** The Contractor shall post at conspicuous points on the site of the Contract a Schedule showing all determined wage rates for all trades and all authorized deductions, if any, from wages to be paid.

**14.2** The Contractor shall provide weekly certified payrolls to the Agency for all persons working on the site.

**Article 15**  
**CONSTRUCTION SCHEDULES**

**15.1** Unless otherwise specified in the Contract Documents, within seven (7) calendar days from the contract start date, the Contractor shall submit the following to the Agency for approval:

- a. A comprehensive Schedule of Activities. Said schedule shall include Submittal dates, required approval dates and date material must be on site.

**15.2** Within **seven (7) days** of the Agency's issuance of a Contract, the Contractor shall submit to the Construction Administrator **three (3) copies** of a Construction Schedule for this Project. The Schedule shall be in bar chart form and shall include all aspects of the work, the interrelationship of the various trades, and the critical path of the job. The schedule shall include a timeline for the submission, review and approval of shop drawings for critical path items, and delivery and installation dates for those same critical path, or long lead time items, (such as electrical transformers and elevator). The Schedule shall coincide with the Contractor's approved Schedule of Values. The Schedule shall indicate a completion date in advance of the date established for Substantial Completion. The Schedule shall be acceptable to the Architect/Engineer and the Construction Administrator. It shall be revised and reissued at the beginning of every month for the duration of the project. This monthly update progress Schedule shall include a summary comparison of the original schedule and the latest updated schedule (previous month) showing all activity description and dates. These comparison schedules shall be in the form of a summary bar chart, an activity listing report, and actual to target comparisons. The reports shall include critical activities, float time, duration of each activity, dates of each activity, and the network logic (including successors and predecessors of each activity). Included with the written report and copy of the schedule submission, there also shall be a 3- 1/2" computer diskette noting the above referenced requirements. Failure to provide the Architect/Engineer, or the Construction Administrator with an acceptable, revised Schedule, within **seven (7) days** of the receipt of a written request, may result in the withholding of the Contractor's monthly progress payments until such a Schedule is received.

**15.3** Phasing: The Contractor shall include, as part of the Construction Schedule, all proposed phasing for execution of the work. The phasing must incorporate all aspects of the work and shall reflect coordination with any concurrent projects undertaken by Agency, and any partial occupancy requirements of the Agency.

**15.4** Project Schedule Format:

- a. Format: Utilize a horizontal bar chart (ganttt) with a separate bar for each major portion of the Work or operation, identifying first work day of each week.
- b. Program: Use Microsoft Project, latest version.
- c. Sequence of Listings: Utilize the Table of Contents of this Project Manual and the chronological order of the start of each item of work.
- d. Scale and Spacing: Provide space for notations and revisions.
- e. Sheet Size: To be coordinated with Construction Administrator.

**15.5** Quality Assurance: The Contractor's Consultant: Retain a knowledgeable person and/or consultant to provide planning, evaluating, and reporting by CPM scheduling. The Agency may waive the requirement to retain a consultant if the Contractor can demonstrate that:

- a. The Contractor has the computer equipment required to produce construction schedules.
- b. The Contractor employs skilled personnel with experience in construction scheduling and reporting techniques.

**15.6** Computer Program for Project Schedules: Use "Microsoft Project" compatible, latest version.

**15.7** Standards: Comply with procedures contained in AGC's "Construction Planning & Scheduling."

**15.8** Content: Provide the following:

- a. Show complete sequence of construction by activity, with dates beginning and completion of each element of construction.
- b. Identify each item by specification section number.
- c. Identify work of separate phases other and other logically grouped activities.
- d. Show accumulated percentages of completion of each item, and total percentage of Work completed, as of the first day of each month.
- e. Provide separate schedule of submittal dates for shop drawings, product data, and samples, Owner/Agency furnished products and any products identified as under Allowances, and dates reviewed submittals will be required from Architect/Engineer. Indicate decision dates for selection of finishes.
- f. Indicate delivery dates for Agency furnished products and any products identified as under Allowances.
- g. Coordinate content with Schedule of Values.

**15.8.1** Submittals And Revisions To Schedules: Provide the following:

- a. Indicate progress of each activity to date of submittal, and projected completion date of each activity.
- b. Identify activities modified since previous submittal, major changes in scope, other identifiable changes.
- c. Provide narrative report to define problem areas, anticipated delays, and impact on Schedule. Report corrective action taken, or proposed, and its effect.

**15.9** Unless otherwise specified under the Contract Documents, the Contractor shall provide a monthly update of the Construction Schedule in the format required by the Agency as well as a disk of the updated Schedule and program. If, in the opinion of the Agency, the Work is falling behind Schedule, the Contractor shall submit a revised Schedule demonstrating a recovery plan to ensure Substantial Completion of the Work within the Contract Time.

**15.10** Requisitions for partial payment will not be processed until the Contractor has complied with this requirement.

## **Article 16**

### **PREFERENCE IN EMPLOYMENT**

**16.1** Should this Contract be for the construction or repair of any building, then in the employment of labor to perform the Work specified herein, preference shall be given to citizens of the United States, who are, and continuously for at least three (3) months prior to the date hereof, have been residents of the labor market area, as established by the State of Connecticut Labor Commissioner, in which such Work is to be done, and if no such qualified person is available, then to citizens who have continuously resided in the county in which the Work is to be performed for at least three (3) months prior to the date hereof, and then to citizens of the state who have continuously resided in the State at least three months prior to the date hereof.

**16.2** Should this Contract be for a public works project other than for the construction, remodeling or repairing of public buildings covered by Connecticut General Statutes Section 31-52, then in the employment of mechanics, laborers or workmen to perform the Work specified herein, preference will be given to residents of the state who are, and continuously for at least six (6) months prior to the date hereof have been residents of this State, and if not such person is available then to residents of other states.

**16.3** The provisions of this Article shall not apply where the state or any sub-division thereof may suffer the loss of revenue granted or to be granted from any agency or department of the federal government as a result of this Article or regulations related thereto.

## **Article 17**

### **MODIFICATION PROCEDURES**

**17.1** Summary: This Section specifies administrative and procedural requirements for handling and processing contract modifications.

**17.2** Minor Changes in the Work: The Architect, through the Construction Administrator, may issue supplemental instructions authorizing Minor Changes in the Work, not involving adjustment to the Contract Sum or Contract Time, on the "Supplemental Instructions" form as required by the Agency.

**17.3** Proposal Request: The following is the outlined procedure:

- a. Architect/Agency-Initiated Requests For Proposals: The Architect or Agency will issue a detailed description of proposed changes in the Work via the Construction Administrator that will require adjustment to the Contract Sum or Contract Time. If necessary, the description will include supplemental or revised Drawings and Specifications. Such requests

- shall be on a "Proposal Request" form as required by the Agency.
- b. "Proposal Request" is issued for information only. Do not consider them as an instruction either to stop work in progress or to execute the proposed change.
  - c. Within Seven (7) Calendar Days of receipt of a "Proposal Request", submit an "Change Order Proposal" with the required information necessary to execute the change to the Construction Administrator for the Architect's/Agency's review.
  - d. Include a list of quantities of products required and unit costs, with the total amount of purchases to be made. Where requested, furnish survey data to substantiate quantities.
  - e. Indicate applicable delivery charges, equipment rental, and amounts of trade discounts.
  - f. Include a statement indicating the effect the proposed change in the Work will have on the Contract Time.

**17.4** The Agency is tax exempt. All Contractor and Subcontractor services provided under your contract with the State of Connecticut may not be exempt from taxes. The State of Connecticut, Department of Revenue Services can guide you as to which services are exempt and which are not.

- a. The State of Connecticut construction contract has the following tax exemptions:
- b. Purchasing of materials which will be physically incorporated and become a permanent part of the project.
- c. Tools, supplies and equipment used in fulfilling the construction contract are not exempt.
- d. Services that are resold by the contractor are exempt, i.e. if a General Contractor hires a plumber, to be integral and inseparable component parts of the building contract.
- e. Dollar values shown on the Schedule of Values shall not be the governing (or deciding) final amounts for change orders involving either additional charges or deletions.

**17.5** Requests for Information: In the event that the contractor, subcontractor or Construction Administrator, determines that some portion of the drawings, specifications, existing site conditions or other contract documents requires clarification or interpretation by the Architect, then

they shall submit a "Request for Information" in writing to the Architect via Construction Administrator. "Requests for Information" shall be submitted on the "Request for Information" forms as required by the Agency. The "Request for Information", shall clearly and concisely set forth the issue for which clarification or interpretation is sought and why a response is needed from the Architect. The following shall apply:

- a. In the "Request for Information", the writer shall set forth an interpretation or understanding of the requirement along with reasons why such an understanding was reached.
- b. The Agency acknowledges that this is a complex project. Based upon the Agency's past experience with projects of similar complexity, the Agency anticipates that there will probably be some "Requests for Information" on this project.
- c. The Architect will review all "Requests for Information" to determine whether they are "Requests for Information" within the meaning of this term. If it is determined that the document is not a "Request for Information", it will be returned to the contractor, unreviewed as to content, for resubmittal on the proper form and in the proper manner.
- d. A "Requests for Information Response" shall be issued within seven (7) Calendar Days of receipt of the request unless the Agency determines that a longer time is necessary to provide an adequate response. If a longer time is determined necessary by the Agency, the Agency will, within seven (7) Calendar Days of receipt of the request, notify the writer of the anticipated response time. If the contractor submits a "Request for Information" on an activity with seven (7) Calendar Days or less of float on the current project schedule, the contractor shall not be entitled to any time extension due to the time it takes the Architect to respond to the request provided that the Architect responds within the seven (7) Calendar Days set forth above.
- e. A "Requests for Information Response" from Architect will not change any requirement of the contract documents. In the event the contractor believes that the "Requests for Information Response" will cause a change to the requirements of the contract document, the contractor shall immediately give written notice to the Construction Administrator stating that the contractor believes the "Requests for Information Response" will result in "Change Order" and the Contractor intends to submit a "Change Order Proposal" request. Failure to give such written notice immediately shall

waive the contractor's right to seek additional time or cost under the requirement these Requirements.

**17.6 Change Order Proposal:** When either a "Request for Information" from the Contractor or a "Proposal Request" from the Architect or Agency results in conditions that may require modifications to the Contract, the Contractor may propose changes by submitting a request for a "Change Order Proposal" to the Architect via the Construction Administrator on forms as required by the Agency. These forms shall also include "Change Order Proposal Worksheets" as required by the Agency. The following shall apply:

- a. Include statements outlining the reasons for the change and the effect of the change on the Work. Provide a complete description of the proposed change. Indicate the effect of the proposed change on the Contract Sum and Contract Time.
- b. Include a list of quantities of products required and unit costs, with the total amount of purchases to be made. Where requested, furnish survey data to substantiate quantities.
- c. Indicate applicable delivery charges, equipment rental, and amounts of trade discounts.
- d. Comply with requirements in Equals and Substitutions if the proposed change requires an equal or substitution of one product or system for a product or system specified.

**17.7 "Change Order Request" Forms:** Use "Change Order Proposal" and "Change Order Proposal Worksheets" forms as required by Agency.

**17.8 Construction Change Directive:** When the Agency and the Contractor disagree on the terms of a "Change Order Proposal" resulting from either a "Request for Information" or "Proposal Request", then the Architect through the Construction Administrator may issue a "Construction Change Directive" on a "Construction Change Directive" as authorized by the Agency on the form required by the Agency. The "Construction Change Directive" instructs the Contractor to proceed with a change in the Work, for subsequent inclusion in a "Change Order".

**17.8.1** The "Construction Change Directive" contains a complete description of the change in the Work. It also designates the method to be followed to determine change in the Contract Sum or Contract Time. The Contractor shall maintain detailed records on a time and material basis of work required by the "Construction Change Directive".

After completion of the change, submit an itemized account and supporting data necessary to substantiate cost and time adjustments to the Contract. The final value shall be negotiated based on the supporting data to determine the value of the work.

**17.9 Change Order Procedures:** Upon the Agency's approval of a Contractor's "Change Order Proposal", the Construction Administrator will issue a "Change Order" for signatures of the Architect, Agency and the Contractor on "Change Order" form as required by the Agency.

### **Article 18** **COMPENSATION FOR CHANGES** **IN THE WORK**

**18.1** At any time, without invalidating the Contract and by a written order and without notice to the sureties, the Agency, through the Construction Administrator, may order modifications in the Work consisting of additions, deletions or other revisions. Upon request, the Contractor shall supply the Construction Administrator promptly with a detailed proposal for the same, showing quantities of and unit prices for the Work and that of any Subcontractor involved.

**18.2** Modifications to the Work will be authorized by a written Change Order, or if necessary to expedite the Work, a written Construction Change Directive. Change Orders and Construction Change Directives shall be processed in accordance with the terms of the Contract Documents. Upon receipt of the written Change Order, the Contractor shall proceed with the Work when and as directed.

**18.3** If such Change Orders make the Work less expensive for the Contractor, the proper deductions shall be made from the Contract Sum, said deductions to be computed in accordance with the provisions listed in this Article 18.

**18.4** The Contractor and the Agency agree that the Contract Time specified for the performance of the Contract shall include not only the Work of the original Contract but also any Additional Work ordered by the Agency by Change Order. No extension of time will be granted if it is the opinion of the Agency that the additional Work can be performed concurrently with the original Work.

**18.5** The Contractor may request, and the Agency may grant additional contract time when, in the opinion of the Agency, the Contractor has demonstrated that such additional work cannot be performed concurrently with the original Work.

**18.6** The amount of compensation to be paid to the Contractor for any Additional or Deleted Work that results in a

Change Order shall be determined in one of the following manners:

**18.6.1 AMOUNT OF COMPENSATION FOR CHANGE ORDER COSTS: LABOR, EQUIPMENT, BENEFITS AND MATERIAL**

**18.6.1.1** Unit Price: As stated in the Contract Documents.

**18.6.1.2** Unit Price: As subsequently agreed upon by the Contractor and Agency.

**18.6.1.3** Lump Sum: Agreed upon sum by the Agency and the Contractor. The Lump Sum must be based upon the following itemized costs:

**18.6.1.3.1** Labor (Contractor's or Subcontractor's own forces).

**18.6.1.3.2** Material (Used by Contractor's or Subcontractor's own forces).

**18.6.1.3.3** Benefits: (The established rates of the following benefit costs inherent to the particular labor involved):

**18.6.1.3.3.1** Workers Compensation.

**18.6.1.3.3.2** Federal Social Security.

**18.6.1.3.3.3** Connecticut Unemployment Compensation.

**18.6.1.3.3.4** Fringe Benefits.

**18.6.1.3.4** Rented Equipment (Used directly on the Work and by the Contractor's or Subcontractor's own forces).

**18.6.1.3.5** Owned Equipment (Used directly on the Work and by the Contractor's or Subcontractor's own forces). Daily rate is not to exceed 3% of the monthly rental rate as identified by a nationally recognized construction cost estimating guide or service.

**18.6.1.3.6** Trade related equipment, hand tools and power tools, normally supplied with the labor are not compensable.

**18.6.2 OVERHEAD AND PROFIT PERCENTAGES:** (Maximum allowable percentages applied to labor, equipment, benefits and material).

**18.6.2.1** Contractor's markup for Work performed by their own forces:

<b>Change Order Amount</b>	<b>Overhead and Profit</b>
\$0 to \$ 5,000	20%
\$5,001 to \$15,000	17%

\$15,001 to \$25,000	15%
\$25,000 and greater	12%

**18.6.3 OVERHEAD AND PROFIT PERCENTAGES:** (Maximum allowable percentages applied to labor, equipment, benefits and material).

**18.6.3.1** Contractor's markup for Work performed by their Subcontractors forces:

<b>Change Order Amount</b>	<b>Overhead and Profit</b>
\$0 and greater	6%

**18.6.4 OVERHEAD AND PROFIT PERCENTAGES:** (Maximum allowable percentages applied to labor, equipment, benefits and material).

**18.6.4.1** Subcontractor's markup for Work performed by their own forces:

<b>Change Order Amount</b>	<b>Overhead and Profit</b>
\$0 to \$ 5,000	20%
\$5,001 to \$15,000	17%
\$15,001 to \$25,000	15%
\$25,000 and greater	12%

**18.6.5 OVERHEAD AND PROFIT PERCENTAGES:** (Maximum allowable percentages applied to labor, equipment, benefits and material).

**18.6.5.1** Subcontractor's markup for Work performed by their Secondary Subcontractor's forces.

<b>Change Order Amount</b>	<b>Overhead and Profit</b>
\$0 and greater	6%

**18.7** Actual additional bonding costs associated with the value of the Change Order will be compensable only when supported by a written documentation by the bonding company that the Change Order requires an increase to the original Performance, Payment, Labor or Material Bond. Such claims shall be held and calculated at the end of construction activities and to be included under Final Payment.

**18.8** If Unit Prices are not applicable and the parties cannot agree upon a lump sum, then the Agency, through the Construction Administrator take the following action(s):

**18.8.1** Issue a Construction Change Directive for the Additional or deleted Work. The amount of compensation shall be computed by the actual net costs to the Contractor based upon the following:

**18.8.1.1** Labor (Contractor's or Subcontractor's own forces).

**18.8.1.2** Material (Used by Contractor's or Subcontractor's own forces).

**18.8.1.3** Benefits: (The established rates of the following benefit costs inherent to the particular labor involved):

- 18.8.1.3.1** Workers Compensation.
- 18.8.1.3.2** Federal Social Security.
- 18.8.1.3.3** Connecticut Unemployment Compensation.
- 18.8.1.3.4** Fringe Benefits.

**18.8.1.4** Rented Equipment (Used directly on the Work and by the Contractor's or Subcontractor's own forces).

**18.8.1.5** Owned Equipment (Used directly on the Work and by the Contractor's or Subcontractor's own forces). Daily rate is not to exceed 3% of the monthly rental rate that can be identified by a nationally recognized construction cost estimating guide or service.

**18.8.2** Issue a Change Order adjusting the Contract Sum in the amount as determined by the Agency.

**18.9** For any Change Order or Construction Change Directive the Contractor shall, when requested, promptly furnish in a form satisfactory to the Construction Administrator and the Agency a complete detailed accounting of all costs relating to the Additional Work, including but not limited to certified payrolls and copies of accounts, bills and vouchers to substantiate actual costs. Further, the Agency reserves the right to access and make copies of the Contractor's records at any time upon written request to the Contractor.

**18.10** If the Contractor wishes to make a claim for an increase in the Contract Sum for any damages sustained as a result of Additional Work, then the Contractor shall give the Agency, through the Construction Administrator, written notice thereof within seven (7) calendar days after the occurrence of the event giving rise to such claims.

**18.11** No such claims shall be valid if the written notice is submitted after the required seven (7) calendar days. In addition, the Contractor shall file with the Agency, through the Construction Administrator, daily or weekly itemized statements of the details and cost of such Work performed or damage sustained as may be required by the Agency.

**18.12** Failure of the Contractor to negotiate in good faith issues of time and costs and failure to provide requested documentation within (14) fourteen calendar days, or a time period accepted by the Agency, shall constitute a waiver by the Contractor of any claim. In such cases the Agency may elect to issue a unilateral Change Order in an amount deemed to be fair and equitable by the Agency. The provisions hereof shall not affect the power of the Contractor to act in case of emergency, threatened injury to persons, or damage to Work on any adjoining property. In this case the Agency, through the Construction Administrator, shall issue a written order for such amount as the Agency finds to be reasonable cost of such Work.

## **Article 19** **DELETED WORK**

**19.1** Without invalidating any of the terms of the Contract, the Agency may order deleted from the Contract any items or portions of the Work deemed necessary by the Agency.

**19.2** The compensation to be deducted from the Contract Sum for such deletions shall be determined in the manner provided for under the provisions of Article 13 or in the event none of the provisions of Article 13 are applicable than by the value as estimated by the Agency.

## **Article 20** **MATERIALS: STANDARDS**

**20.1** Unless otherwise specifically provided for in the Specifications, all equipment, materials and articles incorporated in the Work are to be new and of the best grade of their respective kinds for the purposes. Wherever in the Contract Documents a particular brand, make of material, device, or equipment is shown or specified, the first manufacturer listed in the specification section is to be regarded as the standard. When the specification is proprietary and only one manufacturer is listed, the Contractor shall use the named manufacturer and no Substitutions or Equals will be allowed.

**20.2** Any other brand, make of material, device, equipment, procedure, etc. which is a deviation from the specified requirement is prohibited from use but may be considered by the Agency for approval as an Equal or Substitution. The Contractor is to adhere to the specific requirements of the Contract Documents. Substitutions are discouraged and are only approved by the Agency as an exception.

**20.3** Each request for an Equal or Substitution shall be submitted, with the appropriate documentation, as detailed in the Contract Documents, to the Construction Administrator. All requests will be compared to the first manufacturer or first procedure listed in the specific Specification section with reference to all of the following areas: the substance and function considering quality, workmanship, economy of operation, durability and suitability for purposes intended including the size, rating and cost. All submissions must include all the required data for the first listed manufacturer or procedure as specified, as well as the proposed Equal or Substitution. The submission of all Equals or Substitutions to those specified must be made within the days listed below after the contract start date. After that time period, the Contractor shall provide what is specified unless otherwise allowed within the sole discretion of the Agency.

**20.3.1** 30 days for projects having a Contract Time duration of 180 days or less.

**20.3.2** 60 days for projects having a Contract Time duration of 181 days to 360 days.

**20.3.3** 90 days for projects having a Contract Time duration of 361 days or greater.

**20.4** Contractor shall submit each request for Equal or Substitution to the Architect who shall review each request and make the following recommendations to the Agency:

**20.4.1** Acceptance or non-acceptance of the adequacy of the submission and required back-up,

**20.4.2** Determination of the category of the request for Substitution or Equal, and

**20.4.3** Overall recommendation for approval or rejection of the Substitution or Equal. The determination of the category as a Substitution may be grounds for an immediate rejection by the Agency.

**20.5** Approval of the Agency, for each Equal or Substitution shall be obtained before the Contractor proceeds with the Work. The decision of the Agency, in this regard, shall be final and binding on the Contractor.

**20.6** No extension of time will be allowed for the time period required for consideration of any Substitution or Equal. No extension of time will be allowed and no responsibility will be assumed by the Agency when a Contractor submits a request for Substitution or Equal, whether such request be approved or denied.

**20.7** If the Contractor submits any request for an Equal or a Substitution, he shall bear the burden of proof that such requested Equal or Substitution meets the requirements of the plans and specifications.

**20.8** The Contractor shall purchase no materials or supplies for the Work which are subject to any chattel mortgage or which are under a conditional sale or other agreement by which an interest is retained by the seller. The Contractor warrants that the Contractor has good title to all materials and supplies used by him in the Work.

**20.9** All Products and systems supplied to the State as result of a purchase by a contractor shall be certified that, to the best of the supplier's knowledge there are no materials that are classified as hazardous materials being used within the assembly. Hazardous materials include, but are not limited to, products such as asbestos, lead and other materials that have proven to cause a health risk by their presence.

specified elsewhere in the Contract Documents and required by authorities having jurisdiction. All tests required by the individual specification sections are required to be scheduled and notification given to the Construction Administrator forty-eight (48) hours in advance to the test/inspection as applicable.

**21.2** Where individual Sections specifically indicate that certain inspections, tests, and other quality-control services are the Contractor's responsibility, the Contractor shall employ and pay a qualified independent testing agency to perform quality-control services. Costs for these services are included in the Contract Sum.

**21.3** Where individual Sections specifically indicate that certain inspections, tests, and other quality-control services are the Agency's responsibility, the Owner will employ and pay a qualified independent testing agency to perform those services. Such services include Special Inspections as required by the latest adoption of the "Connecticut State Building Code".

**21.4** Where the Agency has engaged a testing agency for testing and inspecting part of the Work, and the Contractor is also required to engage an entity for the same or related element, the Contractor shall not employ the entity engaged by the Owner. The Agency will engage the services of a qualified Special Inspector for this project. The Special Inspector, as a representative of the Agency, shall document and confirm compliance with the provisions of the Connecticut State Building Code for Special Inspections.

**21.5** Materials and assemblers for this project will be tested and construction operations inspected as the work progresses. Failure to detect any defective work or material shall not in any way prevent later rejection when such defect is discovered nor shall it obligate the State for final acceptance.

**21.6** The Agency use of testing and inspection services shall in no way relieve the contractor of the responsibility to furnish materials and finished construction in full compliance with the Contract Documents and the Connecticut State Building Codes.

## **Article 21** **QUALITY CONTROL**

**21.1** Contractor Responsibilities: Unless otherwise indicated as the responsibility of another identified entity, the Agency, through the Construction Administrator, shall provide inspections, tests, and other quality-control services



**21.7 Retesting:** The Contractor is responsible for retesting where results of inspections, tests, or other quality-control services prove unsatisfactory and indicate noncompliance with Contract Document requirements, regardless of whether the original test was Contractor's responsibility.

**.7.1** The cost of retesting construction, revised or replaced by the Contractor, is the Contractor's responsibility where required tests performed on original construction indicated noncompliance with Contract Document requirements.

**21.7.2** The Agency will issue a credit change order to cover all costs incurred related to all re-tests/re-inspection due to non-compliance to the contract documents, including but not limited to the Agency's costs and the Consultants costs.

**21.8 Associated Services:** Cooperate with agencies performing required inspections, tests, and similar services, and provide reasonable auxiliary services as requested. Notify the agency sufficiently in advance of operations to permit assignment of personnel. Auxiliary services required include, but are not limited to, the following:

- a. Provide access to the Work.
- b. Furnish incidental labor and facilities necessary to facilitate inspections and tests.
- c. Take adequate quantities of representative samples of materials that require testing or assist the agency in taking samples.
- d. Provide facilities for storage and curing of test samples.
- e. Deliver samples to testing laboratories.
- f. Provide an approved design mix proposed for use for material mixes that require control by the testing agency.
- g. Provide security and protection of samples and test equipment at the Project Site.

**21.9 Duties of the Testing Agency:** The independent testing agency engaged to perform inspections, sampling, and testing of materials and construction specified in individual Sections shall cooperate with the Construction Administrator, Architect and the Contractor in performance of the testing agency's duties. The testing agency shall provide qualified personnel to perform required inspections and tests.

**21.9.1** The testing agency shall notify the Construction Administrator and the Contractor promptly of irregularities or deficiencies observed in the Work during performance of its services.

**21.9.2** The testing agency is not authorized to release, revoke, alter, or enlarge requirements of the Contract Documents or approve or accept any portion of the Work.

**21.9.3** The testing agency shall not perform any duties of the Contractor.

**21.10** Agency will pay for the services of an independent testing agency laboratory to perform inspections, tests and other services required by the Specifications except as noted below, listed for which the Owner will issue a deduct change order to cover the cost associated with these tests:

- a. When the Contractor notifies the Construction Administrator and/or Testing Agency less than twenty-four (24) hours before the expected time of testing.
- b. When the Contractor requires testing for his own convenience.
- c. When the Contractor schedules a test and is not ready for the required test.

**21.11** Fire Alarm/Acceptance Testing Procedures: The Contractor shall follow the "Acceptance Testing Procedures" as provided by the Agency prior to Acceptance Testing.

**21.11.1** Submittals: Unless the Contractor is responsible for this service, the independent testing agency shall submit a certified written report, in duplicate, of each inspection, test, or similar service to the Construction Administrator. If the Contractor is responsible for the service, submit a certified written report, in duplicate, of each inspection, test, or similar service through the Contractor.

**21.11.2** Submit additional copies of each written report directly to the governing authority, when the authority so directs.

**21.11.3** Report Data: Written reports of each inspection, test, or similar service include, but are not limited to, the following:

- a. Date of issue.
- b. Project title and number.
- c. Name, address, and telephone number of testing agency.
- d. Dates and locations of samples and tests or inspections.
- e. Names of individuals making the inspection or test.
- f. Designation of the Work and test method.
- g. Identification of product and Specification Section.
- h. Complete inspection or test data.
- i. Test results and an interpretation of test results.
- j. Ambient conditions at the time of sample taking and testing.
- k. Comments or professional opinion on whether inspected or tested Work complies with Contract Document requirements.
- l. Name and signature of laboratory inspector.
- m. Recommendations on re-testing.

**21.12** Quality Assurance: Engage inspection and testing service agencies, including independent testing laboratories, that are pre-qualified as complying with the National Voluntary Laboratory Accreditation Program and that specialize in the types of inspections and tests to be performed.

**21.12.1** Each independent inspection and testing agency engaged on the Project shall be authorized by authorities having jurisdiction to operate in the state where the Project is located.

**21.13** Repair and Protection: Upon completion of inspection, testing, sample taking and similar services, repair damaged construction and restore substrates and finishes. Comply with Contract Document requirements for Division 1 Section "Cutting and Patching."

**21.13.1** Protect construction exposed by or for quality-control service activities, and protect repaired construction.

**21.13.2** Repair and protection is Contractor's responsibility, regardless of the assignment of responsibility for inspection, testing, or similar services.

## **Article 22** **INSPECTION AND TESTS**

**22.1** The purpose of the inspections will be to assure that the Work is performed in accordance with the Contract Documents. These inspections shall include, but not be limited to all inspections and testing as required by the Agency, and any authorities have jurisdiction.

**22.2** All material and workmanship, if not otherwise designated by the Specifications, shall be subject to inspection, examination and test by the Agency at any and all times during manufacture and/or construction and at any and all places where such manufacture and/or construction is carried on. The Contract Documents additionally identify the parties responsible for performing and paying for the required testing and inspections. All required tests performed in a laboratory will be obtained and paid for by the Agency except when the tests show the Work to be defective. The Contractor shall pay for all the costs associated with re-tests and re-inspections for all tests and inspections which fail. The Agency will issue a deduct Change Order to recover said retesting costs from the Contractor. All other tests, unless otherwise specified, shall be made at the Contractor's expense. Notice of the time of all tests to be made at the site shall be given to all interested parties, including the Agency.

**22.3** Without additional cost to the Agency, the Contractor shall promptly furnish facilities, labor and materials necessary to coordinate and perform operational tests and check-out of the Work. The Contractor shall furnish promptly all reasonable facilities, labor and materials necessary to make all such testing safe and convenient.

**22.4** If, at any time before Final Completion and Final Acceptance of the Work, the Agency considers it necessary or advisable to examine of any portion of the Work already completed by removing or tearing out the same, the Contractor shall, upon request, furnish promptly all necessary facilities, labor and materials. If such Work is found to be defective in any material respect, as determined by the Agency, because of a fault of the Contractor or any of the

Contractor's Subcontractors, or if any Work shall have been covered without the approval or consent of the Agency or its representatives (whether or not it is found to be defective), the Contractor shall be liable for testing costs and all costs of correction, including removal and/or demolition of the defective work, including labor, material, and testing, including labor, material, re-testing or re-inspecting, services of required consultants, additional supervision, the Agency's and the Construction Administrator's administrative costs, and other costs for services of other consultants.

**Article 23**  
**ROYALTIES AND PATENTS**

**23.1** If the Contractor desires to use any design, device, material or process covered by a patent or copyright, the Contractor shall provide for such use by suitable legal agreement with the holder of said patent or copyright. The Contractor shall furnish a copy of this legal agreement to the Agency.

**23.2** The Contractor shall indemnify and hold harmless the Agency and Construction Administrator for any costs, expenses and damage which it may be obliged to pay by reason of any infringement of a patent or a copyright, at any time during the prosecution or after the Final Completion of the Work.

**Article 24**  
**SURVEYS, PERMITS AND REGULATIONS**

**24.1** Unless otherwise provided for, the Contractor shall furnish surveys necessary for the execution of the Work. The Agency will furnish the Contractor with two base lines and a benchmark.

**24.2** The Contractor shall obtain and pay for permits and licenses necessary for the execution of the Work and the occupancy and use of the completed Work.

**24.3** The Contractor shall give all notices and comply with all laws, ordinances, rules and regulations including building and fire safety codes relating to the performance of the Work.

**24.4** If underground utilities may involve part of the Work, the Contractor shall obtain the services of a qualified underground utility locating firm, at no cost to the Agency, to verify locations of underground utilities, to provide safety, protect the Work and protect the workmen as necessary to perform the Work.

**Article 25**  
**PROTECTION OF THE WORK,  
PERSONS AND PROPERTY**

**25.1** The Contractor shall continuously and adequately protect the Work against damage from any cause, and shall protect materials and supplies furnished by the Contractor or Subcontractors, whether or not incorporated in the Work, and shall make good any damage unless it be due directly to errors in the Contract Documents or is caused by agents or employees of the Agency.

**25.2** To the extent required by law, by public authority, or made necessary in order to safeguard the health and welfare of the personnel or occupants of any of the state institutions, the Contractor shall adequately protect adjacent property and persons, and provide and maintain all facilities, including but not limited to passageways, guard fences, lights, and barricades necessary for such protection.

**25.3** The Contractor shall take all necessary precautions for the safety of employees on the Work and shall comply with applicable provisions of federal and state safety laws and building codes to prevent accidents or injury to persons on, about or adjacent to the premises where the Work is being performed. The Contractor shall also comply with the applicable provisions of the Associated General Contractors' "Manual of Accident Prevention in Construction", and the standards of the Connecticut Labor Department and Occupational Safety and Hazard Association (OSHA).

**25.4** The Contractor shall erect and properly maintain at all times, as required by the conditions and progress of the Work, all necessary safeguards for the protection of employees of the State and the public, and shall post danger signs warning against any dangerous condition or hazard created by such things as protruding nails, well holes, elevator hatchways, scaffolding, window openings, excavations, tripping hazards or slipping, stairways and falling materials.

**25.5** The Contractor shall designate a qualified and responsible on site staff person, whose duty shall be the prevention of accidents. The name and position of the designated person shall be reported to the Agency by the Contractor at the commencement of the Contract.

**25.6** The Contractor shall at all times protect excavation, trenches, buildings and all items of Work from damage by rain, water from melted snow or ice, surface water run off and subsurface water usual for the vicinity at the time of operations; and provide all pumps and equipment and enclosures to insure such protection.

**25.7** The Contractor shall construct and maintain all necessary temporary drainage and do all pumping necessary to keep excavation, basements, footings and foundations free of water.

**25.8** The Contractor shall remove all snow and ice as may be required for access to the site and proper protection and prosecution of the Work.

**25.9** The Contractor shall install bracing, shoring, sheathing, sheet piling, caissons and any other underground facilities as required for safety and proper execution of the Work, and shall remove this portion of the Work when no longer necessary.

**25.10** During cold weather the Contractor shall protect all Work from damage. If low temperature makes it impossible to continue operations safely in spite of cold weather precautions, the Contractor may cease Work upon the written approval of the Agency.

**Article 26**  
**TEMPORARY UTILITIES**

**26.1** Unless expressly provided for otherwise in the Contract Documents, the Contractor shall include in the bid the costs of all temporary utilities required for project completion and protection of the Work. Said temporary utilities include but are not limited to lighting, heating, cooling, electrical power, water, telephone, sanitary facilities, and potable water.

**Article 27**  
**CORRECTION OF WORK**

**27.1** The Contractor shall promptly and without expense to the Owner remove from the premises all materials rejected by or unacceptable to the Construction Administrator as failing to conform to the Contract Documents, whether incorporated in the Work or not.

**27.2** The Contractor shall promptly and without expense to the Owner replace any such materials which do not conform to the Contract Documents, and shall bear the expense of making good all Work of other Contractors or Subcontractors destroyed or damaged by such removal or replacement.

**27.3** If the Contractor, after receipt of notice from the Agency, shall fail to remove such rejected or unacceptable materials within a reasonable time as fixed in said notice, the Owner may remove and store such materials at the expense of the Contractor.

**27.4** Such action shall not affect the obligation of the Contractor to replace and complete assembly and installation of the Work and to bear the expenses referred to above. Prior to the correction of rejected or unacceptable Work or if the Agency deems it inexpedient or undesirable to correct any portion of the Work which was rejected, deemed unacceptable or not done in accordance with the Contract Doc-

uments, the Contract sum shall be reduced by such amount as, in the judgment of the Agency, shall be equitable.

**27.5** No extension of time will be given to the Contractor for correction of rejected or unacceptable Work. All significant punchlist Work shall be completed before Substantial Completion is determined. The remaining minor punchlist Work, as determined by the Agency, shall be completed within 60 days of established Substantial Completion date.

**27.6** Final Payment shall not relieve the Contractor of responsibility for the defects in material or workmanship.

**27.7** Unless expressly provided for otherwise in the Contract Documents, the Contractor shall remedy any rejected or unacceptable Work, and any Work found to be not conforming to the Contract Documents which is discovered within 18 Months after the date of Substantial Completion. The Contractor shall pay for any damage to other Work caused by such nonconforming Work or any damage created in correcting the nonconforming Work.

**Article 28**  
**STARTING SYSTEMS**

**28.1 General:** The Contractor shall provide the following:

- a. Coordinate schedule for start-up of various equipment and systems with the Construction Administrator and Agency.
- b. Provide written notification to the Construction Administrator fourteen (14) Calendar Days prior to start-up of each item.
- c. Verify that each piece of equipment or system has been checked for proper lubrication, drive rotation, belt tension, and control sequence for other conditions that may cause damage.
- d. Verify that tests, meter readings, and specified electrical characteristics agree with those required by the equipment or system manufacturer.
- e. Verify in wiring and support components are complete and tested.
- f. Execute the start-up under supervision of manufacturer's representative, in accordance with manufacturer's instructions.
- g. When referenced in individual specification sections, require manufacturer to provide an authorized representative to be present at the site to inspect, check, and approve equipment or system installation prior to start-up, and to supervise placing equipment or system in operation.
- h. Submit a written report that the equipment or system has been properly installed and is functioning properly.

**28.2 Demonstration and Instructions:** The Contractor shall provide the following:

- a. Demonstrate operation and maintenance of Products to Architect/Engineer and Agency Personnel two (2) weeks prior to substantial completion. Provide a VHS type video record of all demonstrations.
- b. Demonstrate Project equipment and instruct in a classroom environment at location designated by the Construction Administrator and instructed by a qualified manufacturer's representative who is knowledgeable about the project.
- c. For equipment or systems requiring seasonal operation perform demonstration for season within six (6) months.

- d. Utilize operation and maintenance manuals as basis for instruction. Review contents of manual with Architect/Engineer and Agency Personnel in detail to explain all aspects of operation and maintenance.
- e. Demonstrate start-up, operation, control, adjustment, troubleshooting, servicing, and maintenance, and shutdown of each item at agreed upon scheduled time and at equipment or designated location.
- f. Prepare and insert additional data in operations and maintenance manuals when need for additional data becomes apparent during demonstration.

**28.3 Testing Adjusting, and Balancing:** The Contractor will employ and pay for the testing services of an independent consultant to verify the testing, adjusting, and balancing.

**28.3.1** Reports will be submitted by the independent testing consultant to the Construction Administrator indicating observations and results of tests and indicating compliance or non-compliance with the requirements of the Contract Documents.

**28.3.2** The Agency may employ and pay for the services of an independent consultant to verify testing, adjusting, and balancing which was performed by the Contractor.

#### **Article 29**

#### **GUARANTEES and WARRANTIES**

**29.1** Unless expressly provided for otherwise in the Contract Documents, the Contractor shall provide a warranty on the Work for an 18-Month period from the date of Substantial Completion. The Contractor shall warrant that the equipment, materials and workmanship are of good quality and new, unless permitted elsewhere by the Contract Documents, and that the Work shall be free from defects not inherent in the quality required or permitted and that the Work conforms to the Contract Documents.

**29.2** Disclaimers and limitations from manufactures, Subcontractors, suppliers or installers to the Contractor shall not relieve the Contractor of the Warranty on the Work. The Contract Documents detail the related damages, reinstatement of warranty, replacement cost and Agency's recourse.

#### **Article 30**

#### **CUTTING, FITTING, PATCHING AND DIGGING**

**30.1** The Contractor will perform or will cause the Subcontractors to perform all cutting, fitting or patching of the portion(s) of the Work that may be required to make the

several parts thereof joined and coordinated in a manner satisfactory to the Agency and in accordance with the Plans and Specifications.

**30.2** The responsibility for defective or ill-timed Work shall be with the Contractor, but such responsibility shall not in any way relieve the Subcontractor who performed such Work. Except with the consent of the Agency, neither the Contractor nor any of its Subcontractors shall cut or alter the Work of any other Contractor or Subcontractor.

**Article 31**  
**CLEANING UP**

**31.1** The Contractor shall, on a daily basis, keep the premises free from accumulations of waste material or rubbish.

**31.2** Prior to Final Completion of the Work, the Contractor shall remove from and about the site of the Work, all rubbish and all temporary structures, tools, scaffolding and surplus materials, supplies and equipment which may have been used in the performance of the Work. If the Agency in their sole discretion determines that the Contractor has failed to clean the work site, the Agency may remove the rubbish and charge the cost of such removal to the Contractor. A deduct Change Order will be issued by the Agency to recover such cost.

**Article 32**  
**ALL WORK SUBJECT TO CONTROL OF THE AGENCY**

**32.1** The Agency hereby declares that only authorized representatives may act in matters involving the Agency's or Architect's ability to revoke, alter, enlarge or relax any requirement of the Contract Documents; to settle disputes between the Contractor and the Construction Administrator; and act on behalf of the Agency. In all such matters, the provisions of Articles 13 and 14 herein shall guide the Agency.

**32.2** In no event may the Contractor act on any instruction of the Agency without written consent of the Agency. In the event the Contractor acts without such consent, he does so at his own risk and at his own expense, not only for the Work performed, but for the removal of such Work as determined necessary by the Agency.

**32.3** In the performance of the work, The Contractor shall abide by all orders, directions, and requirements of the Agency at such time and places and by such methods and in such manner and sequence as the Agency may require.

**32.4** The Agency shall determine the amount, quality, acceptability and fitness of all parts of the work, shall interpret the plans, specifications, Contract Documents and ex-

tra work orders and shall decide all other questions in connection with the Work.

**32.5** The Contractor shall employ no plant, equipment, materials, methods or persons to which the Agency objects and shall remove no plant materials, equipment or other facilities from the site of the Work without the permission of the Agency.

**Article 33**  
**CONSTRUCTION ADMINISTRATOR**

**33.1** The Construction Administrator employed by the Agency is authorized to inspect all Work for conformance to the Contract Documents. The Construction Administrator is authorized to reject all Work found to be defective, unacceptable and nonconforming to the Contract Documents. Such inspections and rejections may extend to all or any part of the Work, and to the preparation or manufacture of the material to be used.

**33.2** The Construction Administrator is not empowered to revoke, alter, enlarge or relax any requirements of the Contract Documents, or to issue instructions contrary to the Contract Documents. The Construction Administrator shall in no case act as foreman or perform other duties for the Contractor, nor shall the Construction Administrator interfere with the management of the Work by the Contractor. Any advice, which the Construction Administrator may give the Contractor, shall in no way be construed as binding the Agency in any way, nor releasing the Contractor from the fulfillment of the terms of the Contract.

**33.3** In any dispute arising between the Contractor and the Construction Administrator with reference to inspection and rejection of the Work, the Construction Administrator may suspend work on the noncompliant portion of the Work until the dispute can be referred to and decided by the Agency.

**33.4** The Construction Administrator is referred to in the Contract Documents as "Construction Administrator" or "Construction Manager" or by pronouns which imply it. All communications concerning the project will be directed through the Construction Administrator or a designated representative(s).

**33.5** The Construction Administrator is the Agency's Agent who will, among other things, monitor the Project including Contractor's performance, scheduling and construction, process shop drawings, material, and equipment submittals, review and process periodic billings, review and recommend cost changes.

**33.6** The Construction Administrator will process all requests for information, interpretations and decisions regard-

ing the meaning and intent of the Contract Documents, consulting with appropriate parties prior to rendering the interpretations or decisions to the Contractor. All such requests and replies shall be in writing.

**Article 34**  
**SCHEDULE OF VALUES,**  
**APPLICATION FOR PAYMENT**

**34.1** Immediately after the signing of the Contract, the Contractor shall furnish for the use of the Agency as a basis for estimating partial payments, a certified Schedule of Values, totaling the contract sum and broken down into quantities and unit costs, as outlined in the Contract Documents and as directed by the Agency. The Schedule of Values must reflect true costs and be in sufficient detail to be an effective tool for monitoring the progress of the Work. Upon request of the Agency, the Contractor shall supply copies of signed Contracts, vendor quotations, etc. as back up to the Schedule of Values.

**34.2** Submit the "Schedule of Values" to the Construction Administrator at the earliest possible date but no later than (7) seven Calendar Days after the Contract Award. The Schedule of Values is the basis for estimating partial payments. The Contractor shall furnish for the approval of the Construction Administrator and Architect, an accurate and certified Schedule of Values, broken down into quantities and unit costs for the various parts of the Work. The breakdown shall include a complete definition of all activities, systems and components that form the project. The use of lump sum or grouping of activities shall not be allowed without the written consent of the Construction Administrator. It shall be CAD generated, in a format provided by the Construction Administrator, divided as may be directed and it shall aggregate the total sum of the Contract. Also include a 3-1/2" computer diskette of the original and revised schedule to the Construction Administrator. If requested, the Contractor shall submit evidence supporting this Schedule.

**34.3** A separate "Schedule of Value" shall be provided for each Phase as identified in the Supplementary General Conditions and General Requirements - Section 01010 Summary of Work, Work Sequence - Phase(s).

**34.4** Use the Project Manual Table of Contents as a guide to establish the format for the "Schedule of Values". Provide at least one line item for each of the Specification Section on electronic media printout.

**34.5** Identification: Project identification on the Schedule of Values shall include, but not be limited to, the following:

- a. Owner
- b. Project Number
- c. Project Name
- d. Project Location
- e. Contractor's name and address.

**34.6** Arrange the "Schedule of Values" in tabular format as required by the Agency, containing separate columns including, but not limited to, the following Items:

- a. Item Number.
- b. Description of Work with Related Specification Section or Division Number.
- c. Scheduled Values broken down by description number, type material, units of each material.
- d. Name of subcontractor.
- e. Name of manufacturer or fabricator.
- f. Name of supplier.
- g. Retainage.
- h. Contract sum in sufficient detail.

**34.7** Provide for the Percentage of Contract Sum to nearest one-hundredth percent, adjusted to total 100 percent. Provide a breakdown of the Contract Sum in sufficient detail to facilitate continued evaluation of Applications for Payment and progress reports. Coordinate with the Project Manual table of contents. Break principal subcontract amounts down into several line items.

**34.8** Round amounts to nearest whole dollar; the total shall equal the Contract Sum.

**34.9** Unit-Cost Allowances: Show the line-item value of unit-cost allowances, as a product of the unit cost, multiplied by the measured quantity. Estimate quantities from the best indication in the Contract Documents.

**34.10** General Conditions: Show line items for indirect costs and margins on actual costs only when such items are listed individually in Applications for Payment. Each item in the Schedule of Values and Applications for Payment shall be complete. Include the total cost and proportionate share of general overhead and profit margin for each item.

- a. Temporary facilities and other major cost items that are not direct cost of actual work-in-place shall be shown as separate line items in the Schedule of Values.

### **Article 35**

#### **APPLICATION OF PAYMENTS: GENERAL**

**35.1** Applications for Payment - General: Each Application for Payment shall be consistent with previous applications and payments as certified by the Architect and Construction Administrator and paid for by the Agency.

**35.1.1** The initial "Application for Payment", the "Application for Payment", at time of "Substantial Completion", and the final "Application for Payment", involve additional requirements.

**35.1.2** Payment-Application Terms: The Agency will process monthly progress payments. The Contractor may submit applications for payment on a monthly basis.

**35.1.3** Payment-Application Forms: Use the "Application for Payment" form as required by the Agency. Present the required information on electronic media printout in the approved Agency Form, multiple pages should be used if required.

**35.1.4** For each item, provide a column including but not limited to the following items:

- a. Item Number.
- b. Description of Work and Related Specification Section or Division.
- c. Scheduled Value, break down by units of material and units of labor.
- d. Work completed from previous application.
- e. Work completed this period.
- f. Materials presently stored.
- g. Total completed and stored to date of application.
- h. Percentage of Completion.
- i. Balance to Finish.
- j. Retainage

**35.2** Application Preparation: Complete every entry on the form. Include final payment only and execution by a person authorized to sign legal documents on behalf of the Contractor. The Construction Administrator will return incomplete applications without action. Verify that entries match data on the "Schedule of Values" and include amounts of Change Orders.

**35.3** Approval of the Schedule of Values by the Agency is required prior to any payment by the Agency.

**35.4** The Schedule of Values shall include a breakdown of the Contractor's general condition costs.

**35.4.1** Non-recurring costs, (i.e. mobilization costs, utility hook-ups, temporary heat) will be paid at the time of occurrence.

**35.4.2** Reoccurring costs will be paid in proportion to the percent of completion of the project.

**35.5** The Schedule of Values shall include a breakdown of Contract closeout costs including systems certification testing and acceptance, training, warranties, guarantees, as-builts and attic stock.

**35.6** The Contractor shall make periodic applications for payment, which shall be subdivided into categories corresponding with the approved Schedule of Values and shall be in such numbers of copies as may be designated by the Agency.

**35.7** Applications for Payment: Administrative actions and submittals, that must precede or coincide with submittal of the first Application for Payment and all subsequent Application for Payments including, but not limited to, the following items:

- a. List of subcontractors and suppliers' name, FEIN/Social Security numbers, and Connecticut Tax Registration Numbers.
- b. List of principal suppliers and fabricators.
- c. Schedule of Values.
- d. Contractor's Construction Schedule.
- e. Schedule of principal products.
- f. Submittal Schedule.
- g. List of Contractor's staff assignments.
- h. List of Contractor's principal consultants.
- i. Copies of all applicable permits.
- j. Copies of authorizations and licenses from governing authorities for performance of the Work.
- k. Initial as-built survey and damage report, if required.
- l. Certified Payrolls.

### **Article 36**



## PARTIAL PAYMENTS

**36.1** The Agency and their representatives will examine the Contractor's applications for payments to determine, in the opinion of the Agency, the amounts that properly represent the value of the Work completed and for the materials suitably stored on the site.

**36.2** In making such Application For Payment for the Work, there shall be deducted **(7.5%) seven and a half percent** of the amount of each payment to be retained by the Agency until Final Completion.

**36.3** At the sole discretion of the Agency, and after completion and acceptance of (50%) fifty percent of the value of the Work, and if the character and progress of the Work remain satisfactory, the retained portion of the Application for Payments may be reduced to five percent (5%) of total payments. The minimum total amount of payment retained, prior to the Final Payment shall not be less than five percent (5%) of the Contract Sum.

**36.4** The decision of the Agency to reduce the retainage rate will be based upon the Contractor's performance for completed portions of the Work as set out below and other factors the Agency may find appropriate:

**36.4.1** The Contractor's timely submission of an appropriate and complete CPM Schedule or Construction Schedule and Schedule of Values, in compliance with the Contract requirements and the prompt resolution of the Agency's and/or Architect's comments on the submitted material resulting in an appropriate basis for progress of the Work.

**36.4.2** The Contractor's timely and proper submission of all Contract required submissions: including but not limited to shop drawings, material certificates and material samples and the prompt resolution of the Agency's and/or Architect's comments on the submitted material resulting in an appropriate progress of the Work.

**36.4.3** The Contractor's provision of proper and adequate supervision and home office support of the Project and any Subcontractor Work resulting in coordinated progress and proper quality control for the Work.

**36.4.4** The Work completed to date has been installed or finished in an acceptable manner which is satisfactory to the agency.

**36.4.5** The progress of the Work is consistent with the approved CPM Schedule or Construction Schedule.

**36.5** No payments will be made for improperly stored or protected materials or unacceptable Work.

## Article 37

### APPLICATION FOR PAYMENT at SUBSTANTIAL COMPLETION

**37.1** Application for Payment at Substantial Completion: Following issuance of the Certificate of Substantial Completion submit an Application for Payment form, use the form as required by the Agency. Present the required information on electronic media printout.

**37.1.1** This application shall reflect Certificates of Partial Substantial Completion issued previously for Agency occupancy of designated portions of the Work.

**37.2** Administrative actions and submittals that shall precede or coincide with this application include, but are not limited to, the following:

- a. Occupancy permits and similar approvals.
- b. Warranties (guarantees) and maintenance agreements.
- c. Test/adjust/balance records.
- d. Maintenance instructions.
- e. Meter readings.
- f. Startup performance reports.
- g. Changeover information related to Owner's occupancy, use, operation, and maintenance.
- h. Final cleaning.
- i. Consent of surety.
- j. Advice on shifting insurance coverage.
- k. Final progress photographs.
- l. List of incomplete Work, recognized as exceptions to Architect's Certificate of Substantial Completion.
- m. Change of door locks to Owner's access.

**Article 38**  
**FINAL APPLICATION FOR PAYMENT**

**38.1** Final Payment Application: Administrative actions and submittals that must precede or coincide with submittal of the final Application for Payment include, but are not limited, to the following:

- a. Completion of Project Closeout requirements.
- b. Completion of list of items remaining to be completed as indicated on the attachment to the Certificate of Substantial Completion.
- c. Ensure that unsettled claims will be settled.
- d. Ensure that incomplete Work is not accepted and will be completed without undue delay.
- e. Transmittal of required Project construction records to the Owner.
- f. Certified property survey.
- g. Proof that taxes, fees, and similar obligations were paid.
- h. Removal of temporary facilities and services.
- i. Removal of surplus materials, rubbish, and similar elements.
- j. The requirements of the General Conditions and Supplementary Conditions for Final Acceptance, Final Completion, Final Inspection, and Final Payment.
- k. Asbestos, Lead or other hazardous material manifests.
- l. Completion of "Building Contractor Reporting Form" for all Contractors, Subcontractors, Vendors, Suppliers, etc. who work on the Contract. The form includes the following information:
  - Contractor/Subcontractor name,
  - FEIN/Social Security Numbers, Connecticut Tax Registration Numbers, Type of work, Name of business and address, Remittance address.
- m.

**Article 39**  
**DELIVERY OF STATEMENT SHOWING**  
**AMOUNTS DUE FOR WAGES, MATERIALS AND**  
**SUPPLIES**

**39.1** For each Application for Payment under this Contract, the Agency reserves the right to require the Contractor and every Subcontractor to submit a written verified statement, in a form satisfactory to the Agency, showing in detail all amounts then due and unpaid by such Contractor or Subcontractor for daily or weekly wages to all laborers em-

ployed by him for the performance of the Work or to other persons for materials, equipment or supplies delivered at the site.

**39.2** The term laborers as used herein shall include workmen, workwomen, and mechanics.

**39.3** Failure to comply with this requirement may result in the Agency withholding the application for payment pursuant to Article 28.

**Article 40**  
**CONTRACT CLOSEOUT**

**40.1** Substantial Completion: Before requesting inspection for Certification of Substantial Completion, complete the following. List exceptions in the request.

- a. In the Application for Payment that coincides with, or first follows, the date Substantial Completion is claimed, show 100 percent completion for the portion of the Work claimed as substantially complete.
  - i. Include supporting documentation for completion as indicated in these Contract Documents and a statement showing an accounting of changes to the Contract Sum.
  - ii. If 100 percent completion cannot be shown, include a list of incomplete items, the value of incomplete construction, and reasons the Work is not complete.
- b. Advise the Agency of pending insurance changeover requirements.
- c. Submit specific warranties, workmanship bonds, maintenance agreements, final certifications, and similar documents.
- d. Obtain and submit releases enabling the Agency unrestricted use of the Work and access to services and utilities. Include occupancy permits, operating certificates, and similar releases.
- e. Submit record drawings, maintenance manuals, damage or settlement surveys, property surveys, and similar final record information.
- f. Deliver tools, spare parts, extra stock, and similar items.
- g. Make final changeover of permanent locks and transmit keys to the Agency.

- Advise the Agency's personnel of changeover in security provisions.
- h. Demonstration, through operation and testing, the functions of all systems and/or equipment to the satisfaction of the Agency for compliance to the contract. Complete testing of systems, and instruction of the Agency's operation and maintenance personnel. Discontinue and remove temporary facilities from the site, along with mockups, construction tools, and similar elements.
  - i. Complete final cleanup requirements, including touchup painting.
  - j. Touch up and otherwise repair and restore marred, exposed finishes.

**40.1.1** Inspection Procedures: The Contractor shall be ready and prepared when they request a Substantial Completion inspection. If the inspection reveals that the work is not complete, there are extensive punchlist items and as the items listed above are not complete, the Construction Administrator, Architect, and Agency will determine the inspection has failed.

**40.1.2** The Contractor is responsible for all costs to re-inspect due to a failed inspection. The Agency will issue a deduct change order to cover all costs for re-inspection.

- a. The Architect will repeat inspection when requested and assured that the Work is substantially complete.
- b. Results of the completed inspection will form the basis of requirements for final acceptance.

**40.2** Final Acceptance: Before requesting final inspection for certification of final acceptance and final payment, complete the following. List exceptions in the request.

- a. Submit the final payment request with releases and supporting documentation not previously submitted and accepted. Include insurance certificates for products and completed operations where required.
- b. Submit an updated final statement, accounting for final additional changes to the Contract Sum.
- c. Submit a certified copy of the Architect's final inspection list of items to be completed or corrected, endorsed and dated by the Architect. The certified copy of the list shall state that each item has been completed or otherwise resolved for acceptance and shall be endorsed and dated by the Architect.
- d. Submit final meter readings for utilities, a measured record of stored fuel, and similar data as of the date of Substantial Completion or when the Agency took possession of and assumed responsibility for corresponding elements of the Work.
- e. Submit consent of surety to Final Payment.
- f. Submit evidence of final, continuing insurance coverage complying with insurance requirements.

**40.2.1** Reinspection Procedure: The Inspection Group will re-inspect the Work upon receipt of notice from the Construction Administrator that the Work, including inspection list items from earlier inspections, has been completed, except for items whose completion is delayed under circumstances acceptable to the Agency.

**40.2.2** Upon completion of reinspection, the Construction Administrator will prepare a certificate of final acceptance. If the Work is incomplete, the Construction Administrator will advise the Contractor of Work that is incomplete or of obligations that have not been fulfilled but are required for final acceptance.

**40.3 Record Document Submittals:** Do not use record documents for construction purposes. Protect Record Documents from deterioration and loss in a secure, fire-resistant location. Provide access to record documents for the Architect's reference during normal working hours. Keep documents current; do not permanently conceal any work until required information has been recorded. Failure to keep documents current is sufficient cause to withhold progress payments.

**40.3.1** The Contractor shall also hire the services of a Surveyor registered in the State of Connecticut to conduct a final survey to determine the location of exterior underground utility lines and to record the results, and update existing electronic media.

**40.3.2** The record of exterior underground utilities shall be made at the time of installation on Mylar film drawing and AutoCAD (latest version) compatible disks. The drawing shall bear the seal of the Land Surveyor and a statement of accuracy.

**40.4 Record Drawings:** The Contractor shall maintain one clean, complete undamaged set of blue or black line white-prints of Contract Drawings and Shop Drawings. Mark the set to show the actual installation where the installation varies substantially from the Work as originally shown. Mark which drawing is most capable of showing conditions fully and accurately. Where Shop Drawings are used, record a cross-reference at the corresponding location on the Contract Drawings. Give particular attention to concealed elements that would be difficult to measure and record at a later date. The Contractor shall provide the following:

- a. Mark record sets with erasable pencil to distinguish between variations in separate categories of the Work.
- b. Mark all new information that is not shown on Contract Drawings.
- c. Note related change-order numbers where applicable.
- d. Organize record drawing sheets into manageable sets. Bind sets with durable-paper cover sheets; print suitable titles, dates, and other identification on the cover of each set.
- e. Upon completion of the work, the Contractor shall submit Record Drawings to the Construction Administrator for the Agency's Records who will pass them on to the Architect or Engineer for transferring the changes to the Record Drawing Mylar Tracings.
- f. Submit electronic format data of all revised drawings on CD-ROM format and in AutoCAD (latest version) compatible format.

**40.5 Record Specifications:** The Contractor shall maintain one complete copy of the Project Manual, including Addenda. Include with the Project Manual one copy of other written construction documents, such as Change Orders and modifications issued in printed form during construction. The Contractor shall provide the following:

- a. Mark these documents to show substantial variations in actual Work performed in comparison with the text of the Specifications and modifications.
- b. Give particular attention to equals and substitutions and selection of options and information on concealed construction that cannot otherwise be readily discerned later by direct observation.
- c. Note related record drawing information and Product Data.
- d. Upon completion of the Work, submit record Specifications to the Construction Administrator for the Agency's records.

**40.6 Record Product Data:** The Contractor shall maintain one copy of each Product Data submittal. Note related Change Orders and markup of record drawings and Specifications. The Contractor shall provide the following:

- a. Mark these documents to show significant variations in actual Work performed in comparison with information submitted. Include variations in products delivered to the site and from the manufacturer's installation instructions and recommendations.
- b. Give particular attention to concealed products and portions of the Work that cannot otherwise be readily discerned later by direct observation.
- c. Upon completion of markup, submit complete set of Record Product Data to the Construction Administrator for the Agency's records.

**40.7 Record Sample Submitted:** Immediately prior to Substantial Completion, the Contractor shall meet with the Construction Administrator, Architect and the Agency's personnel at the Project Site to determine which Samples are to be transmitted to the Agency for record purposes. Comply with the Agency's instructions regarding delivery to the Agency's Sample storage area.

**40.8 Miscellaneous Record Submittals:** Refer to other Specification Sections for requirements of miscellaneous record keeping and submittals in connection with actual performance of the Work. Immediately prior to the date or dates of Substantial Completion, complete miscellaneous records and place in good order. Identify miscellaneous

records properly and bind or file, ready for continued use and reference. Submit to the Construction Administrator for the Agency's records.

**40.9 Maintenance Manuals:** Organize operation and maintenance data into suitable sets of manageable size. Bind properly indexed data in individual, heavy-duty, 2-inch (51-mm), 3-ring, vinyl-covered binders, with pocket folders for folded sheet information. Mark appropriate identification on front and spine of each binder according to section 01730. Included but not limited to the following types of information:

- a. Emergency instructions.
- b. Spare parts list.
- c. Copies of warranties.
- d. Wiring diagrams.
- e. Recommended "turn-around" cycles.
- f. Inspection procedures.
- g. Shop Drawings and Product Data.
- h. Fixture lamping schedule.
- i. MSDS Sheets for all material used and or placed within the Project.

**40.10 Closeout Procedures:** Arrange for each Installer of equipment that requires regular maintenance to meet with the Agency's personnel to provide instruction in proper operation and maintenance. Provide instruction by manufacturer's representatives if installers are not experienced in operation and maintenance procedures. Include a detailed review of the following items:

- a. Maintenance manuals.
- b. Record documents.
- c. Spare parts and materials.
- d. Tools.
- e. Lubricants.
- f. Fuels.
- g. Identification systems.
- h. Control sequences.
- i. Hazards and hazardous materials.
- j. Cleaning.
- k. Warranties and bonds.
- l. Maintenance agreements and similar continuing commitments.
- m. Copy of all submittals.

**40.10.1** As part of instruction for operating equipment, the Contractor shall demonstrate the following procedures:

- a. Startup.
- b. Shutdown.
- c. Emergency operations.
- d. Noise and vibration adjustments.
- e. Safety procedures.
- f. Economy and efficiency adjustments.
- g. Effective energy utilization.

**40.11 Final Cleaning:** The General Conditions requires general cleaning during construction. Regular site cleaning is included in Division 1 Section 01570 "Cleaning".

**40.11.1** The Contractor shall employ experienced workers or professional cleaners for final cleaning. Clean each surface or unit to the condition expected in a normal, commercial building cleaning and maintenance program. Comply with manufacturer's instructions. Complete the following cleaning operations before requesting inspection for Certification of Substantial Completion and Certification of Occupancy.

Interior:

- a. Remove labels that are not permanent labels.
- b. Clean transparent materials, including mirrors and glass in doors and windows. Remove glazing compounds and other substances that are noticeable vision-obscuring materials. Replace chipped or broken glass and other damaged transparent materials. Remove paint spots; wash and polish glass.
- c. Clean exposed interior hard-surfaced finishes to a dust-free condition, free of stains, films, and similar foreign substances. Restore reflective surfaces to their original condition. Leave concrete floors broom clean. Vacuum carpeted surfaces.
- d. Wash washable surfaces of mechanical, electrical equipment and fixtures and replace filters, clean strainers on mechanical equipment. Remove excess lubrication and other substances. Clean plumbing fixtures to a sanitary condition. Clean light fixtures and lamps.

- Exterior:
- e. Clean and polish finish hardware.
  - f. Clean and polish tile and other glazed surfaces.
  - g. Clean floors; wax and buff resilient tile. Clean vinyl or rubber base.
  - h. Vacuum and/or dust walls, ceilings, lighting fixtures, ceiling diffusers and other wall and ceiling items.
  - i. Remove defacements, streaks, fingerprints and erection marks.
- a. Clean the site, including landscape development areas, of rubbish, litter, and other foreign substances. Sweep paved areas broom clean; remove stains, spills, and other foreign deposits. Rake grounds that are neither paved nor planted, to a smooth, even-textured surface.
  - b. Clean exposed exterior hard-surfaced finishes to a dust-free condition, free of stains, films, and similar foreign substances.
  - c. Clean roofs, gutters and downspouts.
  - d. Remove waste and surplus materials, rubbish and construction equipment and facilities from the site, and deposit it legally elsewhere.
  - e. Clean transparent materials, including mirrors and glass in doors and windows. Remove glazing compounds and other substances that are noticeable vision-obscuring materials. Replace chipped or broken glass and other damaged transparent materials. Remove paint spots; wash and polish glass.

**40.12 Pest Control:** Engage an experienced, licensed exterminator to make a final inspection and rid the work of rodents, insects, and other pests.

**40.13 Removal of Protection:** Remove temporary protection and facilities installed for protection of the Work during construction.

**40.14 Compliance:** Comply with regulations of authorities having jurisdiction and safety standards for cleaning. Do not burn waste materials. Do not bury debris or excess

materials on the Agency's property. Do not discharge volatile, harmful, or dangerous materials into drainage systems. Remove waste materials from the site and dispose of lawfully.

**40.15** Where extra materials of value remain after completion of associated Work, they become the Agency's property. Dispose of these materials as directed by the Construction Administrator.

**40.16** Leave building clean and ready for occupancy. If the Contractor fails to clean up, the Agency may do so, with the cost charged to the Contractor. The Agency will issue a credit change order to cover the costs.

#### **Article 41** **OPERATION AND MAINTENANCE DATA**

**41.1** The Contractor shall instruct the State's designated personnel in the operation of new equipment and shall provide manuals and provide video tapes of this basic maintenance of the equipment for training purposes. Provide qualified personnel for as long as necessary to instruct the Agency's personnel.

**41.2** Submit four copies of the manuals in 3-ring, loose-leaf notebooks to the Architect/Engineer for approval. Manuals may consist of plain paper copies of approved shop drawings and catalog cuts. Upon completion and approval, 3 copies will be forwarded to the Agency and one copy retained by the Architect/Engineer.

**41.2.1** Manuals shall include:

**41.2.1.1.** Operating Procedures:

- a. Typewritten procedures for each mode of operation of each piece of equipment. Procedures shall indicate the status of each component of a system in each operating mode.
- b. Procedures shall include names, symbols, valve tags, circuit numbers, schematic wiring diagrams, locations of thermostats, manual starters, control cabinets and other controls of each system.
- c. Emergency shut-down procedures for each piece of equipment or system, both automatic and manual, as appropriate.

**41.2.1.2** Maintenance Schedule:

- a. Typewritten schedule describing manufacturers schedule of maintenance and maintenance procedures.

**41.2.1.3** Catalog Cuts:

- a. To illustrate each piece of installed equipment, including options.
- b. Include equipment descriptions including physical, electrical and mechanical; performance characteristics; installation or erection diagrams.
- c. Include spare parts numbers and names, address and phone number of manufacturer; name, address and phone number of local representative or service department.

**41.3** Typewritten list of all subcontractors on the project, including name, address and phone number of local representative or service department.

**41.4** Manuals shall be indexed with dividers indicating each system or piece of equipment.

**Article 42**

**COMPLETION AND ACCEPTANCE**

**42.1 Substantial Completion:**

**42.1.1** When the Contractor considers that the Work, or a portion thereof is Substantially Complete, the Contractor shall request an inspection of said Work to the Construction Administrator.

**42.1.2** Upon receipt of the request, the Architect,

Construction Administrator and Agency, will make an inspection to determine if the Work or designated portion thereof is Substantially Complete. If the inspection discloses any item, whether or not included on the inspection list, which is not in accordance with the requirements of the Contract Documents, the Contractor shall, before issuance of the Certificate of Substantial Completion, complete or correct such item.

**42.1.3** The Contractor shall then submit a request for another inspection. The determination of Substantial Completion is solely within the discretion of the Agency.

**42.1.4** When the Work or designated portion thereof is determined to be Substantially Complete, the Contractor will be provided a Certificate of Substantial Completion from the Agency. The Certificate of Substantial Completion, shall establish the date when the responsibilities of the Contractor for security, maintenance, heat, utilities, damage to the Work and insurance, are transferred to the Agency and shall fix the time within which the Contractor shall finish all items on the inspection list accompanying the Certificate.

**42.1.5** The Certificate of Substantial Completion shall be signed by the Contractor, Construction Administrator, Agency, and Architect.

**42.1.6** Upon Substantial Completion of the Work or designated portion thereof and upon application by the Contractor and certification by the Construction Administrator and Architect, the Agency shall make payment reflecting adjustment in retainage, if any, for such Work or portion thereof as provided in the Contract Documents.

**42.2 Final Completion:**

**42.2.1** Upon Final Completion of the Work, the Contractor shall forward to the Construction Administrator a written notice that the Work is ready for Final Inspection and Acceptance and shall also forward to the Construction Administrator, a Final Application for Payment. Upon determination by the Agency that all the Work is complete, the Agency will issue a Certificate of Completion and Acceptance.

**42.2.2** When the Work has been completed in accordance with terms and conditions of the Contract Documents a Certificate of Completion shall be issued to be signed by the Contractor, Construction Administrator, Architect and Agency.

**Article 43**

**FINAL PAYMENT**

**43.1** The Agency reserves the right to retain for a period of thirty (30) days after filing and acceptance of the Certificate

of Completion and Acceptance the amount therein stated less all prior payments and advances whatsoever to or for the account of the Contractor.

**43.2** All prior estimates and payments, including those relating to extra or additional Work, shall be subject to correction by the Final Payment.

**43.3** No Application for Payment, Final or Partial, shall act as a release to the Contractor or the Contractor's sureties from any obligations under this Contract.

**43.4** The Architect and Construction Administrator will promptly issue the Certificate for Payment, stating that to the best of their knowledge, information and belief, and on the basis of their observations and inspections, the Work has been completed in accordance with terms and conditions of the Contract Documents and that the entire balance found to be due the Contractor and noted in said Final Payment is due and payable.

**43.5** Final Payment shall not be released until a Certificate of Completion and Acceptance and a Certificate of Compliance have been issued.

**43.6** Neither Final Payment nor any remaining retained percentage shall become due until the Contractor submits to the Agency the following:

**43.6.1** An affidavit that payrolls, bills for materials and equipment, and other indebtedness connected with the Work for which the Agency or the Agency's property might be responsible or encumbered (less amounts withheld by Agency) have been paid or otherwise satisfied.

**43.6.2** A certificate evidencing that insurance required by the Contract Documents to remain in force after Final Payment is currently in effect and will not be canceled or allowed to expire without at least 30 days prior written notice to the Agency.

**43.6.3** A written statement that the Contractor knows of no substantial reason that the insurance will not be renewable to cover the period required by the Contract Documents.

**43.6.4** Written consent of surety, if any, to Final Payment.

**43.6.5** If required by the Agency, other data establishing payment or satisfaction of obligations, such as receipts, releases and waivers of liens, claims, security interests or encumbrances arising out of the Contract, to the extent and in such form as may be designated by the Agency. If a Subcontractor refuses to furnish a release or waiver required by the Agency, the Contractor may furnish a bond satisfactory to the Agency to indemnify the Agency against such lien. If such lien remains unsatisfied after payments are made, the Contractor shall

refund to the Agency all money that the Agency may be compelled to pay in discharging such lien, including all costs and reasonable attorney's fees.

**43.6.6** If, after Substantial Completion of the Work, Final Completion thereof is materially delayed through no fault of the Contractor or by issuance of Change Orders affecting Final Completion and the Construction Administrator and Architect so confirm, the Agency shall, upon application by the Contractor and certification by the Construction Administrator and Architect, and without terminating the Contract, make payment of the balance due for that portion of the Work fully completed and accepted. If the remaining balance for Work not fully completed or corrected is less than retainage stipulated in the Contract Documents, and if bonds have been furnished, the written consent of surety to payment of the balance due for that portion of the Work fully completed and accepted shall be submitted by the Contractor to the Agency prior to Final Payment. Such payment shall be made under terms and conditions governing Final Payment, except that it shall not constitute a waiver of Claims.

#### **Article 44** **AGENCY'S RIGHT TO WITHHOLD PAYMENTS**

**44.1** The Agency may withhold a portion of any Payment due the Contractor that may, in the judgment of the Agency, be necessary:

**44.1.1** To assure the payment of just claims then due and unpaid to any persons supplying labor or materials for the Work.

**44.1.2** To protect Agency from loss due to defective, unacceptable or non-conforming Work not remedied by the Contractor.

**44.1.3** To protect the Agency from loss due to injury to persons or damage to the Work or property of other Contractors, Subcontractors, or others caused by the act or neglect of the Contractor or any of its Subcontractors.

**44.2** The Agency shall have the right to apply any amount withheld under this section as the Agency may deem proper to satisfy protection from claims. The amount withheld shall be considered a payment to the Contractor.

**44.3** The Agency has the right to withhold payment if the Contractor fails to provide accurate submissions of submittals, up date the status including but not limited to the following: as-built documents, request for information (RFI) log, Schedule, submittal log, change order log, certified payrolls and daily reports and all other requirement of the Contract Documents.



**44.4** Neither Final Payment nor any remaining retained percentage shall become due until the Contractor submits to the Architect through the Construction Administrator:

**44.4.1** An affidavit that payrolls, bills for materials and equipment, and other indebtedness connected with the Work for which the Agency or the Agency's property might be responsible or encumbered (less amounts withheld by Agency) have been paid or otherwise satisfied,

**44.4.2** A certificate evidencing that insurance required by the Contract Documents to remain in force after Final Payment is currently in effect and will not be canceled or allowed to expire until at least 30 days' prior written notice has been given to the Agency,

**44.4.3** A written statement that the Contractor knows of no substantial reason that the insurance will not be renewable to cover the period required by the Contract Documents,

**44.4.4** Consent of surety, if any, to Final Payment and

**44.4.5** If required by the Agency, other data establishing payment or satisfaction of obligations, such as receipts, releases and waivers of liens, claims, security interests or encumbrances arising out of the Contract, to the extent and in such form as may be designated by the Agency.

**44.5** If a Subcontractor refuses to furnish a release or waiver required by the Agency, the Contractor may furnish a bond satisfactory to the Owner to indemnify the Agency against such lien. If such lien remains unsatisfied after payments are made, the Contractor shall refund to the Agency all money that the Agency may be compelled to pay in discharging such lien, including all costs and reasonable attorney's fees.

#### **Article 45** **AGENCY'S RIGHT TO STOP WORK OR** **TERMINATE CONTRACT**

**45.1** The Agency shall have the authority to suspend the Work wholly or in part, for such period or periods as the Agency considers to be in the best interests of the State, or in the interests of public necessity, convenience or safety. During such periods the Contractor shall store all materials and equipment, in such a manner to prevent the materials and equipment from being damaged in any way, and the Contractor shall take precautions to protect the Work from damage.

**45.1.1** If the Agency, in writing, orders the performance of all or any portion of the Work to be suspended or delayed for an unreasonable period of time (i.e. not originally anticipated, customary, or inherent in the construction industry) and the

Contractor believes that additional compensation and/or Contract Time is due as a result of such suspension or delay, the Contractor shall submit to the Agency in writing a request for a Contract adjustment within 7 calendar days of receipt of the notice to resume Work. The request shall set forth the specific reasons and support for said adjustment.

**45.1.2** The Agency shall evaluate any such requests received. If the Agency agrees that the cost and/or time required for the performance of the Contract has increased as a result of such suspension and that the suspension was caused by conditions beyond the control of and not the fault of the Contractor, its suppliers, or Subcontractors, and was not caused by weather, then the Agency will make a reasonable adjustment, excluding profit, of the Contract terms. The Agency will notify the Contractor of the determination as to what adjustments of the Contract, if any, that the Agency deems warranted.

**45.1.3** No Contract adjustment will be made unless the Contractor has submitted the request for adjustment within the time prescribed.

**45.1.4** No contract adjustment will be made under this Article to the extent that performance would have been suspended or delayed by any other cause within the Contractor's control or by any factor for which the Contractor is responsible under the Contract; or that such an adjustment is provided for or excluded under other term or condition of this Contract.

**45.2** Notwithstanding any provision or language in the Contract to the contrary, the State may terminate the Contract whenever the Agency determines at their sole discretion that such termination is in the best interests of the State. Any such termination shall be effected by delivery to the Contractor of a written Notice of Termination specifying the extent to which performance of Work under the Contract is terminated, and the date upon which such termination shall be effective.

**45.2.1** In the event of such termination, the Contractor shall be entitled to reasonable compensation as determined by the Agency, however, no claim for lost overhead or profits shall be allowed.

**45.2.2** Materials obtained by the Contractor for the Work that have been inspected, tested as required, and accepted by the Agency, and that are not incorporated into the Work, shall, at the option of the Agency, be purchased from the Contractor at actual cost as shown by receipted bills. To this cost shall be added all actual costs for delivery at such points of delivery as may be designated by the Agency, as shown by actual cost records.

**45.2.3** Termination of the Contract shall not relieve the Contractor or its Surety of their responsibilities for the completed Work, nor shall it relieve the Contractor's Surety of its obligations to ensure completion of the Work and to pay legitimate claims arising out of Work.

**Article 46**  
**SUBLETTING OR ASSIGNING OF CONTRACT**

**46.1** The Contract or any portion thereof, or the Work provided for therein, or the right, title or interest of the Contractor therein may not be sublet, sold, transferred, assigned, or otherwise disposed of to any person, firm or corporation without the written consent of the Agency.

**46.2** No person, firm or corporation other than the Contractor to whom the Contract was awarded shall be permitted to commence Work at the site of the Contract until such consent has been granted.

**Article 47**  
**CONTRACTOR'S INSURANCE**

**47.1** The Contractor shall not start Work under the Contract until they have obtained insurance as stated in SECTIONS 00300 CERTIFICATE OF INSURANCE and 00020 BID PROPOSAL FORM, subsections 4.4.2 and 4.4.3, of the Contract Documents and until the insurance has been approved by the Agency. The Contractor shall not allow any Subcontractor to start Work until the same insurance has been obtained by the Subcontractor and approved by the Agency or the Contractor's insurance provides coverage on behalf of the Subcontractor. The Contractor shall send Certificates of Liability Insurance to the Agency unless otherwise directed in writing. Presented below is a narrative summary of the insurance required.

**47.1.1 Commercial General Liability** insurance including contractual liability, products/completed operations, broad form property damage and independent Contractors. The limits shall be no less than \$1,000,000 each occurrence and \$2,000,000 annual aggregate. Coverage for hazards of explosion, collapse and underground (X-C-U) must also be included when applicable to the Work to be performed. The State of Connecticut and Eastern Connecticut State University shall be named as an Additional Insured. This coverage shall be provided on a primary basis.

**47.1.2 Agency's and Contractor's Protective Liability** insurance providing a total limit of \$1,000,000 for all damages arising out of bodily injury or death of persons in any one accident or

occurrence and for all damages arising out of injury or destruction of property in any one accident or occurrence and subject to a total (aggregate) limit of \$2,000,000 for all damages arising out of bodily injury to or death of persons in all accidents or occurrences and out of injury to or destruction of property during the policy period. This coverage shall be for and in the name of the State of Connecticut and Eastern Connecticut State University.

**47.1.3** The operation of all motor vehicles including those owned, non-owned and hired or used in connection with the Contract shall be covered by **Automobile Liability** insurance providing for a total limit of \$1,000,000 for all damages arising out of bodily injuries to or death of all persons in any one accident or occurrence and for all damages arising out of injury to or destruction of property in any one accident or occurrence. In cases where an insurance policy shows an aggregate limit as part of the automobile liability coverage, the aggregate limit must be at least \$2,000,000. This coverage shall be provided on a primary basis. Should the Contractor not own any automobiles, the automobile & liability requirement shall be amended to allow the Contractor to maintain only hired and non-owned liability.

**47.1.4 Workers' Compensation and Employer's Liability** as required by Connecticut Law and **Employers' Liability** with a limit of not less than \$100,000 per occurrence, \$500,000 disease policy limit and \$100,000 disease each employee. When Work is on or contiguous to navigable bodies of waterways and ways adjoining, the Contractor shall include Federal Act endorsement for U.S. Longshoremen's and Harbor Workers Act.

**47.1.5 Special Hazards** insurance, if required, will be stated in SECTION 00020 BID PROPOSAL FORM, subsection 4.4.2 of this Project Manual. This includes coverage for explosion, collapse or underground damage and shall be no less than \$1,000,000 each occurrence.

**47.1.6 Builder's Risk** insurance, if required, will be stated in SECTION 00020 BID PROPOSAL FORM, subsection 4.4.3 of this Project Manual.

**47.1.7 Inland Marine/Transit Insurance:** With respect to property with values in excess of \$100,000 which is rigged, hauled or situated at the site pending installation, the Contractor shall maintain inland marine/transit insurance provided

the coverage is not afforded by a Builder's Risk policy.

**47.1.8 Satisfying Limits Under an Umbrella Policy:** If necessary, the Contractor may satisfy the minimum limits required above for either Commercial General Liability, Automobile Liability, and Employer's Liability coverage under an Umbrella or Excess Liability policy. The underlying limits may be set at the minimum amounts required by the Umbrella or Excess Liability policy provided the combined limits meet at least the minimum limit for each required policy. The Umbrella or Excess Liability policy shall have an Annual Aggregate at a limit not less than two (2) times the highest per occurrence minimum limit required above for any of the required coverages. The State of Connecticut and Eastern Connecticut State University shall be specifically endorsed as an Additional Insured on the Umbrella or Excess Liability policy, unless the Umbrella or Excess Liability policy provides continuous coverage to the underlying policies on a complete "Follow-Form" basis.

**47.2** Each insurance policy required to be maintained by the Contractor except Workers' Compensation and Automobile Liability shall endorse the State of Connecticut and Eastern Connecticut State University as an Additional Insured. Additional Insured endorsements shall provide coverage on a primary basis.

**47.3** When required to be maintained, the Builder's Risk and Inland Marine/Transit Insurance policy shall endorse the State of Connecticut and Eastern Connecticut State University as a Loss Payee.

**47.4** The Contractor shall, at its sole expense, maintain in full force and effect at all times during the life of the Contract or the performance of Work hereunder, insurance coverage as described herein. Certificates shall include a minimum thirty (30) day endeavor to notify requirement to the Agency prior to any cancellation or non-renewal.

**47.5** The Contractor shall be fully and solely responsible for any costs or expenses as a result of a coverage deductible, coinsurance penalty, or self-insured retention, including any loss not covered because of the operation of such deductible, coinsurance penalty, or self-insured retention.

**47.6** The requirement contained herein as to types and limits of insurance coverage to be maintained by the Contractor are not intended to and shall not in any manner limit or qualify the liabilities and obligations assumed by the Contractor.

**47.7 Hold Harmless Provisions:** The Contractor shall at all times indemnify and save harmless the State of Connecticut, Eastern Connecticut State University, and their respective officers, agents, and employees, on account of any and all claims, damages, losses, litigation, expenses, counsel fees and compensation arising out of injuries (including death) sustained by or alleged to have been sustained by the officers, agents, and employees of said State or Department, or of the Contractor, his Subcontractor, or materialmen and from injuries (including death) sustained by or alleged to have been sustained by the public, any or all persons on or near the Work, or by any other person or property, real or personal (including property of said State or Department) caused in whole or in part by the acts, omissions, or neglect or the Contractor including but not limited to any neglect in safeguarding the Work or through the use of unacceptable materials in constructing the Work of the Contractor, any Subcontractor, materialmen, or anyone directly employed by them or any of them while engaged in the performance of the Contract, including the entire elapsed time from the date of the Notice to Proceed or the actual commencement of the Work whichever occurs first until its completion as certified by the Agency.

**Article 48**  
**FOREIGN MATERIALS**

**48.1** Preference shall be given to articles or materials manufactured or produced in the United States, conditions of quality and price with duty being equal.

**48.2** Only domestic articles or materials will be used unless a statement is submitted with the proposal that enumerates the foreign articles of materials proposed to be used and such proposal is accepted by the Agency. The foregoing provisions shall not apply to foreign articles or materials required by the Contract Documents.

**Article 49**  
**MATERIALS AND EQUIPMENT CONTROLS**

**49.1 Materials and Equipment:** Shall be delivered to the project site, stored and handled to prevent intrusion of foreign matter and damage by weather or breakage. Packaged materials shall be delivered and stored in original, unbroken packages. **DO NOT DELIVER MATERIALS TO THE AGENCY'S SHIPPING & RECEIVING LOADING DOCKS.**

**49.1.1** Promptly inspect shipments to assure that products comply with requirements, that quantities are correct and products are undamaged.

**49.1.2** Packages, materials and equipment showing evidence of damage will be rejected and replaced at no additional cost to the Agency.

**49.2 Storage and Protection:** The Contractor shall provide the following:

- a. Store products in accordance with manufacturers' instructions with seals and labels intact and legible. Store sensitive products in weathertight enclosures; maintain within temperature and humidity range required by manufacturer.
- b. For exterior storage of fabricated products, place on sloped supports above ground. Cover products subject to deterioration with impervious sheet covering; provide ventilation to avoid condensation.
- c. Store loose granular material on solid surfaces in a well-drained area; prevent mixing with foreign matter.
- d. Arrange storage to provide access for inspection. Periodically inspect to insure products are undamaged and are maintained under required conditions. Keep log showing date, time and problems, if any.
- e. Stone, masonry units and similar materials shall be stored on platforms or dry skids and shall be adequately covered and protected against damage.
- f. The Contractor shall prepare, as directed by the Agency, one area or space in the building for storage of State-owned equipment.

**Article 50**  
**IDENTIFICATION BADGES**

**50.1 Identification Badges for Contractor's Personnel, Visitors & Parking Stickers:**

- a. The Contractor will provide each person working or visiting at the site with an identification badge, bearing the name of

the Contractor and a number. As badges are assigned, a record shall be kept by the Contractor and given to the Construction Administrator. Update and correct the records of all badges issued on a semi-monthly basis.

- b. Badges are to be worn on outer garment where visible at all times while at the construction site, return them to the Contractor's field office at the end of each day and pick them up there each morning.
- c. All vehicles parking in the Contractor's parking lot and those used around the site require an ID sticker. They will be issued by the Agency. Each contractor shall apply for parking stickers through the Construction Administrator no more than semi-monthly and shall keep record of all stickers issued.

**Article 51**  
**HOURS OF WORK**

**51.1** No person shall be employed to work or be permitted to work more than eight (8) hours in any day or more than forty (40) hours in any week for any Work provided in the Contract, in accordance with Connecticut General Statute Section 31-57.

**51.2** The operation of such limitation of hours of work may be suspended during an emergency, upon the approval of the Agency, in accordance with Connecticut General Statute Section 31-57.

**Article 52**  
**DAYS OF WORK**

**52.1** Working Calendar Days include all days that the Contractor is permitted to execute the Work or employ any person to execute the Work within the Contract Time.

**52.2** Non-working Calendar Days include all Saturdays, Sundays, Legal State Holidays and any other days identified in the Contract Documents that the Contractor is not permitted to execute the Work or employ any person to execute the Work. The restriction of non-working Calendar Days may be suspended upon the approval or direction of the Agency.

**Article 53**  
**CONTRACT TIME**

**53.1** The Contract Time is the number of calendar days, allotted in the Bidding Documents, for execution and Substantial Completion of the Work, including authorized ad-

justments thereto. The Contract Time is the sum of all working and non-working calendar days.

**53.2** If weather conditions prevent the Contractor from executing the Work, the Contract Time may be extended by Change Order, for such reasonable time as may be determined by the Agency.

**Article 54**  
**CALENDAR DAY**

**54.1** This is each day of the calendar.

**End of Section**

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**01000 WORK COVERED BY CONTRACT DOCUMENTS**

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- A. Project Number ECSU 2020-12 is entitled **High Rise Geothermal Heat Pumps Replacement**. It is to be located in Willimantic, Connecticut. It is to be completed and ready for use by the Owner and Agency within the Contract Time specified in Section 00020 Bid Proposal Form.
- B. The Project Description:
1. Disconnecting and removal of three (3) 35 ton water to water geothermal heat pumps.
  2. Installation of the new heat pumps.
  3. Connecting the electrical power to the new heat pumps..
  4. Connecting the new pumps controls to the Building Management System.

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**01001 OWNER AND AGENCY**

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- A. Owner: The Owner is the Eastern Connecticut State University.
1. The authorized representative for the Owner is **Renee Theroux-Keech, Director of Facilities Management & Planning**. Facilities Management & Planning office is located at Eastern Connecticut State University, Facilities Building, 83 Windham Street, Willimantic, Connecticut 06226. Phone: 860-465-4596 Fax: 860-465-5318; E-mail: keechr@easternct.edu.

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**01002 ARCHITECT AND ENGINEER:**

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- A. The designer of record is **Facilities Management and Planning Department**, and is located at ECSU. The Engineer representing the agency for this project is Zbigniew Mroz. Phone: 860-463-9551; Fax: 465-5318; E-mail: mrozz@easternct.edu.
1. The Architect and Engineer or their accredited representative is referred to in the Contract Documents as "Architect" or "Architects" or "Engineer" or "Engineers" or by pronouns which imply them. As information for the Contractor, the Architect's or Engineer's status is defined as follows:
    - a. The Architect and Engineer will not make interpretations or decisions directly to the Contractor. All interpretations or decisions will be conveyed through the Construction Administrator.
    - b. As the authorized representative of the Owner, the Architect and Engineer is responsible for review of shop drawings, materials, and equipment intended for the work, in accordance with the "General Conditions", and the "Supplementary Conditions".
  3. Wherever the Architect or Engineer is mentioned in the documents in connection with an administrative function, it shall include the Construction Administrator in that function except for shop drawings.

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**01003 CONSTRUCTION ADMINISTRATOR:**

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- A. The Construction Administrator is Zbigniew Mroz, and is located at Eastern Connecticut State University, Facilities Building, 83 Windham Street., Willimantic Connecticut, 06226.  
Phone: 860-463-9551; Fax: 860-465-5358; E-mail: mrozz@easternct.edu.
1. The Construction Administrator is referred to in the Contract Documents as "Construction Administrator" or "Construction Manager" or by pronouns which imply it. All communications concerning the project will be directed through the Construction Administrator or a designated representative(s).
  2. As information to the Contractor, the Construction Administrator's status is defined as follows:
    - a. The Construction Administrator is the Owner's Agent who will, among other things, monitor the General Contractor's performance, scheduling and construction, process shop drawings, material, and equipment submittals, review and process periodic billings, review and recommend cost changes.
    - b. The Construction Administrator will process all requests for information, interpretations and decisions regarding the meaning and intent of the Contract Documents, consulting with appropriate parties prior to rendering the interpretations or decisions to the Contractor. All such requests and replies shall be in writing.

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**01010 SUMMARY OF WORK**

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- A. Summary of Work includes but is not limited to the following:
  - 1. *Disconnecting piping, electrical power and controls from the existing heat pumps.*
  - 2. *Demolition and disposal of the existing geothermal heat pumps.*
  - 3. *Installation of the new heat pumps.*
  - 4. *Connecting the pumps to the existing electrical circuits and restoring controls and adding new controls including connections to the BMS.*
- B. The Contractor will include in his bid, all items required in order to carry out the intent of the work as described, shown and implied in the Contract Documents.
- C. It shall be the Contractor's responsibility upon discovery to immediately notify the Construction Administrator, in writing, of errors, omissions, discrepancies, and instances of noncompliance with applicable codes and regulations within the documents, and of any work which will not fit or properly function if installed as indicated on the Contract Documents. Any additional costs arising from the Contractor's failure to provide such notification shall be borne by the Contractor.
- D. The Work will be constructed under a single lump.
- E. Work Sequence - Phase(s):
  - 1. The entire Project shall be constructed in 1 Phase(s). Work of these Phase(s) shall be substantially complete, ready for occupancy within 70 Calendar Days of commencement of the Work.

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**01011 EXAMINATION OF SITE**

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- A. It is not the intent of the Documents to show all existing conditions. All contractors are advised to visit and examine the site with the Construction Administrator prior to submitting bids.
- B. Contractors should investigate and satisfy themselves as to the conditions affecting the work, including but not restricted to those bearing upon transportation, disposal, handling and storage of materials, availability of labor, water, electric power, uncertainties of weather, roads or similar physical conditions of the ground, the character of equipment, and facilities needed preliminary to and during the prosecution of the Work. The Contractor should further satisfy himself as to the character, quality, and quantity of surface and subsurface materials or obstacles to be encountered insofar as this information is reasonably ascertainable from an inspection of the site, as well as from information presented by the Contract Documents. Any failure by the Contractor to acquaint himself with the available information shall not relieve him from the responsibility for estimating properly the difficulty and cost of successfully performing the Work
- C. Pre-Bid Conference:
  - 1. A Mandatory Pre-Bid Conference and tour of the site will be conducted as scheduled in the Notice to Bidders. This scheduled conference is the only official opportunity for the bidders to tour the site with the Owner, Engineer, Construction Administrator, and Agency.

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**01012 PROJECT DOCUMENTS**

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- A. The Specifications and Drawings are intended to describe and illustrate the materials and labor necessary for the work of this Project.
- B. Throughout the Technical Specifications, the Connecticut Department of Transportation Standard Specifications for Roads, Bridges, and Incidental Construction Form 816, current addition including any interim and supplemental specifications are referenced. Where so referenced the requirements set forth therein are applicable and made a part hereof Copies of Form 814A are available from the Connecticut Department of Transportation at a nominal charge.

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**01013 DOCUMENTS FURNISHED**

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- A. The General Contractor will be given 2 sets of the Contract Documents on or about the time of execution of Contract, free of charge. If additional copies are wanted, they will be available at the direct additional cost of their reproduction, to the contractor.

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**01014 CONTRACTOR'S USE OF PREMISES**

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- A. The Contractor shall confine his operations, including storage of apparatus, equipment and materials to the contract limit lines as directed by the Construction Administrator.
- B. The areas and/or spaces, including their access, shall be maintained free and clear throughout the contract term.
- C. Parking for Contractor's employees will be limited to an area (or areas) designated by the Construction Administrator. The Contractor may be required to provide identification stickers for employees' cars.

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**01015 OCCUPANCY REQUIREMENTS**

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- A. **Full Agency Occupancy During Construction:** The Agency will occupy the existing building during the entire construction period. Cooperate with the Agency during construction operations to minimize conflicts and facilitate Owner usage. Perform the Work so as not to interfere with the Agency's operations.
- C. **Agency Occupancy:**
  - 1. The Construction Administrator will determine whether such occupancy is possible and, if so, will make arrangements for holding a job inspection with the Project Manager, Agency Representative, Architect and General Contractor.
  - 2. A comprehensive list of items to be completed or corrected as issued by the General Contractor, together with the status of completion and terms of occupancy, will be forwarded to the Project Manager and the Engineer by the Construction Administrator. A letter will be issued by the Project Manager and Engineer to Construction Administrator granting such occupancy and will state the terms and conditions of occupancy.
  - 4. Prior to Agency occupancy, mechanical and electrical systems shall be fully operational. Required inspections and tests shall have been successfully completed. Upon occupancy, the Agency will operate and maintain mechanical and electrical systems serving occupied portions of the building.
  - 5. The Engineer will prepare a "Certificate of Substantial Completion" for the Work to be occupied prior to Agency occupancy. Use the "Certificate of Substantial Completion" form as required by the Owner.
  - 6. The Project Manager will request a signed "Certificate of Compliance" from Commissioner of the Department of Public Works, Engineer, and Contractor, if required.
  - 6. The Project Manager will request a signed "Certificate of Compliance" from the Engineer, and Contractor, and forward the Certificate to the State Building Inspector a Certificate of Occupancy and obtain the same after his review and approval.
  - 7. A letter from the Project Manager to the Agency Representative with copy to the General Contractor granting occupancy will state the terms and conditions of occupancy and that fire insurance coverage has been requested, the effective date of which will indicate to the Contractor that he may cancel fire insurance coverage for the project.
  - 9. Upon occupancy, the Agency will assume responsibility for maintenance and custodial service for occupied portions of the building.
  - 10. Work after Agency Occupancy:
    - a. For all work to complete the occupied building, warranty work, the balancing and commissioning of systems, repair of latent defects and adjustments after occupancy, the contractor is responsible for all costs associated with working in occupied buildings.

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**01019 CONTRACT CONSIDERATIONS (NOT USED)**

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- A. **Allowances:**
  - 1. The Contractor's costs for unloading and handling, labor, installation costs, storage, insurance, overhead and profit and other expense related to the Allowance item shall be included in the Lump Sum Bid Amount and not in the Allowance unless stated otherwise is the Allowance Schedule of this section.



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**01027 APPLICATION FOR PAYMENT**

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- A. Schedule of Values:** Submit the “Schedule of Values” to the Construction Administrator at the earliest possible date but no later than (21) twenty Calendar Days after the Contract Start Date. A separate "Schedule of Value" shall be provided for each Phase of identified in Section 01010 Summary of Work, Work Sequence - Phase(s).
1. **Format and Content:** Use the Project Manual Table of contents as a guide to establish the format for the “Schedule of Values”. Provide at least one line item for each of the Specification Section on electronic media printout.
  2. **Identification:** Project identification on the Schedule of Values shall include, but not be limited to, the following:
    - a. Owner
    - b. Project Number
    - c. Project Name
    - d. Project Location
    - e. Contractor's name and address.
  3. Arrange the “Schedule of Values” in tabular format as required by the Owner, containing separate columns including, but not limited to, the following Items:
    - a. Item Number.
    - b. Description of Work with Related Specification Section or Division Number.
    - c. Scheduled Values broken down by description number, type material, units of each material.
    - d. Name of subcontractor.
    - e. Name of manufacturer or fabricator.
    - f. Name of supplier.
    - g. Retainage.
    - h. Contract sum in sufficient detail.
  4. Percentage of Contract Sum to nearest one-hundredth percent, adjusted to total 100 percent.
  5. Provide a breakdown of the Contract Sum in sufficient detail to facilitate continued evaluation of Applications for Payment and progress reports. Coordinate with the Project Manual table of contents. Break principal subcontract amounts down into several line items.
  6. Round amounts to nearest whole dollar; the total shall equal the Contract Sum.
  8. **General Conditions:** Show line items for indirect costs and margins on actual costs only when such items are listed individually in Applications for Payment. Each item in the Schedule of Values and Applications for Payment shall be complete. Include the total cost and proportionate share of general overhead and profit margin for each item.
- B Applications for Payment - General:** Each Application for Payment shall be consistent with previous applications and payments as certified by the Engineer and Construction Administrator and paid for by the Owner.
1. The initial “Application for Payment”, the “Application for Payment”, at time of “Substantial Completion”, and the final “Application for Payment”, involve additional requirements.
  2. **Payment-Application Terms:** The Owner will process monthly progress payments. The Contractor may submit applications for payment on a monthly basis.
  3. **Payment-Application Forms:** Use the “Application for Payment” form as required by the Owner. Present the required information on electronic media printout or approved Owner Form, multiple pages should be used if required.
  4. For each item, provide a column including but not limited to the following items:
    - a. *Item Number.*
    - b. *Description of Work and Related Specification Section or Division.*
    - c. *Scheduled Value, break down by units of material and units of labor.*

- d. Work completed from previous application.*
  - e. Work completed this period.*
  - f. Materials presently stored.*
  - g. Total completed and stored to date of application.*
  - h. Percentage of Completion.*
  - i. Balance to Finish.*
  - j. Retainage*
5. Application Preparation: Complete every entry on the form. Include final payment only and execution by a person authorized to sign legal documents on behalf of the Contractor. The Construction Administrator will return incomplete applications without action.
- a. Entries shall match data on the “Schedule of Values”.
  - b. Include amounts of Change Orders issued prior to the last day of the construction period covered by the application.
6. Transmittal: Submit **2** signed and notarized original copies of each Application for Payment to the Construction Administrator. One copy shall be complete, including waivers of lien and similar attachments, when required.
- a. Transmit each copy with a transmittal form listing attachments and recording appropriate information related to the application, in a manner acceptable to the Engineer.
7. Applications for Payment: Administrative actions and submittals, that must precede or coincide with submittal of the first Application for Payment and all subsequent Application for Payments including, but not limited to, the following items:
- a. List of subcontractors and suppliers’ name, FEIN/Social Security numbers, and Connecticut Tax Registration Numbers.*
  - b. List of principal suppliers and fabricators.*
  - c. Schedule of Values.*
  - d. Contractor's Construction Schedule (preliminary if not final).*
  - e. Schedule of principal products.*
  - f. Submittal Schedule (preliminary if not final).*
  - g. List of Contractor's staff assignments.*
  - h. List of Contractor's principal consultants.*
  - i. Copies of all applicable permits.*
  - j. Copies of authorizations and licenses from governing authorities for performance of the Work.*
  - k. Initial as-built survey and damage report, if required.*
- C. Application for Payment at Substantial Completion:** Following issuance of the Certificate of Substantial Completion submit an Application for Payment form, use the form as required by the Owner. Present the required information on electronic media printout.
- 1. This application shall reflect Certificates of Partial Substantial Completion issued previously for Owner occupancy of designated portions of the Work..
  - 2. Administrative actions and submittals that shall precede or coincide with this application include, but are not limited to, the following:
    - a. Occupancy permits and similar approvals.*
    - b. Warranties (guarantees) and maintenance agreements.*
    - c. Test/adjust/balance records.*
    - d. Maintenance instructions.*
    - e. Startup performance reports.*
    - f. Changeover information related to Owner's occupancy, use, operation, and maintenance.*

- g. Final cleaning.*
  - h. Application for reduction of retainage and consent of surety.*
  - i. Advice on shifting insurance coverage.*
  - j. Final progress photographs.*
  - k. List of incomplete Work, recognized as exceptions to Engineer's Certificate of Substantial Completion.*
- D. Final Payment Application:** Administrative actions and submittals that must precede or coincide with submittal of the final Application for Payment include, but are not limited, to the following:
- Completion, Final Inspection, and Final Payment, in the General Conditions and Supplementary Conditions.
- 1. Completion of Project Closeout requirements.*
  - 2. Completion of list of items remaining to be completed as indicated on the attachment to the Certificate of Substantial Completion.*
  - 3. Ensure that unsettled claims will be settled.*
  - 4. Ensure that incomplete Work is not accepted and will be completed without undue delay.*
  - 5. Transmittal of required Project construction records to the Owner.*
  - 6. Proof that taxes, fees, and similar obligations were paid.*
  - 7. Removal of temporary services.*
  - 8. Removal of surplus materials, rubbish, and similar elements.*
  - 9. The requirements of the General Conditions and Supplementary Conditions for Final Acceptance, Final Completion, Final Inspection, and Final Payment.*
  - 12. Asbestos, Lead or other hazardous material manifests.*
  - 13. Completion of "Building Contractor Reporting Form" as supplied by Department of Public Works, for all Contractors, Subcontractors, Vendors, Suppliers, etc. who work on the Contract. The form includes the following information:*
    - 14. Contractor/Subcontractor name.*
    - 15. FEIN/Social Security Numbers*
    - 16. Connecticut Tax Registration Numbers*
    - 17. Type of work*
    - 18. Name of business and address*
    - 19. Remittance address.*

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**01030 SUPPLEMENTAL BIDS (NOT USED)**

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- A. Definition:** A Supplemental Bid is an amount proposed by bidders and stated on the Bid Proposal Form for certain work defined in the Bidding Documents that may be added to the Base Bid amount if the Owner decides to accept a corresponding change in either the amount of construction to be completed, or in the products, materials, equipment, systems, or installation methods described in the Contract Documents.
- 1. The cost for each supplemental bid is the net addition to the Contract Sum to incorporate the Supplemental Bid into the Work. Supplemental Bids are only accepted in the numerical order that they are listed on the Bid Proposal Form and never accepted out of numerical sequence. No other adjustments are made to the Contract Sum.*
- B. Procedures:**
- 1. Coordination: Modify or adjust affected adjacent Work as necessary to completely and fully integrate that Work into the Project.*
    - a. Include as part of each Supplemental Bid, miscellaneous devices, accessory objects, and similar items incidental to or required for a complete installation whether or not mentioned as part of the Supplemental Bid.*
  - 2. Execute accepted Supplemental Bids under the same conditions as other Work of this Contract.*

2. Schedule: A "Schedule of Supplemental Bids" is included at the end of this Section. Specification Sections referenced in the Schedule contain requirements for materials necessary to achieve the Work described under each Supplemental Bid.

**C. Schedule of Supplemental Bids:**

1. *Supplemental Bid No. 1:*

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**01035 MODIFICATION PROCEDURES**

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**A. Summary:** This Section specifies administrative and procedural requirements for handling and processing contract modifications.

**B. Minor Changes in the Work:**

1. The Engineer, through the Construction Administrator, will issue supplemental instructions authorizing Minor Changes in the Work, not involving adjustment to the Contract Sum or Contract Time, on the "Supplemental Instructions" form as required by the Owner.

**C. Proposal Request:**

1. Engineer/Owner-Initiated Requests For Proposals: The Engineer or Owner will issue a detailed description of proposed changes in the Work via the Construction Administrator that will require adjustment to the Contract Sum or Contract Time. If necessary, the description will include supplemental or revised Drawings and Specifications. Such requests shall be on a "Proposal Request" form as required by the owner.
2. "Proposal Request" is issued for information only. Do not consider them as an instruction either to stop work in progress or to execute the proposed change.
3. Within Fourteen (14) Calendar Days of receipt of a "Proposal Request", submit a "Change Order Proposal" with the required information necessary to execute the change to the Construction Administrator for the Engineer's/Owner's review.
4. Include a list of quantities of products required and unit costs, with the total amount of purchases to be made. Where requested, furnish survey data to substantiate quantities.
  - a. Indicate applicable delivery charges, equipment rental, and amounts of trade discounts.
  - b. Include a statement indicating the effect the proposed change in the Work will have on the Contract Time.
  - c. The Agency is tax exempt. All Contractor and Subcontractor services provided under your contract with the State of Connecticut may not be exempt from taxes. The Department of Revenue Services can guide you as to which services are exempt and which are not. Please contact the State of Connecticut, Department of Revenue Services at 1-800-382-9463 or 566-7033.
  - d. Dollar values shown on the Schedule of Values shall not be the governing (or deciding) final amounts for change orders involving either additional charges or deletions.

**D. Requests for Information:**

1. In the event that the contractor or subcontractor, at any tier, determines that some portion of the drawings, specifications, or other contract documents requires clarification or interpretation by the Engineer, the contractor shall submit a "Request for Information" in writing to the Engineer via Construction Administrator. "Requests for Information" may only be submitted by the contractor and shall only be submitted on the "Request for Information" forms as required by the owner. In the "Request for Information", the contractor shall clearly and concisely set forth the issue for which clarification or interpretation is sought and why a response is needed from the Engineer.
  - a. In the "Request for Information", the contractor shall set forth an interpretation or understanding of the requirement along with reasons why such an understanding was reached.
  - b. The owner acknowledges that this is a complex project. Based upon the owner's past experience with projects of similar complexity, the owner anticipates that there will probably be some "Requests for Information" on this project.
  - c. The Engineer will review all "Requests for Information" to determine whether they are "Requests for Information" within the meaning of this term. If it is determined that the document is not a "Request

for Information”, it will be returned to the contractor, unreviewed as to content, for resubmittal on the proper form and in the proper manner.

- d. A “Requests for Information Response” shall be issued within seven (7) Calendar Days of receipt of the request from the contractor unless the owner determines that a longer time is necessary to provide an adequate response. If a longer time is determined necessary by the owner, the owner will, within seven (7) Calendar Days of receipt of the request, notify the contractor of the anticipated response time. If the contractor submits a “Request for Information” on an activity with seven (7) Calendar Days or less of float on the current project schedule, the contractor shall not be entitled to any time extension due to the time it takes the Architect to respond to the request provided that the Engineer responds within the seven (7) Calendar Days set forth above.
- e. A “Requests for Information Response” from Engineer will not change any requirement of the contract documents. In the event the contractor believes that the “Requests for Information Response” will cause a change to the requirements of the contract document, the contractor shall immediately give written notice to the Construction Administrator stating that the contractor believes the “Requests for Information Response” will result in “Change Order” and the Contractor intends to submit a “Change Order Proposal” request. Failure to give such written notice immediately shall waive the contractor’s right to seek additional time or cost under the requirement these Requirements.

**E. Change Order Proposal:**

1. When either a “Request for Information” from the Contractor or a “Proposal Request” from the Engineer or Owner results in conditions that may require modifications to the Contract, the Contractor may propose changes by submitting a request for a “Change Order Proposal” to the Engineer via the Construction Administrator on forms as required by the Owner. These forms shall also include “Change Order Proposal Worksheets” as required by the Owner.
  - a. Include statements outlining the reasons for the change and the effect of the change on the Work. Provide a complete description of the proposed change. Indicate the effect of the proposed change on the Contract Sum and Contract Time.
  - b. Include a list of quantities of products required and unit costs, with the total amount of purchases to be made. Where requested, furnish survey data to substantiate quantities as directed by Article 13 of the General Conditions of the Contract for Construction.
  - c. Indicate applicable delivery charges, equipment rental, and amounts of trade discounts.
  - d. Comply with requirements in Section 01631 Equals and Substitutions if the proposed change requires an equal or substitution of one product or system for a product or system specified.
2. The State of Connecticut construction contract has the following tax exemptions:
  - a. Purchasing of materials which will be physically incorporated and become a permanent part of the project.
  - b. Tools, supplies and equipment used in fulfilling the construction contract are not exempt.
  - c. Services that are resold by the contractor are exempt, i.e. if a General Contractor hires a plumber, carpenter or electrician, a resale certificate may be issued to the subcontractor because these services are considered to be integral and inseparable component parts of the building contract
3. “Change Order Request” Forms: Use “Change Order Proposal” and “Change Order Proposal Worksheets” forms as required by Owner.
4. “Change Order Proposal” cannot be submitted without the Contractor either prior submission of a “Request for Information” from the Contractor or as a response to a “Proposal Request” submitted by the Engineer or Owner.
5. Any “Change Order Request” submitted without a prior submittal of a “Request for Information” or as a response to a “Proposal Request” will be immediately rejected and returned to the Contractor.

**F. Construction Change Directive:**

1. “Construction Change Directive”: When the Owner and the Contractor disagree on the terms of a “Change Order Proposal” resulting from either a “Request for Information” or “Proposal Request”, then the Engineer through the Construction Administrator may issue a “Construction Change Directive” on a “Construction Change Directive” as authorized by the Owner on the form required by the Owner. The

“Construction Change Directive” instructs the Contractor to proceed with a change in the Work, for subsequent inclusion in a “Change Order”.

- a. The “Construction Change Directive” contains a complete description of the change in the Work. It also designates the method to be followed to determine change in the Contract Sum or Contract Time.
2. Documentation: The Contractor shall maintain detailed records on a time and material basis of work required by the “Construction Change Directive”.
  - a. After completion of the change, submit an itemized account and supporting data necessary to substantiate cost and time adjustments to the Contract.
  - b. The final value shall be negotiated based on the supporting data to determine the value of the work.

**G. Change Order Procedures:**

1. Upon the Owner's approval of a Contractor's “Change Order Proposal”, the Construction Administrator will issue a “Change Order” for signatures of the Engineer, Owner and the Contractor on “Change Order” form as required by the Owner.

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**01040 COORDINATION**

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**A. Construction Administrator:**

1. The Construction Administrator is identified in Section 01003 Construction Administrator.
2. Construction Mobilization:
  - a. Cooperate with the Construction Administrator in the allocation of mobilization areas of the site, for field offices and sheds, for agency facility access, traffic, and parking facilities.
  - b. During Construction, coordinate use of site and facilities through the Construction Administrator.
  - c. Comply with Construction Administrators procedures for intra-project communications; submittals, reports and records, schedules, coordination drawings, and recommendations; and resolution of ambiguities and conflicts.
  - d. Comply with instructions of the Construction Administrator for use of temporary utilities and construction facilities.
  - e. Coordinate field engineering layout as specified in Section 01050 “Field Engineering” for work under the instructions of the Construction Administrator.

**B** Coordinate construction operations included in various Sections of these Specifications to assure efficient and orderly installation of each part of the Work. Coordinate construction operations included under different Sections that depend on each other for proper installation, connection, and operation.

1. Schedule construction operations in the sequence required to obtain the best results where installation of one part of the Work depends on installation of other components, before or after its own installation.
2. Coordinate installation of different components to assure maximum accessibility for required maintenance, service, and repair.
3. Make provisions to accommodate items scheduled for later installation.

**C.** Where necessary, prepare memoranda for distribution to each party involved, outlining special procedures required for coordination. Include such items as required notices, reports, and attendance at meetings.

1. Prepare similar memoranda for the Construction Administrator, Owner and separate contractors where coordination of their work is required.

**D. Administrative Procedures:** Coordinate scheduling and timing of required administrative procedures with other construction activities to avoid conflicts and assure orderly progress of the Work. Such administrative activities include, but are not limited to, the following:

1. *Preparation of schedules.*
2. *Delivery and processing of submittals.*
3. *Progress meetings.*
4. *Project closeout activities.*

**E. General Coordination Provisions:**

1. Inspection of Conditions: Require the Installer of each major component to inspect both the substrate and conditions under which Work is to be performed and coordinate such inspections with the Construction Administrator and authorities having jurisdictions. If unsatisfactory conditions exist notify the Construction Administrator immediately. Do not proceed until unsatisfactory conditions have been corrected in an acceptable manner.
2. The Contractor shall coordinate temporary enclosures with required inspections and tests to minimize the necessity of uncovering completed construction for that purpose.
3. The Construction Administrator will meet with the Contractor on all major items of coordination.
4. See also General Conditions Article 7.

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**01045 CUTTING AND PATCHING**

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- A. Openings and chases may not be shown on the Drawings. It is the responsibility of the Contractor to examine the , Electrical, Heating, Cooling, Drawings and to provide chases, channels or openings where needed.
- B. The Contractor shall install sleeves, inserts and hangers furnished by the trades needing same.
- C. After installing work into openings, channels and/or chases, the Contractor shall close same. If finishes are to be restored, the new work shall match the original and shall be done by the trade customarily responsible for the particular kind of work.
- D. Permission shall be obtained from the Construction Administrator before cutting beams, arches, lintels or other structural members.
- E. Requirements for Structural Work: Do not cut and patch structural elements in a manner that would change their load-carrying capacity or load-deflection ratio.
  1. Obtain approval from the Engineer's of the cutting and patching proposal before cutting and patching the following structural elements:
    - a. *Bearing and retaining walls.*
    - b. *Structural concrete.*
    - c. *Structural steel.*
    - d. *Lintels.*
    - e. *Structural decking.*
    - f. *Miscellaneous structural metals.*
    - g. *Equipment supports.*
    - h. *Piping, ductwork, vessels, and equipment.*
    - i. *Structural systems of special construction in Division 13 Sections.*
- F. Do cutting and patching to integrate all elements of the work. Provide penetrations of existing surfaces. Provide samples for testing. Seal penetrations through walls, as applicable; restore or preserve fire-rated and smoke-barrier construction. Construction and finishes shall match original work.
- G. The Contractor shall verify dimensions for built-in work and/or work adjoining that of other trades before ordering any material or doing any work. Discrepancies shall be submitted to the Construction Administrator before proceeding with the work.
- H. Existing Warranties: Replace, patch, and repair material and surfaces cut or damaged by methods and with materials in such a manner as not to void any warranties required or existing.
- I. See also General Conditions Article 23.

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**01050 FIELD ENGINEERING (NOT USED)**

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- A. Provide field engineering services to establish and record grades, lines and elevations.

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**01095 REFERENCE STANDARDS & DEFINITIONS**

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- A. For products specified by association or trade standards, comply with requirements of the standard, except when more rigid requirements are specified or are required by applicable codes.

- B. References to standard specifications and codes refer to the editions current at the bid due date. An exception is, buildings exceeding the threshold limit must be in substantial compliance with the requirements of the effective code at the time of receipt of completed application to the Office of State Building Inspector (OSBI). References include their addenda and errata, if any, and shall be considered a part of these specifications as if they were printed herein in full.
- C. The manufacturers' standard warranties or guarantees shall apply when their products are used on this project.
- D. Flame Spread Ratings - all materials that are required or obligated to meet specified standards shall be submitted to the owner for their records as part of the shop drawing submittal process for their construction records.

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**01120 RENOVATION/DEMOLITION PROJECT PROCEDURES**

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**A. Products For Patching And Extending Work:**

- 1. New materials: As specified in product sections; match existing Products and Work for patching and extending Work.
- 2. Type and Quality of Existing Products: Determine by inspecting and testing Products where necessary, referring to existing Work as a standard.

**B. Inspection- General:**

- 1. Verify that demolition is complete and areas are ready for installation of new Work.
- 2. Beginning of restoration Work means acceptance of existing conditions.

**C. Project Procedures for Work Involving Asbestos Containing Material (ACM):**

- 1. The Construction Administrator is responsible for abating all ACM that is visible and accessible. This is to be accomplished through a separate project prior to the start of the renovation project. In demolition projects, every attempt should be made by the owner to remove all ACM.
- 2. If the Contractor should encounter any material suspect or known to contain ACM, he should immediately notify the Construction Administrator of same. It is the State's responsibility to have the material tested and abated (if necessary). The Owner will respond within twenty-four (24) hours after receiving the Contractor's written request to the Construction Administrator for testing the suspect material. The Owner will abate ACM (if necessary) within a reasonable time period, i.e. with seven (7) Calendar Days.
- 3. Testing for asbestos has been conducted at the facility scheduled for renovation, demolition, reconstruction, alteration, remodeling, or repair. Results of the asbestos testing are for information purposes only. The testing results are in a separate Volume of this Project Manual. Under no circumstance shall this information be the sole means used by the Contractor for determining the extent of asbestos. The Contractor shall be responsible for verification of all field conditions affecting performance of the Work.
- 3. See also General Conditions Article 23.

**D. Project Procedures for Work Involving Lead Containing Material:**

- 1. Exposure levels for lead in the construction industry are regulated by 29 CFR 1926.62. Construction activities disturbing surfaces containing lead-based paint (LBP) which are likely to be employed, such as sanding, grinding, welding, cutting and burning, have been known to expose workers to levels of lead in excess of the Permissible Exposure Limit (PEL). Conduct demolition and removal Work specified in the technical sections of this specification in conformance with these regulations. In addition, construction debris/waste may be classified as hazardous waste. Disposal of hazardous waste material shall be in accordance with 40 CFR Parts 260 through 271 and Connecticut Hazardous Waste Management Regulations Section 22a-209-1; 22a-209-8(c); 22a-449(c)-11; and 22a-449(c)-100 through 110.
- 2. The Contractor's Work shall be based on a child under the age of six (6) in residence; the Work shall also be in accordance with Connecticut Regulations Section 19a-111-1 through 11.
- 3. This facility was constructed prior to 1978 and is likely to have painted surfaces containing lead-based paint.
- 4. Testing for lead-based paint has been conducted at the facility scheduled for renovation, demolition, reconstruction, alteration, remodeling, or repair. Results of the LBP testing are for information purposes only. The testing results are in a separate Volume of this Project Manual. Under no circumstance shall this



information be the sole means used by the Contractor for determining the extent of LBP. The Contractor shall be responsible for verification of all field conditions affecting performance of the Work.

**E. Preparation:**

1. Cut, move, or remove items as are necessary for access to alterations and renovation Work. Replace and restore at completion.
2. Remove unsuitable material not marked for salvage, such as rotted wood, corroded metals, and deteriorated masonry and concrete. Replace materials as specified for finished Work.
3. Remove debris and abandoned items from area and from concealed spaces.
4. Prepare surface and remove surface finishes to provide for proper installation of new Work and finishes.

**F. Installation:**

1. Coordinate Work of alterations and renovations to expedite completion and if required sequence Work to accommodate Owner occupancy.
2. Remove, cut and patch Work in a manner to minimize damage and to provide restoring Products and finishes to original and or specified condition in accordance with Section 01045 "Cutting and Patching".
4. In addition to specified replacement of *equipment* and *fixtures*, restore existing *plumbing, heating, ventilation, air conditioning, electrical*, systems to full operational condition.
5. Recover and refinish Work that exposes mechanical and electrical Work exposed accidentally during the Work.
6. Install Products as specified in individual sections.

**G. Adjustments:**

1. Where removal of partitions or walls result in adjacent spaces becoming one, rework floors, walls, and ceilings to a smooth plane without breaks, steps, or bulkheads.
2. Fit Work at penetrations of surfaces as specified in Section 01045 "Cutting and Patching".

**H. Repair of Damaged Surfaces:**

1. Patch or replace portions of existing surfaces that are damaged, lifted, discolored, or showing imperfections.
2. Repair substrate prior to patching finish.

**I. Finishes:**

1. Finish surfaces as specified in individual Product sections.
2. Finish patches to produce uniform finish and texture over entire area. When finish cannot be matched, refinish entire surface to nearest intersections.

**J. Cleaning:**

1. In addition cleaning specified in Section 01700 "Project Closeout", clean Agency occupied areas of Work

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**01121 SALVAGEABLE MATERIALS (NOT APPLICABLE)**

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- A. The Contractor shall be responsible for removing the following salvageable items from premises and transporting said items to \_\_\_on \_\_\_, CT\_\_\_.
  1. *Equipment:*
- B. The Contractor shall notify the Construction Administrator in writing seven (7) Calendar Days prior to removing all salvageable items from the existing alteration project location and unloading all salvageable items at \_\_\_, \_\_\_, Connecticut \_\_\_ and store items in the appropriate location as directed by \_\_\_ personnel.

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**01200 PROJECT MEETINGS**

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**A. Pre-construction Conference:**

1. The Contractor will attend a Pre-construction Conference before starting construction, as scheduled by the Construction Administrator convenient to the Owner, the Construction Administrator, Engineer, and

- Contractor. This meeting will take place within fourteen (14) Calendar Days after the written Notice to Proceed and before the Contract Start Date. Hold the conference at the Project Site or another convenient location as directed by the Construction Administrator. The Construction Administrator shall conduct the Pre-construction Conference to review the Contractor and Subcontractor responsibilities and personnel assignments.
2. Attendees: Authorized representatives of the Construction Administrator, Owner, Engineer, and their consultants; the Contractor and its superintendent; major subcontractors; agency; and other concerned parties shall attend the conference. All participants at the conference shall be familiar with the Project and authorized to conclude matters relating to the Work.
  3. Agenda: Discuss items of significance that could affect progress, including the following:
    - a. *Tentative construction schedule.*
    - b. *Critical work sequencing.*
    - c. *Progress meeting schedule.*
    - d. *Designation of responsible personnel.*
    - e. *Procedures for processing field decisions and Change Orders.*
    - f. *Procedures for processing Applications for Payment.*
    - g. *Distribution of Contract Documents.*
    - h. *Submittal of Shop Drawings, Product Data, and Samples.*
    - i. *Preparation of record documents.*
    - j. *Use of the premises.*
    - k. *Parking availability.*
    - l. *Office, work, and storage areas.*
    - m. *Equipment deliveries and priorities.*
    - n. *Safety procedures.*
    - o. *First aid.*
    - p. *Security.*
    - q. *Housekeeping.*
    - r. *Working hours.*
    - s. *Coordination with Audio-Visual and Telecommunications.*

**B. Progress Meetings:**

1. The Construction Administrator will conduct progress meetings, bi-weekly, at the Project Site or at regular intervals as agreed upon at the Pre-construction Conference. The Construction Administrator will notify the Owner, the Engineer, and the Contractor of the scheduled Progress Meeting dates. Coordinate dates of Progress Meetings with preparation of Application for Payment requests.
2. Attendees: In addition to representatives of the Contractor, Construction Administrator, Owner and the Engineer, subcontractor, supplier, or other entity concerned with current progress or involved in planning, coordination, or performance of future activities may be requested to attend these meetings on an as needed basis. All participants at the meeting shall be familiar with the Project and authorized to conclude matters relating to the Work. The Contractor shall include the site superintendent as a minimum.
3. Agenda: Progress Meetings shall review and correct or approve minutes of the previous Progress Meeting. Review other items of significance that could affect progress. Include topics for discussion as appropriate to the status of the Project.
  - a. Construction Schedule: Review progress since the last Progress Meeting. Determine where each activity is in relation to the required Contractor's "Construction Schedule" and whether each activity is on time or ahead or behind Schedule. Determine how Work that is behind Schedule will be expedited; secure commitments from parties involved to do so. Discuss whether Schedule revisions are required to insure that current and subsequent activities will be completed within the Contract Time.
  - b. Review the present and future needs of each entity present

4. Reporting: The Construction Administrator will distribute minutes of the meeting to each party present, promptly and before the next scheduled meeting, and to parties who should have been present.
5. A schedule of regular Project Meetings will be established at the Pre-construction Conference.

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**01300 SUBMITTALS**

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**A. Summary:**

1. This Section includes administrative and procedural requirements for submittals required for performance of the Work, including but not limited to the following:
  - a. *Submittal schedule.*
  - a. Shop Drawings.
  - c. Product Data.
  - d. Samples.
  - e. Quality assurance submittals.
  - f. Proposed "Substitutions Request" form.
  - g. Warrantee samples.
  - h. Coordination Drawings.
  - i. O & M Manuals

**B. Administrative Submittals:** Refer to other Division 1 Sections and other Contract Documents for requirements for administrative submittals. Such submittals include, but are not limited to, the following:

1. Permits.
2. Applications for Payment.
3. Performance and payment bonds.
4. Contractor's construction schedule.
5. Daily construction reports.
6. Construction Photographs.
7. Insurance certificates.
8. List of subcontractors.
9. Subcontractors/Suppliers FEIN #'s and Connecticut tax registration #.

**C. Definitions:**

1. Coordination Drawings show the relationship and integration of different construction elements that require careful coordination during fabrication or installation to fit in the space provided or to function as intended and as identified in the Specification Division 2 through 16.
  - a. Preparation of Coordination Drawings is specified in Division 1 Section "Coordination" and may include components previously shown in detail on Shop Drawings or Product Data.
2. Field samples are full-size physical examples erected on-site to illustrate finishes, coatings, or finish materials. Field samples are used to establish the standard by which the Work will be judged.

**D. Submittal Procedures:**

1. Coordination: Coordinate preparation and processing of submittals with performance of construction activities. Transmit each submittal sufficiently in advance of performance of related construction activities to avoid delay.
2. Coordinate each submittal with fabrication, purchasing, testing, delivery, other submittals, and related activities that requires sequential activity.
3. Coordinate transmittal of different types of submittals for related elements of the Work so processing will not be delayed by the need to review submittals concurrently for coordination.
4. The Engineer reserves the right to withhold action on a submittal requiring coordination with other submittals until all related submittals are received.

5. The Engineer reserves the right to reject incomplete submitted packages.
  6. Processing: To avoid the need to delay installation as a result of the time required to process submittals, allow sufficient time for submittal review, including time for resubmittals.
    - a. Allow (2) two weeks for initial review. Allow additional time if the Architect must delay processing to permit coordination with subsequent submittals.
    - b. If an intermediate submittal is necessary, process the same as the initial submittal.
    - c. Allow (2) two for reprocessing each submittal.
    - d. No extension of Contract Time will be authorized because of failure to transmit submittals to the Engineer sufficiently in advance of the Work to permit processing.
- E. Submittal Preparation:** Place a permanent label, title block or 8-1/2 inches x 11 inches cover page approved by the Engineer, on each submittal for identification. Indicate the name of the entity that prepared each submittal on the label or title block.
1. The minimum number of copies required for each submittal shall be at a minimum 3 copies or as determine otherwise at the pre-construction conference or by the Construction Administrator.
  2. Provide a space approximately 4 inches by 5 inches on the label, beside the title block or on the cover page on Shop Drawings to record the Contractor's review and approval markings and the action taken.
  3. Include the following information on the label for processing and recording action taken.
    - a. *Project Name and State of Connecticut Project Number.*
    - b. *Date.*
    - c. *Name and address of the Architect, Construction Administrator, and Owner Representative.*
    - d. *Name and address of the Contractor.*
    - e. *Name and address of the subcontractor.*
    - f. *Name and address of the supplier.*
    - g. *Name of the manufacturer.*
    - h. *Number and title of appropriate Specification Section.*
    - i. *Drawing number and detail references, as appropriate.*
    - j. *Indicate either initial or resubmittal.*
    - k. *Indicate deviations from Contract Documents.*
    - l. *Indicate if "equal" or "substitution".*
- F. Submittal Transmittal:** Package each submittal appropriately for transmittal and handling. Transmit each submittal from the Contractor to the Engineer using a transmittal form. Copy the Construction Administrator on the transmittal. The Engineer will return all submittals to the Contractor after action is taken with a complete copy of the submittal package and one complete copy of the submittal package. The Engineer will not accept submittals received from sources other than the Contractor.
1. On the transmittal, record relevant information and requests for data. On the form, or separate sheet, record deviations from Contract Document requirements, including variations and limitations. Include Contractor's certification that information complies with Contract Document requirements.
- G Submittal Schedule:**
1. After development and review by the Owner and Engineer acceptance of the Contractor's Construction Schedule prepare a complete schedule of submittals. Submit the schedule to the Construction Administrator within 30 days of Contract Award.
  2. Coordinate Submittal Schedule with the list of subcontracts, Schedule of Values, and the list of products as well as the Contractor's Construction Schedule
  3. Prepare the schedule in chronological order. Provide the following information:
    - a. Schedule date for the initial submittal.
    - b. Related section number.
    - c. Submittal category (Shop Drawings, Product Data, or Samples).

- d. Name of Subcontractor.
- e. Description of the part of Work covered.
- f. Scheduled date for resubmittal.
- g. Scheduled date for the Architect's final release of approval.

**H. Distribution:** Following response to the initial submittal, print and distribute copies to the Construction Administrator, Engineer, Owner, subcontractors, and other parties required to comply with submittal dates indicated. Post copies in the Project meeting room and field office.

- 1. When revisions are made, distribute to the same parties and post in the same locations. Delete parties from distribution when they have completed their assigned portion of the Work and are no longer involved in construction activities.

**I. Schedule Updating:** Revise the schedule after each meeting or activity where revisions have been recognized or made. Issue the updated schedule concurrently with the report of each meeting.

**J. Daily Construction Reports**

- 1. Prepare a daily construction report recording the following information concerning events at the site, and submit duplicate copies to the Construction Administrator at weekly intervals:

- a. *List of subcontractors at the site.*
- b. *Approximate count of personnel at the site.*
- c. *High and low temperatures, general weather conditions.*
- d. *Accidents and unusual events.*
- e. *Meetings and significant decisions.*
- f. *Stoppages, delays, shortages, and losses.*
- g. *Meter readings and similar recordings.*
- h. *List of equipment on site and identify if idle or in use.*
- i. *Orders and requests of governing authorities.*
- j. *Change Orders received, start and end dates.*
- k. *Services connected, disconnected.*
- l. *Equipment or system tests and startups.*
- m. *Partial Completion's, occupancies.*
- n. *Substantial Completion's authorized.*
- o. *Equals or Substitutions approved or rejected.*

**K. Shop Drawings:**

- 1. Submit newly prepared information drawn accurately to scale. Highlight, encircle, or otherwise indicate deviations from the Contract Documents. Do not reproduce Contract Documents or copy standard information as the basis of Shop Drawings. Standard information prepared without specific reference to the Project is not a Shop Drawing.
- 2. Shop Drawings include fabrication and installation Drawings, setting diagrams, schedules, patterns, templates and similar Drawings. Include the following information:
  - a. Dimensions:
  - b. Identification of products and materials included by sheet and detail number.
  - c. Compliance with specified standards.
  - d. Notation of coordination requirements.
  - e. Notation of dimensions established by field measurement.
  - f. Sheet Size: Except for templates, patterns and similar full-size Drawings, submit Shop Drawings on sheets at least 8-1/2 by 11 inches but no larger than 36 by 48 inches.

- g. Submit one (1) reproducible media and seven (7) prints as directed by the Construction Administrator. The Contractor's submittal shall identify the specification section and/or drawing number applicable to the submittal.
- h. Details shall be large scale and/or full size.
- 3. The Contractor shall review the Shop Drawings, stamp with this approval, and submit them with reasonable promptness and in orderly sequence so as to cause no delay in his Work or in the Work of any subcontractor. Shop Drawings shall be properly identified as specified for item, material, workmanship, and project number. At the submission, the Contractor shall inform the Engineer, in writing of any deviation in the shop drawings from the requirements of the Contract Documents.
- 4. The Engineer will review and comment on shop drawings with reasonable promptness so as to cause no delay, but only for conformance with the design concept of the project and with the information given in the Contract Documents. Refer to Article 5 of General Conditions. Shop Drawings received by the Engineer that indicate insufficient study of drawings and specifications, illegible portions or gross errors, will be rejected outright. Such rejections shall not constitute an acceptable reason for granting the Contractor additional time to perform the work.
- 5. The Contractor shall make any corrections required by the Engineer and shall resubmit the required number of corrected copies of shop drawings until fully reviewed.
- 6. Upon final review submit four (4) additional prints, same as submitted, to the Construction Administrator for his use.
- 7. The Engineers's review and comments on shop drawings shall not relieve the Contractor of responsibility for any deviation from the requirements of the Contract Documents.
- 8. Only final reviewed shop drawings are to be used on the project site.
- 9. The Work installed shall be reviewed in accordance with the shop drawings and the drawings and specifications. Final Review of the shop drawings by the Engineer shall constitute acceptance by the State and the Engineer of a variation or departure that is clearly identified. Final reviewed shop drawings shall not replace or be used as a vehicle to issue or incorporate change orders.

**L. Product Data:**

- 1. Collect Product Data into a single submittal for each element of construction or system. Product Data includes printed information, schedules, such as manufacturer's installation instructions, catalog cuts, standard color charts, roughing-in diagrams and templates, standard wiring diagrams, and performance curves.
- 2. Mark each copy to show applicable choices and options. Where printed Product Data includes information on several products that are not required, mark copies to indicate the applicable information. Include the following information:
  - a. *Manufacturer's printed recommendations.*
  - b. *Compliance with trade association standards.*
  - c. *Compliance with recognized testing agency standards.*
  - d. *Application of testing agency labels and seals.*
  - e. *Notation of dimensions verified by field measurement.*
  - f. *Notation of coordination requirements.*
- 3. Do not submit Product Data until compliance with requirements of the Contract Documents has been confirmed.
- 4. Preliminary Submittal: Submit a preliminary single copy of Product Data where selection of options is required.
- 5. Submittals: Submit 3 copies of each required submittal; submit 5 copies where required for maintenance manuals. The Architect will retain one and will return the other marked with action taken and corrections or modifications required.
  - a. Unless noncompliance with Contract Document provisions is observed, the submittal may serve as the final submittal.

6. Distribution: Furnish copies of final submittal to installers, subcontractors, suppliers, manufacturers, fabricators, and others required for performance of construction activities. Show distribution on transmittal forms.
  - a. Do not proceed with installation until a copy of Product Data is in the Installer's possession.
  - b. Do not permit use of unmarked copies of Product Data in connection with construction.

**M. Quality Assurance Submittals:**

1. Submit quality-control submittals, including design data, certifications, manufacturer's instructions, manufacturer's field reports, and other quality-control submittals as required under other Sections of the Specifications.
2. Certifications: Where other Sections of the Specifications require certification that a product, material, or installation complies with specified requirements, submit a notarized certification from the manufacturer certifying compliance with specified requirements.
  - a. Signature: Certification shall be signed by an officer of the manufacturer or other individual authorized to sign documents on behalf of the company.
3. Inspection and Test Reports: Requirements for submittal of inspection and test reports from independent testing agencies are specified in Division 1 Section "Quality Control."

**N. Engineer's Action:**

1. Except for submittals for the record or information, where action and return is required, the Architect will review each submittal, mark to indicate action taken, and return promptly.
  - a. Compliance with specified characteristics is the Contractor's responsibility.
2. Action Stamp: The Engineer will stamp each submittal with a uniform, action stamp. The Engineer will mark the stamp appropriately to indicate the action taken, as follows:
  - a. Final Unrestricted Release: When the Engineer marks a submittal "Approved for fabrication," the Work covered by the submittal may proceed provided it complies with requirements of the Contract Documents. Final payment depends on that compliance.
  - b. Final-But-Restricted Release: When the Engineer marks a submittal "Incorporate Notations," the Work covered by the submittal may proceed provided it complies with notations or corrections on the submittal and requirements of the Contract Documents. Submit corrected copies for record. Final payment depends on that compliance.
  - c. Returned for Resubmittal: When the Engineer marks a submittal "Rejected, or Revise and Resubmit," do not proceed with Work covered by the submittal, including purchasing, fabrication, delivery, or other activity. Revise or prepare a new submittal according to the notations; resubmit without delay. Repeat if necessary to obtain different action mark.
    - i. Do not use, or allow others to use, submittals marked "Rejected, or Revise and Resubmit" at the Project Site or elsewhere where Work is in progress.
  - d. Other Action: Where a submittal is for information or record purposes or special processing or other activity, the Engineer will return the submittal marked "Action Not Required."
3. Unsolicited Submittals: The Engineer will discard unsolicited submittals without action.

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**01310 CONSTRUCTION SCHEDULE**

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**A. Definitions:**

1. Construction Schedule: A method of planning and scheduling a construction project utilizing a horizontal bar chart with a separate bar for each major portion of the Work or operation to make the schedule an effective tool for planning and monitoring the progress of the work

**B. Format:**

1. Format: Utilize a horizontal bar chart (gant) with a separate bar for each major portion of the Work or operation, identifying first work day of each week.
2. Program: Use **Microsoft Project**, latest version.

3. Sequence of Listings: Utilize the Table of Contents of this Project Manual and the chronological order of the start of each item of work.
  4. Scale and Spacing: Provide space for notations and revisions.
  5. Sheet Size: To be coordinated with Construction Administrator.
- C. Quality Assurance:** The Contractor's Consultant: Retain a consultant to provide planning, evaluating, and reporting by CPM scheduling.
1. In-House Option: The Owner may waive the requirement to retain a consultant if the Contractor can demonstrate that:
    - a. The Contractor has the computer equipment required to produce construction schedules.
    - b. The Contractor employs skilled personnel with experience in construction scheduling and reporting techniques.
  2. Program: Use "**Microsoft Project**" compatible, latest version.
  3. Standards: Comply with procedures contained in AGC's "Construction Planning & Scheduling."
- D. Content:**
1. Show complete sequence of construction by activity, with dates beginning and completion of each element of construction.
  2. Identify each item by specification section number.
  3. Identify work of separate phases other and other logically grouped activities.
  4. Show accumulated percentages of completion of each item, and total percentage of Work completed, as of the first day of each month.
  5. Provide separate schedule of submittal dates for shop drawings, product data, and samples, Owner/Agency furnished products and any products identified as under Allowances, and dates reviewed submittals will be required from Architect/Engineer. Indicate decision dates for selection of finishes.
  6. Coordinate content with Schedule of Values specified in Section 01027.
- E. Submittals And Revisions To Schedules:**
1. Indicate progress of each activity to date of submittal, and projected completion date of each activity.
  2. Identify activities modified since previous submittal, major changes in scope, other identifiable changes.
  3. Provide narrative report to define problem areas, anticipated delays, and impact on Schedule. Report corrective action taken, or proposed, and its effect.
  4. An initial bar graph (ganttt) schedule is to be prepared by the General Contractor and submitted to the Construction Administrator within seven (7) calendar days of award of contract. This schedule is to cover all items of work from the start of the project up to the completion of the project. After review, resubmit required revised data within five (5) calendar days. This schedule must be revised monthly and when the actual schedule of significant items varies more than one (1) week from the proposed schedule.
  5. Submit revised Construction Schedules each Application for Payment.
  6. Submit four (4) copies of the Construction Schedule to the Construction Administrator..
- F. Distribution:**
1. Distribute copies of the Construction Schedules to Construction Administrator, Engineer, Owner, Subcontractors, suppliers, and other concerned parties.
  2. Instruct recipients to promptly report, in writing, problem anticipated by projections indicated in schedules.

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**01380 CONSTRUCTION PHOTOGRAPHS**

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- A. On the date the work is begun and every thirty (30) days thereafter (until the work is at least 95 percent complete).
- B. Take 24-35 mm color digital photos each time. Note on each photo frame the date the picture was taken and the project number. Deliver digital photographs to the Construction Administrator in both digital and hard copy form.



- C. As photographs are a record of the work progress, they shall be taken each month, whether or not they show work done during the preceding month. Deliver digital photos to the Construction Administrator, in both digital and hard copy form, within 10 days of their taking.

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**01400 QUALITY CONTROL**

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- A. Contractor Responsibilities:** Unless otherwise indicated as the responsibility of another identified entity, the Owner, through the Construction Administrator, shall provide inspections, tests, and other quality-control services specified elsewhere in the Contract Documents and required by authorities having jurisdiction. All tests required by the individual specification sections are required to be scheduled and notification given to the Construction Administrator forty-eight (48) hours in advance to the test/inspection as applicable. Costs for these services are not included in the Contract Sum.
1. Where individual Sections specifically indicate that certain inspections, tests, and other quality-control services are the Contractor's responsibility, the Contractor shall employ and pay a qualified independent testing agency to perform quality-control services. Costs for these services are included in the Contract Sum.
  2. Where individual Sections specifically indicate that certain inspections, tests, and other quality-control services are the Owner's responsibility, the Owner will employ and pay a qualified independent testing agency to perform those services.
    - a. Such services include Special Inspections as required by the latest adoption of the "Connecticut State building Code".
    - b. Where the Owner has engaged a testing agency for testing and inspecting part of the Work, and the Contractor is also required to engage an entity for the same or related element, the Contractor shall not employ the entity engaged by the Owner. The Owner will engage the services of a qualified Special Inspector for this project. The Special Inspector, as a representative of the Owner, shall document and confirm compliance with the provisions of the Connecticut State Building Code for Special Inspections.
    - c. Materials and assemblers for this project will be tested and construction operations inspected as the work progresses. Failure to detect any defective work or material shall not in any way prevent later rejection when such defect is discovered nor shall it obligate the State for final acceptance.
    - d. The Owner use of testing and inspection services shall in no way relieve the contractor of the responsibility to furnish materials and finished construction in full compliance with the Contract Documents and the Connecticut State Building Codes.
- B. Retesting:** The Contractor is responsible for retesting where results of inspections, tests, or other quality-control services prove unsatisfactory and indicate noncompliance with Contract Document requirements, regardless of whether the original test was Contractor's responsibility.
1. The cost of retesting construction, revised or replaced by the Contractor, is the Contractor's responsibility where required tests performed on original construction indicated noncompliance with Contract Document requirements.
  2. The Owner will issue a credit change order to cover all costs incurred related to all re-tests/re-inspection due to non-compliance to the contract documents, including but not limited to the Owners costs and the Consultants costs.
- C. Associated Services:** Cooperate with agencies performing required inspections, tests, and similar services, and provide reasonable auxiliary services as requested. Notify the agency sufficiently in advance of operations to permit assignment of personnel. Auxiliary services required include, but are not limited to, the following:
1. Provide access to the Work.
  2. Furnish incidental labor and facilities necessary to facilitate inspections and tests.
  3. Take adequate quantities of representative samples of materials that require testing or assist the agency in taking samples.
  4. Provide facilities for storage and curing of test samples.
  5. Deliver samples to testing laboratories.

6. Provide an approved design mix proposed for use for material mixes that require control by the testing agency.
  7. Provide security and protection of samples and test equipment at the Project Site.
- D. Duties of the Testing Agency:** The independent testing agency engaged to perform inspections, sampling, and testing of materials and construction specified in individual Sections shall cooperate with the Construction Administrator, Engineer and the Contractor in performance of the testing agency's duties. The testing agency shall provide qualified personnel to perform required inspections and tests.
1. The testing agency shall notify the Construction Administrator and the Contractor promptly of irregularities or deficiencies observed in the Work during performance of its services.
  2. The testing agency is not authorized to release, revoke, alter, or enlarge requirements of the Contract Documents or approve or accept any portion of the Work.
  3. The testing agency shall not perform any duties of the Contractor.
- E. Owner will pay for the services of an independent testing agency laboratory to perform inspections, tests and other services required by the Specifications except as noted below, listed for which the Owner will issue a deduct change order to cover the cost associated with these tests:
- a) When the Contractor notifies the Construction Administrator and/or Testing Agency less than twenty-four (24) hours before the expected time of testing.
  - b) When the Contractor requires testing for his own convenience.
  - c) When the Contractor schedules a test and is not ready for the required test.
- F. Reports of test that are part of the submittal requirements which indicate compliance or non-compliance with the specified standard.
- G. See also General Conditions Article 16.
- H. Fire Alarm/Acceptance Testing Procedures:**
1. The Department of Public Works has been given the Authority Having Jurisdiction with regards to construction Projects which do not exceed Threshold Limit Laws. The Contractor shall follow the "Department of Public Works "Acceptance Testing Procedures" as provided by the Owner prior to Acceptance Testing.
- I. Submittals:**
1. Unless the Contractor is responsible for this service, the independent testing agency shall submit a certified written report, in duplicate, of each inspection, test, or similar service to the Construction Administrator. If the Contractor is responsible for the service, submit a certified written report, in duplicate, of each inspection, test, or similar service through the Contractor.
  2. Submit additional copies of each written report directly to the governing authority, when the authority so directs.
  3. Report Data: Written reports of each inspection, test, or similar service include, but are not limited to, the following:
    - a. Date of issue.
    - b. Project title and number.
    - c. Name, address, and telephone number of testing agency.
    - d. Dates and locations of samples and tests or inspections.
    - e. Names of individuals making the inspection or test.
    - f. Designation of the Work and test method.
    - g. Identification of product and Specification Section.
    - h. Complete inspection or test data.
    - i. Test results and an interpretation of test results.
    - j. Ambient conditions at the time of sample taking and testing.
    - k. Comments or professional opinion on whether inspected or tested Work complies with Contract Document requirements.

- l. Name and signature of laboratory inspector.
- m. Recommendations on re-testing.

**J. Quality Assurance:**

- 1. Qualifications for Service Agencies: Engage inspection and testing service agencies, including independent testing laboratories, that are pre-qualified as complying with the National Voluntary Laboratory Accreditation Program and that specialize in the types of inspections and tests to be performed.
  - a. Each independent inspection and testing agency engaged on the Project shall be authorized by authorities having jurisdiction to operate in the state where the Project is located.

**K. Repair and Protection:**

- 1. General: Upon completion of inspection, testing, sample taking and similar services, repair damaged construction and restore substrates and finishes. Comply with Contract Document requirements for Division 1 Section "Cutting and Patching."
- 2. Protect constructions exposed by or for quality-control service activities, and protect repaired construction.
- 3. Repair and protection is Contractor's responsibility, regardless of the assignment of responsibility for inspection, testing, or similar services.

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**01505 TEMPORARY ELECTRICITY AND LIGHTING**

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- A. Connect to existing service, provide branch wiring and distribution boxes located to provide power and lighting by construction-grade extension cords. Owner will pay cost of energy used. Take measures to conserve energy. Provide lighting for construction operations. At the termination of construction, return the facilities to their original condition.

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**01510 TEMPORARY HEATING, COOLING AND VENTILATING**

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- A. Provide temporary heat during construction for interior areas included in the Contract to counteract low temperatures or excessive dampness and, in any event, between October 15th and April 15th. Maintain during said period or periods until final completion of the Contract, unless otherwise approved by the Owner in writing. Windows, doors, ventilators and similar openings shall be temporarily closed. Provide heat and ventilation to maintain specified conditions for construction operations and to protect materials and finishes from damage by temperature or humidity. The permanent heating system is not to be used for temporary heating unless approved, in writing, by the Owner. The Contractor shall pay costs. See individual Sections for temperature/humidity limits. Temporary H methods shall comply with OSHA regulations and other applicable codes, statutes, rules and regulations and shall be approved by the Department of Public Works.
- B. Permanent air handling equipment, when used for temporary heating, shall be equipped with disposable "construction" filters. The construction filters shall have an average efficiency at least equal to the filters specified under Division 15, but not less than 30% when tested in accordance with ASHRAE 52-76. The filters shall have an average arrestance of not less than 90% efficiency on one (1) micron size particles. Before turning over the system for final acceptance, the contractor shall remove and dispose of the construction filters; spray clean the heating and cooling coils, and drain pans to "like new" condition; and install the filters specified in Division 15.

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**01515 TEMPORARY TELEPHONE**

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- A. General Contractor shall provide telephone service in his office. It is preferred the Contractor use a cellular phone. Local calls will be paid by the Contractor and toll calls by the respective users.

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**01520 TEMPORARY WATER**

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- A. Connect to existing facilities, through an approved backflow prevention device; extend branch piping with outlets so that water is available by use of hoses. Owner will pay for water used. The Contractor shall not waste water or use faulty equipment. The Contractor shall provide, at his own expense, all connections, extensions and other apparatus required for use of such services. Upon completion of the Contract, the Contractor shall disconnect temporary extensions and return utility to its original condition.

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**01525 TEMPORARY SANITARY FACILITIES**

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- A. Designated existing toilets may be used during construction. It is the responsibility of the Contractor to maintain the facilities in a clean and sanitary condition and return them to their original condition after use. No loitering or smoking will be permitted in these areas.

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**01530 FIRE PROTECTION**

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- A. The Contractor, during construction, shall be responsible for loss or damage by fire to the work of the Contract until completion. Any fire used within the structure for working purposes shall be extinguished when not in use. Bitumen or tar shall be melted on the ground only. No flammable material shall be stored in the structure in excess of amounts allowed by the authorities. No gasoline shall be stored in or close to the building at any time. The Contractor shall assign a responsible employee to be in charge of fire protection measures.

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**01535 CONSTRUCTION EQUIPMENT**

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- A. The Contractor shall furnish tools, apparatus and appliances, hoists and/or cranes and power for same, scaffolding, runways, ladders, temporary supports and bracing and similar work or material necessary to insure convenience and safety in the execution of the Contract except where this is otherwise specified in any Specification Section. All such items shall meet the approval of the Owner but responsibility for design, strength and safety shall remain with the Contractor. All such items shall comply with Federal OSHA regulations and applicable codes, statutes, rules and regulations, including compliance with the requirements of the current edition of the "Manual of Accident Prevention in Construction" published by the A.G.C. and the standards of the State Labor Department.
- B. Staging, exterior and interior, required for the execution of this Contract, shall be furnished, erected, relocated if necessary and removed by the General Contractor. Staging shall be maintained in a safe condition without charge to and for the use of all trades as needed.

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**01540 BARRIERS AND ENCLOSURES**

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- A. Provide barriers to prevent public entry into construction areas and to protect existing facilities from damage by construction operations.
- B. Provide a fence around construction site; equip with vehicular and pedestrian gates with locks.
- C. Provide covered walkways as required by governing authorities for public rights-of-way and for public access to existing buildings.
- D. Provide barriers around trees and plants designated to remain. Protect against vehicular traffic, materials' dumping, chemically injurious materials, puddling or running water.
- E. Provide temporary, insulated, weathertight closures at openings to the exterior to provide acceptable working conditions and protection for materials, to allow for temporary heating and to prevent entry of unauthorized persons. Provide doors with self-closing hardware and locks.
- F. Barriers and enclosures shall be in conformance with code requirements. Do not block egress from occupied buildings unless necessary to further the work of the Contract. In this case, secure the Department's approval of an alternate egress plan.
- G. See also General Conditions Article 19.

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**01545 PROTECTION**

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- A. Protect buildings, equipment, furnishings, grounds and plantings from damage. Any damage shall be repaired or otherwise made good at no expense to the State.
- B. Provide protective coverings and barricades to prevent damage. The Contractor shall be held responsible for, and must make good at his own expense, any water or other type of damage due to improper coverings. Protect the public and building personnel from injury.
- C. Provide temporary protection for installed products. Control traffic in immediate area to minimize damage.
- D. Provide protective coverings for walls, projections, jambs, sills and soffits of openings. Protect finished floors and stairs from traffic, movement of heavy objects and storage. Prohibit traffic and storage on waterproofed and roofed surfaces and on lawn and landscaped areas.

- E. Provide temporary partitions and ceilings to separate work areas from Owner-occupied areas to prevent penetration of dust and moisture into Owner-occupied areas and equipment. Erect framing and sheet materials with closed joints and sealed edges at intersections with existing surfaces.
- F. See also General Conditions Article 19.

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**01550 SECURITY**

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- A. Provide security program and facilities to protect work, existing facilities and Owner's operations from unauthorized entry, vandalism and theft. Coordinate with Owner's security program.
- B. The Contractor shall be solely responsible for damage, loss or liability due to theft or vandalism.

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**01555 TRAFFIC WAYS**

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- A. The Contractor may use on-site paved roads and parking areas but shall not encumber same or their access. Public highways shall not be blocked by standing trucks, parked cars, material storage, construction operations or in any other manner.
- B. Public roads and existing paved roads, drives and parking areas on Owner's property shall be kept free from scrap or debris due to construction operations and any damage to their surface caused by the Contractor shall be repaired by him at his own expense.
- C. If the work of the Contract affects public use of any street, road, highway or thoroughfare, the G. C. shall confer with the police authority having jurisdiction to determine if and how many police are needed for public safety in addition to any barriers and signals that may be needed. The G.C. will be responsible for payment of any needed police services.

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**01560 TEMPORARY CONTROLS**

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- A. **Temporary Environmental Controls:** Contractor is to provide the following controls.
  - 1. *Dust Control (construction and demolition).*
  - 2. *Noise Control, Pest Control.*
  - 3. *Pollution Control.*
  - 4. *Traffic Control.*

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**01565 STORM WATER CONTROL (NOT APPLICABLE)**

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- A. Assume responsibility for Storm Water pollution control by submitting to the Connecticut Department of Energy and Environmental Protection (DEEP) a "General Permit for the Discharge of Storm Water and Dewatering Wastewaters from Construction Activities" registration; conform to the permit requirements.

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**01570 CLEANING**

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- A. Maintain areas under Contractor's control free of waste materials, debris and rubbish. Maintain in a clean and orderly condition.
- B. Remove debris and rubbish from pipe chases, plenums, and other closed or remote spaces before closing the space.
- C. Periodically clean interior areas before start of surface finishing and continue cleaning on an as-needed basis.
- D. Control cleaning operations so that dust and other particulates will not adhere to wet or newly-coated surfaces.
- E. Remove waste materials, debris and rubbish from site daily and dispose of legally off-site. No scrap/debris shall remain inside the building or anywhere on site upon final acceptance of the project.
- F. See also General Conditions Article 24.

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**01575 PROJECT SIGNS (NOT APPLICABLE)**

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- A. Project Signs: Engage an experienced sign painter to apply graphics. Comply with details to be furnished by the Construction Administrator.

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**01580 FIELD OFFICES AND SHEDS (NOT APPLICABLE)**

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**A. Field Offices:**

1. The Contractor shall provide an office for his own use which may be a trailer type facility with electric lighting, air conditioning, and heat. It shall have ample natural light, a table, chairs, counter, shelf, plan racks and file cabinets. Provide a 5 lb. ABC fire extinguisher and an OSHA-approved first aid kit.

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**01585 IDENTIFICATION BADGES**

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**A. Identification Badges for Contractor's Personnel, Visitors & Parking Stickers:**

1. The Contractor will provide each person working or visiting at the site with an identification badge, bearing the name of the Contractor and a number. As badges are assigned, a record shall be kept by the Contractor and given to the Construction Administrator and Agency Administrator. Update and correct the records of all badges issued on a semi-monthly basis.
2. Badges are to be worn on outer garment where visible at all times while at the construction site, return them to the Contractor's field office at the end of each day and pick them up there each morning.
3. All vehicles parking in the Contractor's parking lot and those used around the site require an ID sticker. They will be issued by the Agency. Each contractor shall apply for parking stickers through the Construction Administrator no more than semi-monthly and shall keep record of all stickers issued.

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**01600 MATERIALS AND EQUIPMENT CONTROLS**

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**A. Materials and Equipment:** Shall be delivered, stored and handled to prevent intrusion of foreign matter and damage by weather or breakage. Packaged materials shall be delivered and stored in original, unbroken packages.

1. Promptly inspect shipments to assure that products comply with requirements, that quantities are correct and products are undamaged.
2. Packages, materials and equipment showing evidence of damage will be rejected and replaced at no additional cost to the Owner.

**B. Storage and Protection:**

1. Store products in accordance with manufacturers' instructions with seals and labels intact and legible. Store sensitive products in weathertight enclosures; maintain within temperature and humidity range required by manufacturer.
2. For exterior storage of fabricated products, place on sloped supports above ground. Cover products subject to deterioration with impervious sheet covering; provide ventilation to avoid condensation.
3. Store loose granular material on solid surfaces in a well-drained area; prevent mixing with foreign matter.
4. Arrange storage to provide access for inspection. Periodically inspect to insure products are undamaged and are maintained under required conditions. Keep log showing date, time and problems, if any.
5. Stone, masonry units and similar materials shall be stored on platforms or dry skids and shall be adequately covered and protected against damage.
6. The Contractor shall prepare, as directed by the Owner, one area or space in the building for storage of State-owned equipment.

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**01631 EQUALS AND SUBSTITUTIONS**

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**A. Definitions:** Definitions in this Article do not change or modify the meaning of other terms used in the Contract Documents.

1. Equals or Substitutions General: Changes in products, materials, equipment, and methods of construction required by the Contract Documents proposed by the Contractor after award of the Contract.
2. Equal: Any deviation from the specification which is defined as follows: A replacement for the specified material, device, procedure, equipment, etc., which is recognized and accepted as substantially equal to the first listed manufacturer or first listed procedure specified, after review, by the Architect and may be rejected or approved at the sole discretion of the owner. All equals must be substantially equivalent to the first manufacturer or first procedure listed in the Specifications with reference to all of the following areas:

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- the substance and function considering quality, workmanship, economy of operation, durability and suitability for purposes intended; size, rating and cost. The equal does not constitute a modification in the scope of Work, the Schedule or Architect/Engineer's design intent of the specified material, device, procedure, equipment, etc.
3. Substitution: Any deviation from the specified requirements, which is defined as follows: A replacement for the specified material, device, procedure, equipment, etc., which is not recognized or accepted as equal to the first manufacturer or procedure listed in the Specification after review by the Engineer and may be rejected or approved by the Owner. The Substitution is not equal to the specified requirement in comparison to the first manufacture or first procedure listed in the Specifications in one or more of the following areas: the substance and function considering quality, workmanship, economy of operation, durability and suitability for purposes intended; size; cost and rating. The Substitution constitutes a modification in the scope of Work, the Schedule or the Architect/Engineer's design intent of the specified material, device, procedure, equipment, etc.
  4. The following are not considered to be requests for Equals or Substitutions:
    - a. Revisions to the Contract Documents requested by the Owner or Engineer.
    - b. Specified options of products and construction methods included in the Contract Documents.
    - c. The Contractor's determination of and compliance with governing regulations and orders issued by governing authorities having jurisdiction.

**B. Submittals:**

1. Equals and Substitution Request Submittals: The Owner will consider requests for equals or substitutions if received within time period designated in the General Conditions Article 15. Requests received more than the days specified in Article 15 after the start date of the contract will be rejected.
  - a. The Contractor is required to prepare and submit 3 copies of the required data for the first manufacturer listed or procedure listed in the specifications section with reference to all of the following areas: the substance and function considering quality, workmanship, economy of operation, durability and suitability for purposes intended including the size, rating and cost. All submissions must include all the required data for the first listed manufacturer or procedure as specified, as well as the required data for the proposed Equal or Substitution. This will enable the Owner and Engineer to determine that the proposed Equal or Substitution is or is not substantially equal to the first listed manufacturer or procedure.
2. Identify the product or the fabrication or installation method to be replaced in each request. Include related Specification Section and Drawing numbers.
3. Provide complete documentation showing compliance with the requirements for equals or substitutions, and the following information, as appropriate on a "Substitution Request" form as required by the Owner:
  - a. Coordination information, including a list of changes or modifications needed to other parts of the Work and to construction performed by the Owner and separate contractors that will be necessary to accommodate the proposed Equal or Substitution.
  - b. A detailed comparison chart of significant qualities of the proposed substitution with those of the Work specified. Significant qualities may include elements, such as performance, weight, size, durability, and visual effect.
  - c. Product Data, including Shop Drawings and descriptions of products and fabrication and installation procedures.
  - d. Samples, where applicable or requested.
  - e. A statement indicating the effect on the Contractor's Construction Schedule or CPM Schedule compared to the schedule without approval of the Equal or Substitution. Indicate the effect on overall Contract Time.
  - f. Cost information, broken down, including a proposal of the net change, if any in the Contract Sum.
  - g. The Contractor's certification that the proposed Equal or Substitution conforms to requirements in the Contract Documents in every respect and is appropriate for the applications indicated.
  - h. The Contractor's waiver of rights to additional payment or time that may subsequently become necessary because of the failure of the Equal or Substitution to perform adequately.

4. Engineer's Action: If necessary, the Engineer will request additional information or documentation for evaluation within one week of receipt of the original request for equal or substitution request. The Engineer will notify the Construction Administrator who will notify the Owner of recommended acceptance or rejection of the proposed equal or substitution, within two (2) weeks of receipt of the request, or one (1) week of receipt of additional information or documentation, whichever is later. The Construction Administrator will give final acceptance or rejection by the Owner not less than one (1) week after notification.
  - a. Any request deemed an "Equal" and accepted by the Construction Administrator, Engineer, Owner, and Agency will result in written notification to the Contractor and will not be in the form of a change order for an "Equal".
  - b. Any request deemed a "Substitution" and rejected or approved by Construction Administrator, Engineer, and Owner may result in written notification to the Contractor and may be in the form of a change order if the "Substitution" is approved.

**C. Equal or Substitutions:**

1. Conditions: The Engineer will consider the Contractor's request for Equal or Substitution of a product or method of construction when one or more of the following conditions are satisfied, as determined by the Engineer. If the following conditions are not satisfied, the Engineer will return the requests to the Construction Administrator without action except to record noncompliance with these requirements.
  - a. The proposed request does not require extensive revisions to the Contract Documents.
  - b. The proposed request is in accordance with the general intent of the Contract Documents.
  - c. The proposed request is timely, fully documented, and/or properly submitted.
  - d. The proposed request can be provided within the Contract Time. However, the Engineer will not consider the proposed request if it is a result of the Contractor's failure to pursue the Work promptly or coordinate activities properly.
  - e. The proposed request will offer the Owner a substantial advantage, in cost, time, energy conservation, or other considerations, after deducting additional responsibilities the Owner must assume. However, if the proposed request requires the Owner to incur additional responsibilities, including but not limited to, additional compensation to the Engineer for redesign and evaluation services, increased cost of other construction by the Owner or similar considerations, then the Owner will have just cause to reject the request for Equal or Substitution.
  - f. The proposed request can receive the necessary approvals, in a timely manner, required by governing authorities having jurisdiction.
  - g. The proposed request can be provided in a manner that is compatible with the Work as certified by the Contractor.
  - h. The proposed request can be coordinated with the Work as certified by the Contractor.
  - i. The proposed request can uphold the warranties required by the Contract Documents as certified by the Contractor.
2. The Contractor's submission and the Engineer's review of Submittals, including but not limited to, Samples, Manufacturer's Data, Shop Drawings, or other such items, which are not clearly identified as a request for an Equal or Substitution, will not be considered or accepted as a valid request for an Equal or Substitution, nor does it constitute an approval.

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**01650 STARTING OF SYSTEMS**

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**A. General:**

1. Coordinate schedule for start-up of various equipment and systems.
2. Provide written notification the Construction Administrator five (5) Calendar Days prior to start-up of each item.
3. Verify that each piece of equipment or system has been checked for proper lubrication, drive rotation, belt tension, and control sequence for other conditions that may cause damage.
4. Verify that tests, meter readings, and specified electrical characteristics agree with those required by the equipment or system manufacturer.



5. Verify in wiring and support components are complete and tested.
6. Execute the start-up under supervision of manufacturer's representative, in accordance with manufacturer's instructions.
7. When referenced in individual specification sections, require manufacturer to provide an authorized representative to be present at the site to inspect, check, and approve equipment or system installation prior to start-up, and to supervise placing equipment or system in operation.
8. Submit a written report in accordance Section 01400 "Quality Control" that the equipment or system has been properly installed and is functioning properly.

**B. Demonstration and Instructions:**

1. Demonstrate operation and maintenance of Products to Owner and Agency Personnel one (1) week prior to substantial completion.
2. Demonstrate Project equipment and instruct in a classroom environment at location designated by the Construction Administrator and instructed by a qualified manufacturer's representative who is knowledgeable about the project.
3. For equipment or systems requiring seasonal operation perform demonstration for season within six (6) months.
4. Utilize operation and maintenance manuals as basis for instruction. Review contents of manual with Owner and Agency Personnel in detail to explain all aspects of operation and maintenance.
5. Demonstrate start-up, operation, control, adjustment, troubleshooting, servicing, and maintenance, and shutdown of each item at agreed upon scheduled time and at equipment or designated location.
6. Prepare and insert additional data in operations and maintenance manuals when need for additional data becomes apparent during demonstration.

**C. Testing Adjusting, and Balancing:**

1. The Contractor will employ and pay for the testing services of an independent consultant to verify the testing, adjusting, and balancing.
2. Reports will be submitted by the independent testing consultant to the Construction Administrator indicating observations and results of tests and indicating compliance or non-compliance with the requirements of the Contract Documents.
3. The Owner may employ and pay for the services of an independent consultant to verify testing, adjusting, and balancing which was performed by the Contractor.

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**01700 CONTRACT CLOSEOUT**

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**A. Substantial Completion:**

1. Preliminary Procedures: Before requesting inspection for Certification of Substantial Completion, complete the following. List exceptions in the request.
  - a. In the Application for Payment that coincides with, or first follows, the date Substantial Completion is claimed, show 100 percent completion for the portion of the Work claimed as substantially complete.
    - i. Include supporting documentation for completion as indicated in these Contract Documents and a statement showing an accounting of changes to the Contract Sum.
    - ii. If 100 percent completion cannot be shown, include a list of incomplete items, the value of incomplete construction, and reasons the Work is not complete.
  - b. Advise the Owner of pending insurance changeover requirements.
  - c. Submit specific warranties, workmanship bonds, maintenance agreements, final certifications, and similar documents.
  - d. Obtain and submit releases enabling the Owner unrestricted use of the Work and access to services and utilities. Include occupancy permits, operating certificates, and similar releases.
  - e. Submit record drawings, maintenance manuals, damage or settlement surveys, property surveys, and similar final record information.
  - f. Deliver tools, spare parts, extra stock, and similar items.

- g. Make final changeover of permanent locks and transmit keys to the Owner. Advise the Owner's personnel of changeover in security provisions.
        - h. Demonstration, thru operation and testing, the functions of all systems and/or equipment to the satisfaction of the Owner for compliance to the contract. Complete testing of systems, and instruction of the Owner's operation and maintenance personnel. Discontinue and remove temporary facilities from the site, along with mockups, construction tools, and similar elements.
        - i. Complete final cleanup requirements, including touchup painting.
        - j. Touch up and otherwise repair and restore marred, exposed finishes.
2. Inspection Procedures: The Contract shall be ready and prepared when they request a Substantial Completion inspection. If the inspection reveals that the work is not complete, there are extensive punchlist items and as the items listed above are not complete, the Construction Administrator, Engineer, and Owner will determine the inspection has failed.
3. The Contractor is responsible for all costs to re-inspect due to a failed inspection. The Owner will issue a deduct change order to cover all costs for re-inspection.
  - a. The Engineer will repeat inspection when requested and assured that the Work is substantially complete.
  - b. Results of the completed inspection will form the basis of requirements for final acceptance.

**B. Final Acceptance:**

1. Preliminary Procedures: Before requesting final inspection for certification of final acceptance and final payment, complete the following. List exceptions in the request.
  - a. Submit the final payment request with releases and supporting documentation not previously submitted and accepted. Include insurance certificates for products and completed operations where required.
  - b. Submit an updated final statement, accounting for final additional changes to the Contract Sum.
  - c. Submit a certified copy of the Engineer's final inspection list of items to be completed or corrected, endorsed and dated by the Engineer. The certified copy of the list shall state that each item has been completed or otherwise resolved for acceptance and shall be endorsed and dated by the Engineer.
  - d. Submit final meter readings for utilities, a measured record of stored fuel, and similar data as of the date of Substantial Completion or when the Owner took possession of and assumed responsibility for corresponding elements of the Work.
  - e. Submit consent of surety to Final Payment.
  - f. Submit evidence of final, continuing insurance coverage complying with insurance requirements.
2. Reinspection Procedure: The Inspection Group will re-inspect the Work upon receipt of notice from the Construction Administrator that the Work, including inspection list items from earlier inspections, has been completed, except for items whose completion is delayed under circumstances acceptable to the Owner.
  - a. Upon completion of reinspection, the Construction Administrator will prepare a certificate of final acceptance. If the Work is incomplete, the Construction Administrator will advise the Contractor of Work that is incomplete or of obligations that have not been fulfilled but are required for final acceptance.

**C. Record Document Submittals:**

1. **General:** Do not use record documents for construction purposes. Protect Record Documents from deterioration and loss in a secure, fire-resistant location. Provide access to record documents for the Engineer's reference during normal working hours. Keep documents current; do not permanently conceal any work until required information has been recorded. Failure to keep documents current is sufficient cause to withhold progress payments.
2. **Record Drawings:** The Contractor shall maintain one clean, complete undamaged set of blue or black line white-prints of Contract Drawings and Shop Drawings. Mark the set to show the actual installation where the installation varies substantially from the Work as originally shown. Mark which drawing is most capable of showing conditions fully and accurately. Where Shop Drawings are used, record a cross-reference at the corresponding location on the Contract Drawings. Give particular attention to concealed elements that would be difficult to measure and record at a later date.

- a. Mark record sets with erasable pencil to distinguish between variations in separate categories of the Work.
  - b. Mark all new information that is not shown on Contract Drawings.
  - c. Note related change-order numbers where applicable.
  - d. Organize record drawing sheets into manageable sets. Bind sets with durable-paper cover sheets; print suitable titles, dates, and other identification on the cover of each set.
  - e. Upon completion of the work, the Contractor shall submit Record Drawings to the Construction Administrator for the Owner's Records who will pass them on to the Architect or Engineer for transferring the changes to the Record Drawing Mylar Tracings.
  - g. Submit electronic format data of all revised drawings on CD-ROM format and in AutoCAD (latest version) compatible format.
- 3. Record Specifications:** The Contractor shall maintain one complete copy of the Project Manual, including Addenda. Include with the Project Manual one copy of other written construction documents, such as Change Orders and modifications issued in printed form during construction.
- a. Mark these documents to show substantial variations in actual Work performed in comparison with the text of the Specifications and modifications.
  - b. Give particular attention to equals and substitutions and selection of options and information on concealed construction that cannot otherwise be readily discerned later by direct observation.
  - c. Note related record drawing information and Product Data.
  - d. Upon completion of the Work, submit record Specifications to the Construction Administrator for the Owner's records.
- 4. Record Product Data:** The Contractor shall maintain one copy of each Product Data submittal. Note related Change Orders and markup of record drawings and Specifications.
- a. Mark these documents to show significant variations in actual Work performed in comparison with information submitted. Include variations in products delivered to the site and from the manufacturer's installation instructions and recommendations.
  - b. Give particular attention to concealed products and portions of the Work that cannot otherwise be readily discerned later by direct observation.
  - c. Upon completion of markup, submit complete set of Record Product Data to the Construction Administrator for the Owner's records.
- 5. Record Sample Submitted:** Immediately prior to Substantial Completion, the Contractor shall meet with the Construction Administrator, Engineer and the Owner's personnel at the Project Site to determine which Samples are to be transmitted to the Owner for record purposes.
- 6. Miscellaneous Record Submittals:** Refer to other Specification Sections for requirements of miscellaneous record keeping and submittals in connection with actual performance of the Work. Immediately prior to the date or dates of Substantial Completion, complete miscellaneous records and place in good order. Identify miscellaneous records properly and bind or file, ready for continued use and reference. Submit to the Construction Administrator for the Owner's records.
- 7. Maintenance Manuals:** Organize operation and maintenance data into suitable sets of manageable size. Bind properly indexed data in individual, heavy-duty, 2-inch (51-mm), 3-ring, vinyl-covered binders, with pocket folders for folded sheet information. Mark appropriate identification on front and spine of each binder according to section 01730. Included but not limited to the following types of information:
- a. *Emergency instructions.*
  - b. *Spare parts list.*
  - c. *Copies of warranties.*
  - d. *Wiring diagrams.*
  - e. *Recommended "turn-around" cycles.*
  - f. *Inspection procedures.*
  - g. *Shop Drawings and Product Data.*

**D. Closeout Procedures:**

1. Operation and Maintenance Instructions: Arrange for each Installer of equipment that requires regular maintenance to meet with the Owner's personnel to provide instruction in proper operation and maintenance. Provide instruction by manufacturer's representatives if installers are not experienced in operation and maintenance procedures. Include a detailed review of the following items:
  - a. *Maintenance manuals.*
  - b. *Record documents.*
  - c. *Spare parts and materials.*
  - d. *Tools.*
  - e. *Lubricants.*
  - f. *Fuels.*
  - g. *Identification systems.*
  - h. *Control sequences.*
  - i. *Hazards.*
  - j. *Cleaning.*
  - k. *Warranties and bonds.*
  - l. *Maintenance agreements and similar continuing commitments.*
2. As part of instruction for operating equipment, demonstrate the following procedures:
  - a. Startup.
  - b. Shutdown.
  - c. Emergency operations.
  - d. Noise and vibration adjustments.
  - e. Safety procedures.
  - f. Economy and efficiency adjustments.
  - g. Effective energy utilization.

**E. Final Cleaning:**

1. **General:** The General Conditions requires general cleaning during construction. Regular site cleaning is included in Division 1 Section 01570 "Cleaning".
2. Employ experienced workers or professional cleaners for final cleaning. Clean each surface or unit to the condition expected in a normal, commercial building cleaning and maintenance program. Comply with manufacturer's instructions. Complete the following cleaning operations before requesting inspection for Certification of Substantial Completion and Certification of Occupancy.
3. **Interior:**
  - a. Remove labels that are not permanent labels.
  - b. Clean transparent materials, including mirrors and glass in doors and windows. Remove glazing compounds and other substances that are noticeable vision-obscuring materials. Replace chipped or broken glass and other damaged transparent materials. Remove paint spots; wash and polish glass
  - c. Clean exposed interior hard-surfaced finishes to a dust-free condition, free of stains, films, and similar foreign substances. Restore reflective surfaces to their original condition. Leave concrete floors broom clean. Vacuum carpeted surfaces.
  - d. Wash washable surfaces of mechanical, electrical equipment and fixtures and replace filters, clean strainers on mechanical equipment. Remove excess lubrication and other substances. Clean plumbing fixtures to a sanitary condition. Clean light fixtures and lamps.
  - e. Clean and polish finish hardware.
  - f. Clean and polish tile and other glazed surfaces.

- g. Clean floors; wax and buff resilient tile. Clean vinyl or rubber base.
  - h. Vacuum and/or dust walls, ceilings, lighting fixtures, ceiling diffusers and other wall and ceiling items.
  - i. Remove defacements, streaks, fingerprints and erection marks.
- 4. Exterior:**
- a. Clean the site, including landscape development areas, of rubbish, litter, and other foreign substances. Sweep paved areas broom clean; remove stains, spills, and other foreign deposits. Rake grounds that are neither paved nor planted, to a smooth, even-textured surface.
  - b. Clean exposed exterior hard-surfaced finishes to a dust-free condition, free of stains, films, and similar foreign substances.
  - c. Remove waste and surplus materials, rubbish and construction equipment and facilities from the site, and deposit it legally elsewhere.
  - d. Clean transparent materials, including glass in doors and windows. Remove glazing compounds and other substances that are noticeable vision-obscuring materials. Replace chipped or broken glass and other damaged transparent materials. Remove paint spots; wash and polish glass.
- 6. Removal of Protection:** Remove temporary protection and facilities installed for protection of the Work during construction.
- 7. Compliance:** Comply with regulations of authorities having jurisdiction and safety standards for cleaning. Do not burn waste materials. Do not bury debris or excess materials on the Owner's property. Do not discharge volatile, harmful, or dangerous materials into drainage systems. Remove waste materials from the site and dispose of lawfully.
- a. Where extra materials of value remain after completion of associated Work, they become the Owner's property. Dispose of these materials as directed by the Construction Administrator.
  - b. Leave building clean and ready for occupancy. If the Contractor fails to clean up, the Owner may do so, with the cost charged to the Contractor. The Owner will issue a credit change order to cover the costs.

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**01730 OPERATION AND MAINTENANCE DATA**

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- A. The Contractor shall instruct the State's designated personnel in the operation of new equipment and shall provide manuals and if required, provide video tapes of this basic maintenance of the equipment for training purposes. Provide qualified personnel for as long as necessary to instruct the State's personnel.
- B. Submit three copies of the manuals in 3-ring, loose-leaf notebooks to the Architect/Engineer for approval. Manuals may consist of plain paper copies of approved shop drawings and catalog cuts.
- C. Manuals shall include:
  - 1. Operating Procedures:
    - a. Typewritten procedures for each mode of operation of each piece of equipment. Procedures shall indicate the status of each component of a system in each operating mode.
    - b. Procedures shall include names, symbols, valve tags, circuit numbers, schematic wiring diagrams, locations of thermostats, manual starters, control cabinets and other controls of each system.
    - c. Emergency shut-down procedures for each piece of equipment or system, both automatic and manual, as appropriate.
  - 2. Maintenance Schedule:
    - a. Typewritten schedule describing manufacturers schedule of maintenance and maintenance procedures.
  - 3. Catalog Cuts:
    - a. To illustrate each piece of installed equipment, including options.
    - b. Include equipment descriptions including physical, electrical and mechanical; performance characteristics; installation or erection diagrams.
    - c. Include spare parts numbers and names, address and phone number of manufacturer; name, address and phone number of local representative or service department.

4. Typewritten list of all subcontractors on the project, including name, address and phone number of local representative or service department.
  
4. Manuals shall be indexed with dividers indicating each system or piece of equipment.

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**01740 WARRANTIES AND GUARANTEES**

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- A. Disclaimers and Limitations:** Manufacturer's disclaimers and limitations on product warranties do not relieve the Contractor of the warranty on the Work that incorporates the products. Manufacturer's disclaimers and limitations on product warranties do not relieve suppliers, manufacturers, and subcontractors required to countersign special warranties with the Contractor.
- C. Related Damages and Losses:** When correcting failed or damaged warranted construction, remove and replace construction that has been damaged as a result of such failure or must be removed and replaced to provide access for correction of warranted construction.
- B. Reinstatement of Warranty:** When Work covered by a warranty has failed and been corrected by replacement or rebuilding, reinstate the warranty by written endorsement. The reinstated warranty shall be equal to the original warranty with an equitable adjustment for depreciation.
- C. Replacement Cost:** Upon determination that Work covered by a warranty has failed, replace or rebuild the Work to an acceptable condition complying with requirements of the Contract Documents. The Contractor is responsible for the cost of replacing or rebuilding defective Work regardless of whether the Owner has benefited from use of the Work through a portion of its anticipated useful service life.
- D. Owner's Recourse:** Expressed warranties made to the Owner are in addition to implied warranties and shall not limit the duties, obligations, rights, and remedies otherwise available under the law. Expressed warranty periods shall not be interpreted as limitations on the time in which the Owner can enforce such other duties, obligations, rights, or remedies.
  1. **Rejection of Warranties:** The Owner reserves the right to reject warranties and to limit selection to products with warranties not in conflict with requirements of the Contract Documents.
- E.** Where the Contract Documents require a special warranty, or similar commitment on the Work or part of the Work, the Owner reserves the right to refuse to accept the Work, until the Contractor presents evidence that entities required to countersign such commitments are willing to do so.
- F.** The Contractor shall guarantee all materials and workmanship for a period of **eighteen (18) months** from the date of acceptance of the Work. In addition, the Contractor shall furnish the warranties listed below. Submit four copies of each to the Construction Administrator in the supplier's standard form or in the form given below if there is no standard form available.

Director

*Facilities Management & Planning  
83 Windham Street  
Willimantic, Connecticut 06226  
(Project Title and Number)*

*I (We) hereby guarantee and warranty)*

*the \_\_\_\_\_ work on the referenced project for a period of \_\_\_\_\_ years  
from \_\_\_\_\_, 2015 against failures of workmanship and materials in accordance 21  
with the requirements of Section \_\_\_\_, Page \_\_\_\_, Paragraph \_\_\_\_, of the Specifications.*

*Signed* \_\_\_\_\_

*General Contractor* \_\_\_\_\_  
*(or authorized agent)*

- I. Bonds shall be by approved Surety Companies, made out to the Director of Facilities Management & Planning, Eastern Connecticut State University on the Companies standard form.
- J. Guarantees, warranties or bonds supplied by Subcontractors, Suppliers or Manufacturers shall reference the project name, number, and location and be certified by the General Contractor to be for the product and installation on the project and must be countersigned by the General Contractor.

**G. Submittals:**

1. Submit written warranties prior to the date certified for Substantial Completion. If the Engineer's Certificate of Substantial Completion designates a commencement date for warranties other than the date of Substantial Completion for the Work, or a designated portion of the Work, submit written warranties upon request of the Engineer.
2. Forms for special warranties are included in this Section. Prepare a written document utilizing the appropriate form, ready for execution by the Contractor, or by the Contractor, subcontractor, supplier, or manufacturer. Submit a draft to the Owner, through the Construction Administrator, for approval prior to final execution.
  - a. Refer to Divisions 2 through 16 Sections for specific content requirements and particular requirements for submitting special warranties.
3. Form of Submittal: At Final Completion compile 2 copies of each required warranty properly executed by the Contractor, or by the Contractor, subcontractor, supplier, or manufacturer. Organize the warranty documents into an orderly sequence based on the table of contents of the Project Manual.
4. Bind warranties and bonds in heavy-duty, commercial-quality, durable 3-ring, vinyl-covered loose-leaf binders, thickness as necessary to accommodate contents, and sized to receive 8-1/2-by-11-inch (115-by-280-mm) paper.
  - a. Provide heavy paper dividers with celluloid covered tabs for each separate warranty. Mark the tab to identify the product or installation. Provide a typed description of the product or installation, including the name of the product, and the name, address, and telephone number of the Installer.
  - b. Identify each binder on the front and spine with the typed or printed title "WARRANTIES," Project title or name, and name of the Contractor.
  - c. When warranted construction requires operation and maintenance manuals, provide additional copies of each required warranty, as necessary, for inclusion in each required manual.

**END OF DIVISION 1- GENERAL REQUIREMENTS**

## SECTION 230523.12 - BALL VALVES FOR HVAC PIPING

### PART 1 - GENERAL

#### 1.1 SUMMARY

- A. Section Includes:
  - 1. Bronze ball valves.

#### 1.2 ACTION SUBMITTALS

- A. Product Data: For each type of valve.

### PART 2 - PRODUCTS

#### 2.1 GENERAL REQUIREMENTS FOR VALVES

- A. Source Limitations for Valves: Obtain each type of valve from single source from single manufacturer.
- B. ASME Compliance:
  - 1. ASME B1.20.1 for threads for threaded-end valves.
  - 2. ASME B16.10 and ASME B16.34 for ferrous valve dimensions and design criteria.
  - 3. ASME B16.18 for solder-joint connections.
- C. Bronze valves shall be made with dezincification-resistant materials. Bronze valves made with copper alloy (brass) containing more than 15 percent zinc are not permitted.
- D. Refer to HVAC valve schedule articles for applications of valves.
- E. Valve Pressure-Temperature Ratings: Not less than indicated and as required for system pressures and temperatures.
- F. Valve Sizes: Same as upstream piping unless otherwise indicated.
- G. Valve Actuator Types:
  - 1. Handlever: For quarter-turn valves smaller than **NPS 4**.
- H. Valves in Insulated Piping:
  - 1. Include **2-inch** stem extensions.
  - 2. Extended operating handle of nonthermal-conductive material, and protective sleeves that allow operation of valves without breaking the vapor seals or disturbing insulation.
  - 3. Memory stops that are fully adjustable after insulation is applied.
- I. Valve Bypass and Drain Connections: MSS SP-45.



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### 2.2 BRONZE BALL VALVES

#### A. Bronze Ball Valves, Two-Piece with Full Port and Stainless-Steel Trim:

1. Manufacturers: Provide one of the following:
  - a. Apollo Valves
  - b. NIBCO, Inc
  - c. Milwaukee Valve Company
  - d. Jenkins Valves
  - e. Stockham, A Crane Co.
  - f. Crane
  - g. Red White Valve Corp.
  - h. Hammond Valve.
2. Description:
  - a. Standard: MSS SP-110.
  - b. SWP Rating: 150 psig.
  - c. CWP Rating: 600 psig.
  - d. Body Design: Two piece.
  - e. Body Material: Bronze.
  - f. Ends: Threaded.
  - g. Seats: PTFE.
  - h. Stem: Stainless steel.
  - i. Ball: Stainless steel, vented.
  - j. Port: Full.

#### B. Bronze Ball Valves, Two-Piece with Regular Port and Stainless-Steel Trim:

1. Manufacturers: Provide one of the following:
  - a. Apollo Valves
  - b. NIBCO, Inc
  - c. Milwaukee Valve Company
  - d. Jenkins Valves
  - e. Stockham, A Crane Co.
  - f. Crane
  - g. Red White Valve Corp.
  - h. Hammond Valve.
2. Description:
  - a. Standard: MSS SP-110.
  - b. SWP Rating: 150 psig.
  - c. CWP Rating: 600 psig.
  - d. Body Design: Two piece.
  - e. Body Material: Bronze.
  - f. Ends: Threaded.
  - g. Seats: PTFE.
  - h. Stem: Stainless steel.
  - i. Ball: Stainless steel, vented.
  - j. Port: Regular.

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### PART 3 - EXECUTION

#### 3.1 VALVE INSTALLATION

- A. Install valves with unions or flanges at each piece of equipment arranged to allow service, maintenance, and equipment removal without system shutdown.
- B. Locate valves for easy access and provide separate support where necessary.
- C. Install valves in horizontal piping with stem at or above center of pipe.
- D. Install valves in position to allow full stem movement.

#### 3.2 GENERAL REQUIREMENTS FOR VALVE APPLICATIONS

- A. If valves with specified SWP classes or CWP ratings are unavailable, the same types of valves with higher SWP classes or CWP ratings may be substituted.
- B. Select valves with the following end connections:
  - 1. For Copper Tubing, **NPS 2** and Smaller: Threaded ends except where solder-joint valve-end option or press-end option is indicated.
  - 2. For Steel Piping, **NPS 2** and Smaller: Threaded ends.

#### 3.3 HEATING/ CHILLED-WATER VALVE SCHEDULE

- A. Pipe **NPS 2** and Smaller: **bronze** ball valves, **two** piece, with **stainless-steel** trim, threaded ends and **full** port. **Regular** port is acceptable for drain legs.

END OF SECTION 230523.12

## SECTION 230593 - TESTING, ADJUSTING, AND BALANCING FOR HVAC

### PART 1 - GENERAL

#### 1.1 SUMMARY

##### A. Section Includes:

1. Balancing Hydronic Piping Systems:
  - a. Constant-flow hydronic systems.
  - b. Variable-flow hydronic systems.

#### 1.2 SCOPE OF WORK

- A. In general the scope of balancing work includes verifying and checking the flows thru the new heat pumps and adjusting the system to the required flows if necessary.**

#### 1.3 DEFINITIONS

- A. AABC: Associated Air Balance Council.
- B. NEBB: National Environmental Balancing Bureau.
- C. TAB: Testing, adjusting, and balancing.
- D. TABB: Testing, Adjusting, and Balancing Bureau.
- E. TAB Specialist: An independent entity meeting qualifications to perform TAB work.
- F. TDH: Total dynamic head.

#### 1.4 ACTION SUBMITTALS

- A. TAB Report: Documentation indicating that Work complies with ASHRAE/IES 90.1, Section 6.7.2.3 - "System Balancing."

#### 1.5 INFORMATIONAL SUBMITTALS

- A. Certified TAB reports.

#### 1.6 QUALITY ASSURANCE

- A. TAB Specialists Qualifications: Certified by AABC.
1. TAB Field Supervisor: Employee of the TAB specialist and certified by AABC.

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2. TAB Technician: Employee of the TAB specialist and certified by AABC as a TAB technician.
- B. TAB Specialists Qualifications: Certified by **NEBB** or **TABB**.
1. TAB Field Supervisor: Employee of the TAB specialist and certified by **NEBB** or **TABB**.
  2. TAB Technician: Employee of the TAB specialist and certified by **NEBB** or **TABB** as a TAB technician.
- C. Instrumentation Type, Quantity, Accuracy, and Calibration: Comply with requirements in ASHRAE 111, Section 4, "Instrumentation."
- D. ASHRAE/IES 90.1 Compliance: Applicable requirements in ASHRAE/IES 90.1, Section 6.7.2.3 - "System Balancing."

## PART 2 - PRODUCTS (Not Applicable)

## PART 3 - EXECUTION

### 3.1 EXAMINATION

- A. Examine the Contract Documents to become familiar with Project requirements and to discover conditions in systems designs that may preclude proper TAB of systems and equipment.
- B. Examine installed systems for balancing devices, such as test ports, gage cocks, thermometer wells, balancing valves and fittings. Verify that locations of these balancing devices are applicable for intended purpose and are accessible.
- C. Examine the approved submittals for HVAC systems and equipment.
- D. Examine design data including HVAC system descriptions, statements of design assumptions for environmental conditions and systems output, and statements of philosophies and assumptions about HVAC system and equipment controls.
- E. Examine equipment performance data including pump curves.
  1. Relate performance data to Project conditions and requirements, including system effects that can create undesired or unpredicted conditions that cause reduced capacities in all or part of a system.
  2. Calculate system-effect factors to reduce performance ratings of HVAC equipment when installed under conditions different from the conditions used to rate equipment performance. Compare results with the design data and installed conditions.
- F. Examine system and equipment installations and verify that field quality-control testing, cleaning, and adjusting specified in individual Sections have been performed.
- G. Examine test reports specified in individual system and equipment Sections.

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- H. Examine HVAC equipment and verify that bearings are greased, and equipment with functioning controls is ready for operation.
- I. Examine strainers. Verify that startup screens have been replaced by permanent screens with indicated perforations.
- J. Examine control valves for proper installation for their intended function of throttling, diverting, or mixing fluid flows.
- K. Examine system pumps to ensure absence of entrained air in the suction piping.
- L. Examine operating safety interlocks and controls on HVAC equipment.
- M. Report deficiencies discovered before and during performance of TAB procedures. Observe and record system reactions to changes in conditions. Record default set points if different from indicated values.

### 3.2 PREPARATION

- A. Prepare a TAB plan that includes strategies and step-by-step procedures for balancing the systems.
- B. Perform system-readiness checks of HVAC systems and equipment to verify system readiness for TAB work. Include, at a minimum, the following:
  - 1. Hydronics:
    - a. Verify leakage and pressure tests on hydronic systems have been satisfactorily completed.
    - b. Systems are flushed, filled, and air purged.
    - c. Strainers are pulled and cleaned.
    - d. Control valves are functioning per the sequence of operation.
    - e. Shutoff and balance valves have been verified to be 100 percent open.
    - f. Pumps are started.
    - g. Suitable access to balancing devices and equipment is provided.

### 3.3 GENERAL PROCEDURES FOR TESTING AND BALANCING

- A. Perform testing and balancing procedures on each system according to the procedures contained in AABC's "National Standards for Total System Balance", ASHRAE 111, NEBB's "Procedural Standards for Testing, Adjusting, and Balancing of Environmental Systems", and in this Section.
- B. Cut insulation, pipes, and equipment cabinets for installation of test probes to the minimum extent necessary for TAB procedures.
  - 1. Install and join new insulation that matches removed materials. Restore insulation, coverings, vapor barrier, and finish according to Section 230719 "HVAC Piping Insulation."

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- C. Mark equipment and balancing devices, including valve position indicators, and controls and devices, with paint or other suitable, permanent identification material to show final settings.
- D. Take and report testing and balancing measurements in **inch-pound (IP)** units.

### 3.4 GENERAL PROCEDURES FOR HYDRONIC SYSTEMS

- A. Prepare test reports for pumps, and heat exchangers. Obtain approved submittals and manufacturer-recommended testing procedures. Crosscheck the summation of required coil and heat exchanger flow rates with pump design flow rate.
- B. Prepare schematic diagrams of systems' "as-built" piping layouts.
- C. In addition to requirements in "Preparation" Article, prepare hydronic systems for testing and balancing as follows:
  - 1. Check liquid level in expansion tank.
  - 2. Check highest vent for adequate pressure.
  - 3. Check flow-control valves for proper position.
  - 4. Locate start-stop and disconnect switches, electrical interlocks, and motor starters.
  - 5. Verify that motor starters are equipped with properly sized thermal protection.
  - 6. Check that air has been purged from the system.

### 3.5 PROCEDURES FOR CONSTANT-FLOW HYDRONIC SYSTEMS

- A. Adjust pumps to deliver total design gpm.
  - 1. Measure total water flow.
    - a. Position valves for full flow through coils.
    - b. Measure flow by main flow meter, if installed.
    - c. If main flow meter is not installed, determine flow by pump TDH or exchanger pressure drop.
  - 2. Measure pump TDH as follows:
    - a. Measure discharge pressure directly at the pump outlet flange or in discharge pipe prior to any valves.
    - b. Measure inlet pressure directly at the pump inlet flange or in suction pipe prior to any valves or strainers.
    - c. Convert pressure to head and correct for differences in gage heights.
    - d. With valves open, read pump TDH. Adjust pump discharge valve until design water flow is achieved.
  - 3. Monitor motor performance during procedures and do not operate motor in an overloaded condition.
- B. Adjust flow-measuring devices installed in mains and branches to design water flows.

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1. Measure flow in main and branch pipes.
  2. Adjust main and branch balance valves for design flow.
  3. Re-measure each main and branch after all have been adjusted.
- C. For systems without pressure-independent valves or flow-measuring devices at terminals:
1. Measure and balance coils by either coil pressure drop or temperature method.
  2. If balanced by coil pressure drop, perform temperature tests after flows have been verified.
- D. Verify final system conditions as follows:
1. Re-measure and confirm that total water flow is within design.
  2. Re-measure final pumps' operating data, TDH, volts, amps, and static profile.
  3. Mark final settings.
- E. Verify that memory stops have been set.

### 3.6 PROCEDURES FOR VARIABLE-FLOW HYDRONIC SYSTEMS

- A. Adjust the variable-flow hydronic system as follows:
1. Verify that the differential-pressure sensor is located as indicated.
- B. For systems with no diversity:
1. Adjust pumps to deliver total design gpm.
    - a. Measure total water flow.
      - 1) Position valves for full flow through coils.
      - 2) If main flow meter is not installed, determine flow by pump TDH or exchanger pressure drop.
    - b. Measure pump TDH as follows:
      - 1) Measure discharge pressure directly at the pump outlet flange or in discharge pipe prior to any valves.
      - 2) Measure inlet pressure directly at the pump inlet flange or in suction pipe prior to any valves or strainers.
      - 3) Convert pressure to head and correct for differences in gage heights.
      - 4) Verify pump impeller size by measuring the TDH with the discharge valve closed. Note the point on manufacturer's pump curve at zero flow and verify that the pump has the intended impeller size.
      - 5) With valves open, read pump TDH. Adjust pump discharge valve until design water flow is achieved.
    - c. Monitor motor performance during procedures and do not operate motor in an overloaded condition.

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2. Adjust flow-measuring devices installed in mains to design water flows.
  - a. Measure flow in main pipes.
  - b. Adjust main and branch balance valves for design flow.
  - c. Re-measure each main and branch after all have been adjusted.
3. Prior to verifying final system conditions, determine the system differential-pressure set point.
4. If the pump discharge valve was used to set total system flow with variable-frequency controller at 60 Hz, at completion open discharge valve 100 percent and allow variable-frequency controller to control system differential-pressure set point. Record pump data under both conditions.
5. Mark final settings and verify that all memory stops have been set.
6. Verify final system conditions as follows:
  - a. Re-measure and confirm that total water flow is within design.
  - b. Re-measure final pumps' operating data, TDH, volts, amps, and static profile.
  - c. Mark final settings.
7. Verify that memory stops have been set.

### 3.7 TOLERANCES

- A. Set HVAC system's water flow rates within the following tolerances:
  1. Heating/Chilled-Water Flow Rate: **Plus or minus 10 percent.**
  2. Cooling-Water Flow Rate: **Plus or minus 10 percent.**
- B. Maintaining pressure relationships as designed shall have priority over the tolerances specified above.

### 3.8 FINAL REPORT

- A. General: Prepare a certified written report; tabulate and divide the report into separate sections for tested systems and balanced systems.
  1. Include a certification sheet at the front of the report's binder, signed and sealed by the certified testing and balancing engineer.
  2. Include a list of instruments used for procedures, along with proof of calibration.
  3. Certify validity and accuracy of field data.
- B. Final Report Contents: In addition to certified field-report data, include the following:
  1. Manufacturers' test data.
  2. Field test reports prepared by system and equipment installers.
  3. Other information relative to equipment performance; do not include Shop Drawings and Product Data.
- C. General Report Data: In addition to form titles and entries, include the following data:
  1. Title page.



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2. Name and address of the TAB specialist.
  3. Project name.
  4. Project location.
  5. Architect's name and address.
  6. Engineer's name and address.
  7. Contractor's name and address.
  8. Report date.
  9. Signature of TAB supervisor who certifies the report.
  10. Table of Contents with the total number of pages defined for each section of the report. Number each page in the report.
  11. Summary of contents including the following:
    - a. Indicated versus final performance.
    - b. Notable characteristics of systems.
    - c. Description of system operation sequence if it varies from the Contract Documents.
  12. Nomenclature sheets for each item of equipment.
  13. Data for terminal units, including manufacturer's name, type, size, and fittings.
  14. Notes to explain why certain final data in the body of reports vary from indicated values.
- D. System Diagrams: Include schematic layouts of hydronic distribution systems. Present each system with single-line diagram and include the following:
1. Water flow rates.
  2. Pipe and valve sizes and locations.
  3. Position of balancing devices.
- E. Pump Test Reports: Calculate impeller size by plotting the shutoff head on pump curves and include the following:
1. Unit Data:
    - a. Unit identification.
    - b. Location.
    - c. Service.
    - d. Make and size.
    - e. Model number and serial number.
    - f. Water flow rate in **gpm**.
    - g. Water pressure differential in **feet of head or psig**.
    - h. Required net positive suction head in **feet of head or psig**.
    - i. Pump rpm.
    - j. Impeller diameter in **inches**.
    - k. Motor make and frame size.
    - l. Motor horsepower and rpm.
    - m. Voltage at each connection.
    - n. Amperage for each phase.
    - o. Full-load amperage and service factor.
    - p. Seal type.
  2. Test Data (Indicated and Actual Values):

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- a. Static head in **feet of head or psig**.
- b. Pump shutoff pressure in **feet of head or psig**.
- c. Actual impeller size in **inches**.
- d. Full-open flow rate in **gpm**.
- e. Full-open pressure in **feet of head or psig**.
- f. Final discharge pressure in **feet of head or psig**.
- g. Final suction pressure in **feet of head or psig**.
- h. Final total pressure in **feet of head or psig**.
- i. Final water flow rate in **gpm**.
- j. Voltage at each connection.
- k. Amperage for each phase.

### F. Instrument Calibration Reports:

#### 1. Report Data:

- a. Instrument type and make.
- b. Serial number.
- c. Application.
- d. Dates of use.
- e. Dates of calibration.

## 3.9 VERIFICATION OF TAB REPORT

- A. The TAB specialist's test and balance engineer shall conduct the inspection in the presence of Engineer.
- B. **Engineer** shall randomly select measurements, documented in the final report, to be rechecked. Rechecking shall be limited to either 10 percent of the total measurements recorded or the extent of measurements that can be accomplished in a normal 8-hour business day.
- C. If rechecks yield measurements that differ from the measurements documented in the final report by more than the tolerances allowed, the measurements shall be noted as "FAILED."
- D. If the number of "FAILED" measurements is greater than 10 percent of the total measurements checked during the final inspection, the testing and balancing shall be considered incomplete and shall be rejected.
- E. If TAB work fails, proceed as follows:
  1. TAB specialists shall recheck all measurements and make adjustments. Revise the final report and balancing device settings to include all changes; resubmit the final report and request a second final inspection.
- F. Prepare test and inspection reports.

END OF SECTION 230593

## SECTION 230719 - HVAC PIPING INSULATION

### PART 1 - GENERAL

#### 1.1 SUMMARY

- A. Section includes insulation for HVAC piping systems.

#### 1.2 ACTION SUBMITTALS

- A. Product Data: For each type of product.
- B. Shop Drawings: Include plans, elevations, sections, details, and attachments to other work.
  - 1. Detail application of protective shields, saddles, and inserts at hangers for each type of insulation and hanger.
  - 2. Detail insulation application at elbows, fittings, flanges, valves, and specialties for each type of insulation.
  - 3. Detail application of field-applied jackets.

#### 1.3 INFORMATIONAL SUBMITTALS

- A. Qualification Data: For qualified Installer.
- B. Material test reports.
- C. Field quality-control reports.

#### 1.4 QUALITY ASSURANCE

- A. Installer Qualifications: Skilled mechanics who have successfully completed an apprenticeship program or another craft training program certified by the Department of Labor, Bureau of Apprenticeship and Training.
- B. Surface-Burning Characteristics: For insulation and related materials, as determined by testing identical products in accordance with ASTM E84, by a testing agency acceptable to authorities having jurisdiction. Factory label insulation and jacket materials and adhesive, mastic, tapes, and cement material containers, with appropriate markings of applicable testing agency.
  - 1. Insulation Installed Indoors: Flame-spread index of 25 or less, and smoke-developed index of 50 or less.

#### 1.5 COORDINATION

- A. Coordinate clearance requirements with piping Installer for piping insulation application. Before preparing piping Shop Drawings, establish and maintain clearance requirements for

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installation of insulation and field-applied jackets and finishes and for space required for maintenance.

### 1.6 SCHEDULING

- A. Schedule insulation application after pressure testing systems and, where required. Insulation application may begin on segments that have satisfactory test results.
- B. Complete installation and concealment of plastic materials as rapidly as possible in each area of construction.

## PART 2 - PRODUCTS

### 2.1 INSULATION MATERIALS

- A. Comply with requirements in "Piping Insulation Schedule, General," "Indoor Piping Insulation Schedule," articles for where insulating materials shall be applied.
- B. Products shall not contain asbestos, lead, mercury, or mercury compounds.
- C. Products that come into contact with stainless steel shall have a leachable chloride content of less than 50 ppm when tested in accordance with ASTM C871.
- D. Insulation materials for use on austenitic stainless steel shall be qualified as acceptable in accordance with ASTM C795.
- E. Mineral-Fiber, Preformed Pipe: Mineral or glass fibers bonded with a thermosetting resin. Comply with ASTM C547.
  - 1. Manufacturers: Provide one of the following:
    - a. Knauf Insulation
    - b. Johns Manville
    - c. Mason Insulation, Inc.
    - d. Owens Corning
  - 2. Preformed Pipe Insulation: Type I, Grade A, **with factory-applied ASJ and ASJ-SSL.**
  - 3. 850 deg F.
  - 4. Factory fabricate shapes in accordance with ASTM C450 and ASTM C585.
  - 5. Factory-applied jacket requirements are specified in "Factory-Applied Jackets" Article.

### 2.2 ADHESIVES

- A. Materials shall be compatible with insulation materials, jackets, and substrates and for bonding insulation to itself and to surfaces to be insulated unless otherwise indicated.
- B. Mineral-Fiber Adhesive: Comply with MIL-A-3316C, Class 2, Grade A.
  - 1. Manufacturers: Provide one of the following:

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- a. Childers Brand: H.B. Fuller Construction Products
  - b. Foster Brand; H.B. Fuller Construction Products
  - c. Mon-Eco Industries, Inc.
- C. ASJ Adhesive: Comply with MIL-A-3316C, Class 2, Grade A, for bonding insulation jacket lap seams and joints.
1. Manufacturer: Provide one of the following:
    - a. Childers Brand: H.B. Fuller Construction Products
    - b. Foster Brand; H.B. Fuller Construction Products
    - c. Mon-Eco Industries, Inc.

### 2.3 MASTICS AND COATINGS

- A. Materials shall be compatible with insulation materials, jackets, and substrates.
- B. Vapor-Retarder Mastic, Water Based: Suitable for indoor use on below-ambient services.
1. Manufacturers: Provide one of the Following:
    - a. Childers Brand: H.B. Fuller Construction Products
    - b. Foster Brand; H.B. Fuller Construction Products
    - c. Mon-Eco Industries, Inc.
    - d. Knauf Insulation
  2. Water-Vapor Permeance: Comply with ASTM E96/E96M or ASTM F1249.
  3. Service Temperature Range: **0 to plus 180 deg F.**
  4. Comply with MIL-PRF-19565C, Type II, for permeance requirements..
  5. Color: **White.**
- C. Breather Mastic: Water based; suitable for indoor and outdoor use on above-ambient services.
1. Manufacturer: Provide one of the following:
    - a. Childers Brand: H.B. Fuller Construction Products
    - b. Foster Brand; H.B. Fuller Construction Products
    - c. Mon-Eco Industries, Inc.
    - d. Knauf Insulation
  2. Water-Vapor Permeance: ASTM E96/E96M, greater than **1.0 perm** at manufacturer's recommended dry film thickness.
  3. Service Temperature Range: **0 to plus 180 deg F.**
  4. Color: White.

### 2.4 SEALANTS

- A. Materials shall be as recommended by the insulation manufacturer and shall be compatible with insulation materials, jackets, and substrates.
- B. Joint Sealants:
1. Manufacturers: Provide one of the following:
    - a. Childers Brand: H.B. Fuller Construction Products

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- b. Foster Brand; H.B. Fuller Construction Products
- c. Mon-Eco Industries, Inc.
- d. Owens Corning
2. Permanently flexible, elastomeric sealant.
  - a. Service Temperature Range: Minus 150 to plus 250 deg F.
  - b. Color: White or gray.

### 2.5 FACTORY-APPLIED JACKETS

- A. Insulation system schedules indicate factory-applied jackets on various applications. When factory-applied jackets are indicated, comply with the following:
  1. ASJ: White, kraft-paper, fiberglass-reinforced scrim with aluminum-foil backing; complying with ASTM C1136, Type I.
  2. ASJ-SSL: ASJ with self-sealing, pressure-sensitive, acrylic-based adhesive covered by a removable protective strip; complying with ASTM C1136, Type I.

### 2.6 TAPES

- A. ASJ Tape: White vapor-retarder tape matching factory-applied jacket with acrylic adhesive, complying with ASTM C1136.
  1. Manufactureres: Provide one of the following:
    - a. 3M industrial Adhesives and Tapes Division
    - b. Avery Dennison Corporation
    - c. Ideal Tape Corp., Inc,
    - d. Knauf Insulation
  2. Width: 3 inches.
  3. Thickness: 11.5 mils.
  4. Adhesion: 90 ounces force/inch in width.
  5. Elongation: 2 percent.
  6. Tensile Strength: 40 lbf/inch in width.
  7. ASJ Tape Disks and Squares: Precut disks or squares of ASJ tape.

### 2.7 SECUREMENTS

- A. Staples: Outward-clinching insulation staples, nominal 3/4 inch wide, stainless steel or Monel.
- B. Wire: 0.062-inch soft-annealed, stainless steel or 0.062-inch soft-annealed, galvanized steel.
  1. Manufacturers: Provide one of the following:
    - a. C & F Wire
    - b. Johns Manville, a Berkshire Hathaway company
    - c. RPR Products, Inc.

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### PART 3 - EXECUTION

#### 3.1 PREPARATION

- A. Clean and dry surfaces to receive insulation. Remove materials that will adversely affect insulation application.
- B. Mix insulating cements with clean potable water; if insulating cements are to be in contact with stainless steel surfaces, use demineralized water.

#### 3.2 GENERAL INSTALLATION REQUIREMENTS

- A. Install insulation materials, accessories, and finishes with smooth, straight, and even surfaces; free of voids throughout the length of piping, including fittings, valves, and specialties.
- B. Install insulation materials, forms, vapor barriers or retarders, jackets, and of thicknesses required for each item of pipe system, as specified in insulation system schedules.
- C. Install accessories compatible with insulation materials and suitable for the service. Install accessories that do not corrode, soften, or otherwise attack insulation or jacket in either wet or dry state.
- D. Install insulation with longitudinal seams at top and bottom of horizontal runs.
- E. Do not weld brackets, clips, or other attachment devices to piping, fittings, and specialties.
- F. Keep insulation materials dry during storage, application, and finishing. Replace insulation materials that get wet.
- G. Install insulation with tight longitudinal seams and end joints. Bond seams and joints with adhesive recommended by insulation material manufacturer.
- H. Install insulation with least number of joints practical.
- I. Where vapor barrier is indicated, seal joints, seams, and penetrations in insulation at hangers, supports, anchors, and other projections with vapor-barrier mastic.
  - 1. Install insulation continuously through hangers and around anchor attachments.
  - 2. For insulation application where vapor barriers are indicated, extend insulation on anchor legs from point of attachment to supported item to point of attachment to structure. Taper and seal ends attached to structure with vapor-barrier mastic.
  - 3. Install insert materials and insulation to tightly join the insert. Seal insulation to insulation inserts with adhesive or sealing compound recommended by insulation material manufacturer.
  - 4. Cover inserts with jacket material matching adjacent pipe insulation. Install shields over jacket, arranged to protect jacket from tear or puncture by hanger, support, and shield.
- J. Apply adhesives, mastics, and sealants at manufacturer's recommended coverage rate and wet and dry film thicknesses.

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- K. Install insulation with factory-applied jackets as follows:
  - 1. Draw jacket tight and smooth.
  - 2. Cover circumferential joints with **3-inch-** wide strips, of same material as insulation jacket. Secure strips with adhesive and outward-clinching staples along both edges of strip, spaced **4 inches** o.c.
  - 3. Overlap jacket longitudinal seams at least **1-1/2 inches**. Install insulation with longitudinal seams at bottom of pipe. Clean and dry surface to receive self-sealing lap. Staple laps with outward-clinching staples along edge at **4 inches** o.c.
    - a. For below-ambient services, apply vapor-barrier mastic over staples.
  - 4. Cover joints and seams with tape, in accordance with insulation material manufacturer's written instructions, to maintain vapor seal.
  - 5. Where vapor barriers are required, apply vapor-barrier mastic on seams and joints and at ends adjacent to pipe flanges and fittings.
- L. Cut insulation in a manner to avoid compressing insulation more than 25 percent of its nominal thickness.
- M. Finish installation with systems at operating conditions. Repair joint separations and cracking due to thermal movement.
- N. Repair damaged insulation facings by applying same facing material over damaged areas. Extend patches at least **4 inches** beyond damaged areas. Adhere, staple, and seal patches in similar fashion to butt joints.
- O. For above-ambient services, do not install insulation to the following:
  - 1. Vibration-control devices.
  - 2. Testing agency labels and stamps.
  - 3. Nameplates and data plates.

### 3.3 GENERAL PIPE INSULATION INSTALLATION

- A. Requirements in this article generally apply to all insulation materials, except where more specific requirements are specified in various pipe insulation material installation articles.
- B. Insulation Installation on Fittings, Valves, Strainers, Flanges, Mechanical Couplings, and Unions:
  - 1. Install insulation over fittings, valves, strainers, flanges, mechanical couplings, unions, and other specialties with continuous thermal and vapor-retarder integrity unless otherwise indicated.
  - 2. Insulate pipe elbows using **preformed fitting insulation** made from same material and density as that of adjacent pipe insulation. Each piece shall be butted tightly against adjoining piece and bonded with adhesive. Fill joints, seams, voids, and irregular surfaces with insulating cement finished to a smooth, hard, and uniform contour that is uniform with adjoining pipe insulation.



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3. Insulate tee fittings with **preformed fitting insulation** of same material and thickness as that used for adjacent pipe. Cut sectional pipe insulation to fit. Butt each section closely to the next and hold in place with tie wire. Bond pieces with adhesive.
  4. Insulate valves using **preformed fitting insulation or sectional pipe insulation** of same material, density, and thickness as that used for adjacent pipe. Overlap adjoining pipe insulation by not less than 2 times the thickness of pipe insulation, or one pipe diameter, whichever is thicker. For valves, insulate up to and including the bonnets, valve stuffing-box studs, bolts, and nuts. Fill joints, seams, and irregular surfaces with insulating cement.
  5. Insulate strainers using **preformed fitting insulation or sectional pipe insulation** of same material, density, and thickness as that used for adjacent pipe. Overlap adjoining pipe insulation by not less than 2 times the thickness of pipe insulation, or one pipe diameter, whichever is thicker. Fill joints, seams, and irregular surfaces with insulating cement. Insulate strainers, so strainer basket flange or plug can be easily removed and replaced without damaging the insulation and jacket. Provide a removable reusable insulation cover. For below-ambient services, provide a design that maintains vapor barrier.
  6. Insulate flanges, mechanical couplings, and unions using a section of oversized preformed pipe insulation to fit. Overlap adjoining pipe insulation by not less than 2 times the thickness of pipe insulation, or one pipe diameter, whichever is thicker. Stencil or label the outside insulation jacket of each union with the word "union" matching size and color of pipe labels.
  7. Cover segmented insulated surfaces with a layer of finishing cement and coat with a mastic. Install vapor-barrier mastic for below-ambient services and a breather mastic for above-ambient services. Reinforce the mastic with reinforcing mesh. Trowel the mastic to a smooth and well-shaped contour.
  8. For services not specified to receive a field-applied jacket install fitted PVC cover over elbows, tees, strainers, valves, flanges, and unions. Terminate ends with PVC end caps. Tape PVC covers to adjoining insulation facing, using PVC tape.
- C. Insulate instrument connections for thermometers, pressure gages, pressure temperature taps, test connections, sensors, switches, and transmitters on insulated pipes. Shape insulation at these connections by tapering it to and around the connection with insulating cement and finish with finishing cement, mastic, and flashing sealant.

### 3.4 INSTALLATION OF MINERAL-FIBER INSULATION

#### A. Insulation Installation on Straight Pipes and Tubes:

1. Secure each layer of preformed pipe insulation to pipe with wire or bands, and tighten bands without deforming insulation materials.
2. Where vapor barriers are required, seal longitudinal seams, end joints, and protrusions with vapor-barrier mastic and joint sealant.
3. For insulation with factory-applied jackets on above-ambient surfaces, secure laps with outward-clinched staples at **6 inches** o.c.
4. For insulation with factory-applied jackets on below-ambient surfaces, do not staple longitudinal tabs. Instead, secure tabs with additional adhesive, as recommended by insulation material manufacturer, and seal with vapor-barrier mastic and flashing sealant.

#### B. Insulation Installation on Pipe Flanges:

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1. Install preformed pipe insulation to outer diameter of pipe flange.
2. Make width of insulation section same as overall width of flange and bolts, plus twice the thickness of pipe insulation.
3. Fill voids between inner circumference of flange insulation and outer circumference of adjacent straight pipe segments with mineral-fiber blanket insulation.
4. Install jacket material with manufacturer's recommended adhesive, overlap seams at least **1 inch**, and seal joints with flashing sealant.

### C. Insulation Installation on Pipe Fittings and Elbows:

1. Install preformed sections of same material as that of straight segments of pipe insulation when available.
2. When preformed insulation elbows and fittings are not available, install mitered sections of pipe insulation, to a thickness equal to adjoining pipe insulation. Secure insulation materials with wire or bands.

### D. Insulation Installation on Valves and Pipe Specialties:

1. Install preformed sections of same material as that of straight segments of pipe insulation when available.
2. When preformed sections are not available, install mitered sections of pipe insulation to valve body.
3. Arrange insulation to permit access to packing and to allow valve operation without disturbing insulation.
4. Install insulation to flanges as specified for flange insulation application.

## 3.5 PIPING INSULATION SCHEDULE, GENERAL

- A. Insulation conductivity and thickness per pipe size shall comply with schedules in this Section or with requirements of authorities having jurisdiction, whichever is more stringent.
- B. Acceptable preformed pipe and tubular insulation materials and thicknesses are identified for each piping system and pipe size range.

## 3.6 INDOOR PIPING INSULATION SCHEDULE

### A. Ground-Water Supply and Return:

1. **NPS 6** and Smaller: Insulation shall be the following:
  - a. None.

### B. Dual-Service Heating and Cooling, **40 to 200 Deg F**

1. NPS 1.5 and Smaller: Insulation shall be the following:
  - a. Mineral-Fiber, Preformed Pipe Insulation, Type I: **1 inch** thick.
2. NPS 2 and larger: Insulation shall be following:
  - a. Mineral-Fiber: Preformed Pipe Insulation, Type I: **1 1/2' inch** thick.

### C. Heat-Recovery Piping:

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1. All Pipe Sizes: Insulation shall be the following:
  - a. Mineral-Fiber, **Preformed Pipe Insulation, Type I: 1 inch** thick.

END OF SECTION 230719

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### PART 1 - GENERAL

#### 1.1 SUMMARY

##### A. Section Includes:

1. DDC system for monitoring and controlling of HVAC systems.
2. Delivery of selected control devices to equipment and systems manufacturers for factory installation and to HVAC systems installers for field installation.

##### B. Related Requirements:

1. Section 230993.11 "Sequence of Operations for HVAC DDC" for control sequences in DDC systems.
2. Communications Cabling:
  - a. Section 260523 "Control-Voltage Electrical Power Cables" for balanced twisted pair communications cable.
3. Raceways:
  - a. Section 260533 "Raceways and Boxes for Electrical Systems" for raceways for low-voltage control cable.

#### 1.2 DEFINITIONS

- A. Algorithm: A logical procedure for solving a recurrent mathematical problem. A prescribed set of well-defined rules or processes for solving a problem in a finite number of steps.
- B. Analog: A continuously varying signal value, such as current, flow, pressure, or temperature.
- C. BACnet Specific Definitions:
  1. BACnet: Building Automation Control Network Protocol, ASHRAE 135. A communications protocol allowing devices to communicate data over and services over a network.
  2. BACnet Interoperability Building Blocks (BIBBs): BIBB defines a small portion of BACnet functionality that is needed to perform a particular task. BIBBs are combined to build the BACnet functional requirements for a device.
  3. BACnet/IP: Defines and allows using a reserved UDP socket to transmit BACnet messages over IP networks. A BACnet/IP network is a collection of one or more IP subnetworks that share the same BACnet network number.
  4. BACnet Testing Laboratories (BTL): Organization responsible for testing products for compliance with ASHRAE 135, operated under direction of BACnet International.
- D. Binary: Two-state signal where a high signal level represents "ON" or "OPEN" condition and a low signal level represents "OFF" or "CLOSED" condition. "Digital" is sometimes used interchangeably with "Binary" to indicate a two-state signal.

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- E. Controller: Generic term for any standalone, microprocessor-based, digital controller residing on a network, used for local or global control. Three types of controllers are indicated: Network Controller, Programmable Application Controller, and Application-Specific Controller.
- F. Control System Integrator: An entity that assists in expansion of existing enterprise system and support of additional operator interfaces to I/O being added to existing enterprise system.
- G. COV: Changes of value.
- H. DDC System Provider: Authorized representative of, and trained by, DDC system manufacturer and responsible for execution of DDC system Work indicated.
- I. Distributed Control: Processing of system data is decentralized and control decisions are made at subsystem level. System operational programs and information are provided to remote subsystems and status is reported back. On loss of communication, subsystems shall be capable of operating in a standalone mode using the last best available data.
- J. Gateway: Bidirectional protocol translator that connects control systems that use different communication protocols.
- K. I/O: System through which information is received and transmitted. I/O refers to analog input (AI), binary input (BI), analog output (AO) and binary output (BO). Analog signals are continuous and represent control influences such as flow, level, moisture, pressure, and temperature. Binary signals convert electronic signals to digital pulses (values) and generally represent two-position operating and alarm status. "Digital," (DI and (DO), is sometimes used interchangeably with "Binary," (BI) and (BO), respectively.
- L. LAN: Local area network.
- M. Low Voltage: As defined in NFPA 70 for circuits and equipment operating at less than 50 V or for remote-control, signaling power-limited circuits.
- N. Mobile Device: A data-enabled phone or tablet computer capable of connecting to a cellular data network and running a native control application or accessing a web interface.
- O. Modbus TCP/IP: An open protocol for exchange of process data.
- P. Network Controller: Digital controller, which supports a family of programmable application controllers and application-specific controllers, that communicates on peer-to-peer network for transmission of global data.
- Q. RAM: Random access memory.
- R. Router: Device connecting two or more networks at network layer.
- S. TCP/IP: Transport control protocol/Internet protocol..

### 1.3 ACTION SUBMITTALS

- A. Product Data: For each type of product include the following:

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1. Construction details, material descriptions, dimensions of individual components and profiles, and finishes.
2. Operating characteristics, electrical characteristics, and furnished accessories indicating process operating range, accuracy over range, control signal over range, default control signal with loss of power, calibration data specific to each unique application, electrical power requirements, and limitations of ambient operating environment, including temperature and humidity.
3. Product description with complete technical data, performance curves, and product specification sheets.
4. Installation, operation and maintenance instructions including factors effecting performance.
5. Bill of materials of indicating quantity, manufacturer, and extended model number for each unique product.
  - a. DDC controllers.
  - b. Electrical power devices.
  - c. Accessories.
  - d. Instruments.
6. When manufacturer's product datasheets apply to a product series rather than a specific product model, clearly indicate and highlight only applicable information.
7. Each submitted piece of product literature shall clearly cross reference specification and drawings that submittal is to cover.

### B. Shop Drawings:

1. Include plans, elevations, sections, and mounting details where applicable.
2. Include details of product assemblies. Indicate dimensions, weights, loads, required clearances, method of field assembly, components, and location and size of each field connection.
3. Schematic drawings for each controlled HVAC system indicating the following:
  - a. I/O points labeled with point names shown. Indicate instrument range, normal operating set points, and alarm set points. Indicate fail position of each valve, if included in Project.
  - b. I/O listed in table format showing point name, type of device, manufacturer, model number, and cross-reference to product data sheet number.
  - c. A graphic showing location of control I/O in proper relationship to HVAC system.
  - d. Wiring diagram with each I/O point having a unique identification and indicating labels for all wiring terminals.
  - e. Unique identification of each I/O that shall be consistently used between different drawings showing same point.
  - f. Elementary wiring diagrams of controls for HVAC equipment motor circuits including interlocks, switches, relays and interface to DDC controllers.
  - g. Narrative sequence of operation.
  - h. Graphic sequence of operation, showing all inputs and output logical blocks.
4. Color graphics indicating the following:
  - a. Itemized list of color graphic displays to be provided.

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### 1.4 QUALITY ASSURANCE

- A. DDC System Manufacturer Qualifications:
  - 1. Nationally recognized manufacturer of DDC systems and products.

### 1.5 WARRANTY

- A. Manufacturer's Warranty: Manufacturer and Installer agree to repair or replace products that fail in materials or workmanship within specified warranty period.
  - 1. Failures shall be adjusted, repaired, or replaced at no additional cost or reduction in service to Owner.
  - 2. Include updates or upgrades to software and firmware if necessary to resolve deficiencies.
    - a. Install updates only after receiving Owner's written authorization.

## PART 2 - PRODUCTS

### 2.1 DDC SYSTEM MANUFACTURERS

- A. Manufacturer: Provide the following:
  - a. **Alerton Inc.**

### 2.2 DDC SYSTEM DESCRIPTION

- A. Microprocessor-based monitoring and control including analog/digital conversion and program logic. A control loop or subsystem in which digital and analog information is received and processed by a microprocessor, and digital control signals are generated based on control algorithms and transmitted to field devices to achieve a set of predefined conditions.
- B. Electrical Components, Devices, and Accessories: Listed and labeled as defined in 2017 NFPA 70, by a qualified testing agency, and marked for intended location and application.

### 2.3 PERFORMANCE REQUIREMENTS

- A. Delegated Design: Engage a qualified professional to design DDC system to satisfy requirements indicated.
  - 1. System Performance Objectives:
    - a. DDC system shall manage HVAC systems.
    - b. DDC system control shall operate HVAC systems to achieve optimum operating costs while using least possible energy and maintaining specified performance.
    - c. DDC system shall respond to power failures, HVAC equipment failures, and adverse and emergency conditions encountered through connected I/O points.

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- d. DDC system shall operate while unattended by an operator and through operator interaction.
- e. DDC system shall record trends and transaction of events and produce report information such as performance, energy, and equipment operation.

### B. Environmental Conditions for Controllers, Gateways:

1. Products shall operate without performance degradation under ambient environmental temperature, pressure and humidity conditions encountered for installed location.
2. Products shall be protected with enclosures satisfying the following minimum requirements unless more stringent requirements are indicated. Products not available with integral enclosures complying with requirements indicated shall be housed in protective secondary enclosures. Installed location shall dictate the following NEMA 250 enclosure requirements:
  - a. Mechanical Equipment Rooms: Type 1

## 2.4 NETWORK COMMUNICATION PROTOCOL

- A. Network communication protocol(s) used throughout entire DDC system shall be open to Owner and available to other companies for use in making future modifications to DDC system.

## 2.5 DDC CONTROLLERS

- A. DDC system shall consist of a combination of network controllers, programmable application controllers and application-specific controllers to satisfy performance requirements indicated.
- B. DDC controllers shall perform monitoring, control, energy optimization and other requirements indicated.
- C. DDC controllers shall use a multitasking, multiuser, real-time digital control microprocessor with a distributed network database and intelligence.
- D. Each DDC controller shall be capable of full and complete operation as a completely independent unit and as a part of a DDC system wide distributed network.
- E. Environment Requirements:
  1. Controller hardware shall be suitable for the anticipated ambient conditions.
  2. Controllers located in conditioned space shall be rated for operation at **32 to 120 deg F**.
- F. Power and Noise Immunity:
  1. Controller shall operate at 90 to 110 percent of nominal voltage rating and shall perform an orderly shutdown below 80 percent of nominal voltage.
  2. Operation shall be protected against electrical noise of 5 to 120 Hz and from keyed radios with up to 5 W of power located within **36 inches** of enclosure.



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### 2.6 CONTROL WIRE AND CABLE

- A. Wire: Single conductor control wiring above 24 V.
1. Wire size shall be at least **No. 18** AWG.
  2. Conductor shall be 7/24 soft annealed copper strand with **2- to 2.5-inch** lay.
  3. Conductor insulation shall be 600 V, Type THWN or Type THHN, and 90 deg C according to UL 83.
  4. Conductor colors shall be black (hot), white (neutral), and green (ground).
  5. Furnish wire on spools.
- B. Single Twisted Shielded Instrumentation Cable above 24 V:
1. Wire size shall be a minimum **No. 18** AWG.
  2. Conductors shall be a twisted, 7/24 soft annealed copper strand with a **2- to 2.5-inch** lay.
  3. Conductor insulation shall have a Type THHN/THWN or Type TFN rating.
  4. Shielding shall be 100 percent type, 0.35/0.5-mil aluminum/Mylar tape, helically applied with 25 percent overlap, and aluminum side in with tinned copper drain wire.
  5. Outer jacket insulation shall have a 600-V, 90-deg C rating and shall be Type TC cable.
  6. For twisted pair, conductor colors shall be black and white. For twisted triad, conductor colors shall be black, red and white.
  7. Furnish wire on spools.
- C. Single Twisted Shielded Instrumentation Cable 24 V and Less:
1. Wire size shall be a minimum **No. 18** AWG.
  2. Conductors shall be a twisted, 7/24 soft annealed copper stranding with a **2- to 2.5-inch** lay.
  3. Conductor insulation shall have a nominal 15-mil thickness, constructed from flame-retardant PVC.
  4. Shielding shall be 100 percent type, 1.35-mil aluminum/polymer tape, helically applied with 25 percent overlap, and aluminum side in with tinned copper drain wire.
  5. Outer jacket insulation shall have a 300-V, 105-deg C rating and shall be Type PLTC cable.
  6. For twisted pair, conductor colors shall be black and white. For twisted triad, conductor colors shall be black, red and white.
  7. Furnish wire on spools.
- D. Communication Cable: Comply with DDC system manufacturer requirements for network being installed.
1. Cable shall be balanced twisted pair.
  2. Cable shall be plenum rated.
  3. Cable shall comply with NFPA 70.
  4. Cable shall have a unique color that is different from other cables used on Project.

### 2.7 CONTROL POWER WIRING AND RACEWAYS

- A. Comply with requirements in Section 260519 "Low-Voltage Electrical Power Conductors and Cables" electrical power conductors and cables.

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- B. Comply with requirements in Section 260533 "Raceways and Boxes for Electrical Systems" for electrical power raceways and boxes.

### 2.8 IDENTIFICATION

#### A. Control Equipment, Instruments, and Control Devices:

1. Engraved tag bearing unique identification.
  - a. Include instruments with unique identification identified by equipment being controlled or monitored, followed by point identification.
2. Letter size shall be as follows:
  - a. DDC Controllers: Minimum of **0.5 inch** high.
3. Tag shall consist of white lettering on black background.
4. Tag shall be engraved phenolic consisting of three layers of rigid laminate. Top and bottom layers are color-coded black with contrasting white center exposed by engraving through outer layer.
5. Tag shall be fastened with drive pins.
6. Instruments, control devices and actuators with Project-specific identification tags having unique identification numbers following requirements indicated and provided by original manufacturer do not require an additional tag.

#### B. Raceway and Boxes:

1. Paint cover plates on junction boxes and conduit same color as the tape banding for conduits. After painting, label cover plate "HVAC Controls," using an engraved phenolic tag.

## PART 3 - EXECUTION

### 3.1 EXAMINATION

- A. Examine substrates and conditions for compliance with requirements for installation tolerances and other conditions affecting performance of the Work.
  1. Verify compatibility with and suitability of substrates.
- B. Prepare written report, endorsed by Installer, listing conditions detrimental to performance of the Work.
- C. Proceed with installation only after unsatisfactory conditions have been corrected.

### 3.2 DDC SYSTEM INTERFACE WITH OTHER SYSTEMS AND EQUIPMENT

- A. Communication Interface to Equipment with Integral Controls:

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1. DDC system shall have communication interface with equipment having integral controls and having a communication interface for remote monitoring or control.
2. Equipment to Be Connected:
  - a. Heat Pumps specified in Section 238146 " Water Source Unitary Heat Pumps."

### 3.3 GENERAL INSTALLATION REQUIREMENTS

- A. Install products to satisfy more stringent of all requirements indicated.
- B. Install products level, plumb, parallel, and perpendicular with building construction.
- C. Support products, tubing, piping wiring and raceways. Brace products to prevent lateral movement and sway or a break in attachment when subjected to a force.
- D. If codes and referenced standards are more stringent than requirements indicated, comply with requirements in codes and referenced standards.
- E. Fastening Hardware:
  1. Stillson wrenches, pliers, and other tools that damage surfaces of rods, nuts, and other parts are prohibited for work of assembling and tightening fasteners.
  2. Tighten bolts and nuts firmly and uniformly. Do not overstress threads by excessive force or by oversized wrenches.
  3. Lubricate threads of bolts, nuts and screws with graphite and oil before assembly.
- F. If product locations are not indicated, install products in locations that are accessible and that will permit service and maintenance from floor without removal of permanently installed furniture and equipment.
- G. Corrosive Environments:
  1. Avoid or limit use of materials in corrosive airstreams and environments.
  2. When conduit is in contact with a corrosive airstream and environment, use Type 316 stainless-steel conduit and fittings or conduit and fittings that are coated with a corrosive-resistant coating that is suitable for environment. Comply with requirements for installation of raceways and boxes specified in Section 260533 "Raceways and Boxes for Electrical Systems."
  3. Where instruments are located in a corrosive airstream and are not corrosive resistant from manufacturer, field install products in NEMA 250, Type 4X enclosure constructed of Type 316L stainless steel.

### 3.4 CONTROLLER INSTALLATION

- A. Install controllers in enclosures to comply with indicated requirements.
- B. Connect controllers to field power supply.

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- C. Install controller with latest version of applicable software and configure to execute requirements indicated.
- D. Test and adjust controllers to verify operation of connected I/O to achieve performance indicated requirements while executing sequences of operation.
- E. Installation of Network Controllers:
  - 1. Quantity and location of network controllers shall be determined by DDC system manufacturer to satisfy requirements indicated.
  - 2. Install controllers in a protected location that is easily accessible by operators.
- F. Installation of Programmable Application Controllers:
  - 1. Quantity and location of programmable application controllers shall be determined by DDC system manufacturer to satisfy requirements indicated.
  - 2. Install controllers in a protected location that is easily accessible by operators.
- G. Application-Specific Controllers:
  - 1. Quantity and location of application-specific controllers shall be determined by DDC system manufacturer to satisfy requirements indicated.
  - 2. For controllers not mounted directly on equipment being controlled, install controllers in a protected location that is easily accessible by operators.

### 3.5 ELECTRIC POWER CONNECTIONS

- A. Connect electrical power to DDC system products requiring electrical power connections.
- B. Design of electrical power to products not indicated with electric power is delegated to DDC system provider and installing trade. Work shall comply with 2017 NFPA 70 and other requirements indicated.
- C. Comply with requirements in Section 260519 "Low-Voltage Electrical Power Conductors and Cables" for electrical power conductors and cables.
- D. Comply with requirements in Section 260533 "Raceways and Boxes for Electrical Systems" for electrical power raceways and boxes.

### 3.6 IDENTIFICATION

- A. Identify system components, wiring, cabling, and terminals.

### 3.7 CONTROL WIRE, CABLE AND RACEWAYS INSTALLATION

- A. Comply with NECA 1.
- B. Wire and Cable Installation:

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1. Install cables with protective sheathing that is waterproof and capable of withstanding continuous temperatures of 90 deg C with no measurable effect on physical and electrical properties of cable.
  - a. Provide shielding to prevent interference and distortion from adjacent cables and equipment.
2. Provide strain relief.
3. Terminate wiring in a junction box.
  - a. Clamp cable over jacket in junction box.
  - b. Individual conductors in the stripped section of the cable shall be slack between the clamping point and terminal block.
4. Terminate field wiring and cable not directly connected to instruments and control devices having integral wiring terminals using terminal blocks.
5. Install signal transmission components according to IEEE C2, REA Form 511a, 2017 NFPA 70, and as indicated.
6. Use shielded cable to transmitters.
7. Use shielded cable to temperature sensors.
8. Perform continuity and meager testing on wire and cable after installation.

### C. Conduit Installation:

1. Comply with Section "260533 "Raceways and Boxes for Electrical Systems" for control-voltage conductors.

## 3.8 FIELD QUALITY CONTROL

### A. Perform the following tests and inspections **with the assistance of a factory-authorized service representative**:

1. Perform each visual and mechanical inspection and electrical test stated in NETA Acceptance Testing Specification. Certify compliance with test parameters.
2. Test and adjust controls and safeties. Replace damaged and malfunctioning controls and equipment.

### B. Testing:

1. Perform preinstallation, in-progress, and final tests, supplemented by additional tests, as necessary.
2. Preinstallation Cable Verification: Verify integrity and serviceability for new cable lengths before installation. This assurance may be provided by using vendor verification documents, testing, or other methods. As a minimum, furnish evidence of verification for cable attenuation and bandwidth parameters.
3. In-Progress Testing: Perform standard tests for correct pair identification and termination during installation to ensure proper installation and cable placement. Perform tests in addition to those specified if there is any reason to question condition of material furnished and installed. Testing accomplished is to be documented by agency conducting tests. Submit test results for Project record.

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4. Final Testing: Perform final test of installed system to demonstrate acceptability as installed. Testing shall be performed according to a test plan supplied by DDC system manufacturer. Defective Work or material shall be corrected and retested. As a minimum, final testing for cable system, including spare cable, shall verify conformance of attenuation, length, and bandwidth parameters with performance indicated.
5. Test Equipment: Use an optical fiber time domain reflectometer for testing of length and optical connectivity.
6. Test Results: Record test results and submit copy of test results for Project record.

### 3.9 DDC SYSTEM I/O CHECKOUT PROCEDURES

- A. Check installed products before continuity tests, leak tests and calibration.
- B. Check instruments for proper location and accessibility.
- C. Check instruments for proper installation on direction of flow, elevation, orientation, insertion depth, or other applicable considerations that will impact performance.
- D. Check instrument tubing for proper isolation, fittings, slope, dirt legs, drains, material and support.

### 3.10 DDC SYSTEM I/O ADJUSTMENT, CALIBRATION AND TESTING:

- A. Calibrate each instrument installed that is not factory calibrated and provided with calibration documentation.
- B. Provide a written description of proposed field procedures and equipment for calibrating each type of instrument. Submit procedures before calibration and adjustment.
- C. For each analog instrument, make a three-point test of calibration for both linearity and accuracy.
- D. Equipment and procedures used for calibration shall comply with instrument manufacturer's written instructions.
- E. Provide diagnostic and test equipment for calibration and adjustment.
- F. Field instruments and equipment used to test and calibrate installed instruments shall have accuracy at least twice the instrument accuracy being calibrated. An installed instrument with an accuracy of 1 percent shall be checked by an instrument with an accuracy of 0.5 percent.
- G. Calibrate each instrument according to instrument instruction manual supplied by manufacturer.
- H. If after calibration indicated performance cannot be achieved, replace out-of-tolerance instruments.
- I. Comply with field testing requirements and procedures indicated by ASHRAE's Guideline 11, "Field Testing of HVAC Control Components," in the absence of specific requirements, and to supplement requirements indicated.

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### J. Analog Signals:

1. Check analog voltage signals using a precision voltage meter at zero, 50, and 100 percent.
2. Check analog current signals using a precision current meter at zero, 50, and 100 percent.
3. Check resistance signals for temperature sensors at zero, 50, and 100 percent of operating span using a precision-resistant source.

### K. Digital Signals:

1. Check digital signals using a jumper wire.
2. Check digital signals using an ohmmeter to test for contact making or breaking.

### L. Switches: Calibrate switches to make or break contact at set points indicated.

## 3.11 DDC SYSTEM CONTROLLER CHECKOUT

### A. Verify power supply.

1. Verify voltage, phase and hertz.
2. Verify that protection from power surges is installed and functioning.
3. Verify that ground fault protection is installed.
4. If applicable, verify if connected to a backup power source.
5. If applicable, verify that power conditioning units, transient voltage suppression and high-frequency noise filter units are installed.

### B. Verify that wire and cabling is properly secured to terminals and labeled with unique identification.

## 3.12 DDC SYSTEM VALIDATION TESTS

### A. Perform validation tests before requesting final review of system. Before beginning testing, first submit Pretest Checklist and Test Plan.

### B. After approval of Test Plan, execute all tests and procedures indicated in plan.

### C. After testing is complete, submit completed test checklist.

### D. Pretest Checklist: Submit the following list with items checked off once verified:

1. Detailed explanation for any items that are not completed or verified.
2. Required mechanical installation work is successfully completed and HVAC equipment is working correctly.
3. HVAC equipment motors operate below full-load amperage ratings.
4. Required DDC system components, wiring, and accessories are installed.
5. Installed DDC system architecture matches approved Drawings.
6. Control electric power circuits operate at proper voltage and are free from faults.
7. DDC system network communications function properly, including uploading and downloading programming changes.

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8. Each controller's programming is backed up.
9. Equipment, products, tubing, wiring cable and conduits are properly labeled.
10. All I/O points are programmed into controllers.
11. Testing, adjusting and balancing work affecting controls is complete.
12. Actuators zero and span adjustments are set properly.
13. Each actuator goes to failed position on loss of power.
14. Valves and actuators zero and span adjustments are set properly.
15. Each control valve and actuator goes to failed position on loss of power.
16. Meter, sensor and transmitter readings are accurate and calibrated.
17. Control loops are tuned for smooth and stable operation.
18. View trend data where applicable.
19. Each controller works properly in standalone mode.
20. Safety controls and devices function properly.
21. Electrical interlocks function properly.
22. All system and database software is installed, and graphic are created.
23. Record Drawings are completed.

### E. Test Plan:

1. Prepare and submit a validation test plan including test procedures for performance validation tests.
2. Test plan shall address all specified functions of DDC system and sequences of operation.
3. Explain detailed actions and expected results to demonstrate compliance with requirements indicated.
4. Explain method for simulating necessary conditions of operation used to demonstrate performance.
5. Include a test checklist to be used to check and initial that each test has been successfully completed.

### F. Validation Test:

1. Verify operating performance of each I/O point in DDC system.
  - a. Verify analog I/O points at operating value.
  - b. Make adjustments to out-of-tolerance I/O points.
    - 1) Identify I/O points for future reference.
    - 2) Simulate abnormal conditions to demonstrate proper function of safety devices.
    - 3) Replace instruments and controllers that cannot maintain performance indicated after adjustments.
2. Simulate conditions to demonstrate proper sequence of control.
3. Readjust settings to design values and observe ability of DDC system to establish desired conditions.
4. Completely check out, calibrate, and test all connected hardware and software to ensure that DDC system performs according to requirements indicated.
5. After validation testing is complete, prepare and submit a report indicating all I/O points that required correction and how many validation re-tests it took to pass. Identify adjustments made for each test and indicate instruments that were replaced.



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### 3.13 FINAL REVIEW

- A. Submit written request to Engineer when DDC system is ready for final review. Written request shall state the following:
  - 1. DDC system has been thoroughly inspected for compliance with contract documents and found to be in full compliance.
  - 2. DDC system has been calibrated, adjusted and tested and found to comply with requirements of operational stability, accuracy, speed and other performance requirements indicated.
  - 3. DDC system monitoring and control of HVAC systems results in operation according to sequences of operation indicated.
  - 4. DDC system is complete and ready for final review.
- B. Take prompt action to remedy deficiencies indicated in field report and submit a second written request when all deficiencies have been corrected. Repeat process until no deficiencies are reported.
- C. Prepare and submit closeout submittals when no deficiencies are reported.
- D. A part of DDC system final review shall include a demonstration to parties participating in final review.
  - 1. Provide staff familiar with DDC system installed to demonstrate operation of DDC system during final review.
  - 2. Provide testing equipment to demonstrate accuracy and other performance requirements of DDC system that is requested by reviewers during final review.

### 3.14 DEMONSTRATION

- A. Engage a factory-authorized service representative with complete knowledge of Project-specific system installed to train Owner's maintenance personnel to adjust, operate, and maintain DDC system.

END OF SECTION 230923

## SECTION 230993.11 - SEQUENCE OF OPERATIONS FOR HVAC DDC

### PART 1 - GENERAL

#### 1.1 SUMMARY

- A. Section includes control sequences for DDC for geothermal Heat Pump.
- B. Related Requirements:
  - 1. Section 230923 "DDC Systems for HVAC" for control equipment.

#### 1.2 CONTROL SEQUENCES

- A. Refer to. Specifications Div 238146 "Water Source Unitary Heat Pumps" for all controls provided with in the equipment.
- B. All existing heat pump control functions to be restored.
  - 1. After replacing the heat pumps the contractor shall reconnect all the existing BMS functions related to the replaced equipment including but limited to:
    - a. Status on/ off of the heat pumps and of each compressor (stages) at each heat pump
    - b. Automatic and "Lock out" control function by the building operators.
- C. Heat Pump controls to be added (not limited to):
  - a. Trouble alarms from each of the heat pump.

#### 1.3 HEATING/ COOLING CONTROL SEQUENCES

- A. The controls which are existing and should be restored to the present condition after replacing the heat pumps.
- B. The information presently displayed on the operator's workstations (not limited to) of the existing Building Management System (**to remain for reference only**).
  - 1. DDC system graphic.
  - 2. DDC system status, on-off.
  - 3. Outdoor-air temperature.
  - 4. System summer outside air temperature enable setpoint.
  - 5. System winter outside temperature enable setpoint
  - 6. Heating water supply maximum temperature.
  - 7. Heating water supply minimum temperature.
  - 8. Maximum OA temperature for heating mode.
  - 9. Calc. Heating water supply temperature.
  - 10. Chilled water temperature setpoint.
  - 11. Domestic hot water temperature in DHW tank.
  - 12. H/CHW supply temperature

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13. Heat Pumps stages 1 & 2 status for WHP-1, 2, 3, 4.
14. Circulating H/CHW pump(s) (P-5, P-6, P-7) on-off indication (operating or not operating).
15. Circulating H/CHW pump(s) (P-5, P-6, P-7) on-off command (enable or disable).
16. Heating/ Chilled Water motorized control valves open-closed status (V-1 thru V-7)
17. Ground water control valves (four) open-closed status.
18. Well water (ground water) pumps VFD status (%) (three pumps)
19. Well water pumps VFD alarm.
20. Well water pumps water height and low height alarm.
21. Well (ground) water supply pressure.
22. Drain water flow (GPM).
23. Drain water temperature.
24. Drain water.
25. Drain water valve open (%) status.

PART 2 - PRODUCTS (Not Applicable)

PART 3 - EXECUTION (Not Applicable)

END OF SECTION 230993.11

## SECTION 232113 - HYDRONIC PIPING

### PART 1 - GENERAL

#### 1.1 SUMMARY

- A. Section includes pipe and fitting materials and joining methods for the following:
  - 1. Steel pipe and fittings.
  - 2. Plastic pipe
  - 3. Joining materials.
  - 4. Transition fittings.
  - 5. Dielectric fittings.

#### 1.2 ACTION SUBMITTALS

- A. Product Data: For each type of the following:
  - 1. Pipe.
  - 2. Fittings.
  - 3. Joining materials.

#### 1.3 QUALITY ASSURANCE

- A. ASME Compliance: Comply with ASME B31.9, "Building Services Piping," for materials, products, and installation.

### PART 2 - PRODUCTS

#### 2.1 PERFORMANCE REQUIREMENTS

- A. Hydronic piping components and installation shall be capable of withstanding the following minimum working pressure and temperature unless otherwise indicated:
  - 1. Hot-Water/Chilled Water Piping: **125 psig at 40-150 deg F** .
  - 2. Ground-Water Piping: **150 psig at 40-70 deg F**.

#### 2.2 COPPER TUBE AND FITTINGS

- A. Drawn-Temper Copper Tubing: **ASTM B88, Type L**.
- B. Wrought-Copper Unions: ASME B16.22.

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### 2.3 STEEL PIPE AND FITTINGS

- A. Steel Pipe: ASTM A53/A53M, black steel with plain ends; welded and seamless, Grade B, and wall thickness as indicated in "Piping Applications" Article.
- B. Cast-Iron Threaded Fittings: ASME B16.4; Classes 125 and 250 as indicated in "Piping Applications" Article.
- C. Malleable-Iron Threaded Fittings: ASME B16.3, Classes 150 as indicated in "Piping Applications" Article.
- D. Malleable-Iron Unions: ASME B16.39; Classes 150, 250 as indicated in "Piping Applications" Article.
- E. Wrought Cast- and Forged-Steel Flanges and Flanged Fittings: ASME B16.5, including bolts, nuts, and gaskets of the following material group, end connections, and facings:
  - 1. Material Group: 1.1.
  - 2. End Connections: Butt welding.
  - 3. Facings: Raised face.

### 2.4 PLASTIC PIPE AND FITTINGS

- A. CPVC Plastic Pipe: ASTM F441/F441M, with wall thickness as indicated in "Piping Applications" Article.
  - 1. CPVC Plastic Pipe Fittings: Socket-type pipe fittings, ASTM F438 for Schedule 40 pipe; ASTM F439 for Schedule 80 pipe.
- B. PVC Plastic Pipe: ASTM D1785, with wall thickness as indicated in "Piping Applications" Article.
  - 1. PVC Plastic Pipe Fittings: Socket-type pipe fittings, ASTM D2466 for Schedule 40 pipe; ASTM D2467 for Schedule 80 pipe.

### 2.5 JOINING MATERIALS

- A. Pipe-Flange Gasket Materials: Suitable for chemical and thermal conditions of piping system contents.
  - 1. ASME B16.21, nonmetallic, flat, asbestos free, **1/8-inch** maximum thickness unless otherwise indicated.
    - a. Full-Face Type: For flat-face, Class 125, cast-iron and cast-bronze flanges.
    - b. Narrow-Face Type: For raised-face, Class 250, cast-iron and steel flanges.
- B. Flange Bolts and Nuts: ASME B18.2.1, carbon steel, unless otherwise indicated.

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- C. Plastic, Pipe-Flange Gasket, Bolts, and Nuts: Type and material recommended by piping system manufacturer unless otherwise indicated.
- D. Solder Filler Metals: ASTM B32, lead-free alloys. Include water-flushable flux according to ASTM B813.
- E. Welding Filler Metals: Comply with AWS D10.12M/D10.12 for welding materials appropriate for wall thickness and chemical analysis of steel pipe being welded.
- F. Solvent Cements for CPVC Piping: ASTM F493.
- G. Solvent Cements for PVC Piping: ASTM D2564. Include primer according to ASTM F656.

### 2.6 TRANSITION FITTINGS

- A. Plastic-to-Metal Transition Fittings:
  - 1. Manufacturers: Provide one of the following
    - a. Charlotte Pipe and Foundry Company.
    - b. IPEX Inc.
    - c. VIEGA LLC
  - 2. One-piece fitting with one threaded brass or copper insert and one solvent-cement-joint end of material and wall thickness to match plastic pipe material.
- B. Plastic-to-Metal Transition Unions:
  - 1. Manufacturers: Provide one of the following:
    - a. Charlotte Pipe and Foundry Company.
    - b. IPEX Inc.
    - c. NIBCO INC.
  - 2. Brass or copper end, solvent-cement-joint end of material and wall thickness to match plastic pipe material, rubber gasket, and threaded union.

### 2.7 DIELECTRIC FITTINGS

- A. General Requirements: Assembly of copper alloy and ferrous materials with separating nonconductive insulating material. Include end connections compatible with pipes to be joined.
- B. Dielectric Unions:
  - 1. Manufacturer: provide product by one of the following:
    - a. Capitol Manufacturing Company.
    - b. Central Plastics Company.
    - c. Hart Industries International, Inc.
    - d. Jomar International Ltd.
    - e. Watts Regulator Co.

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2. Description:
  - a. Standard: ASSE 1079.
  - b. Pressure Rating: **125 psig minimum at 180 deg F.**
  - c. End Connections: Solder-joint copper alloy and threaded ferrous.

### PART 3 - EXECUTION

#### 3.1 PIPING APPLICATIONS

- A. Hot-water/Chilled Water heating piping, aboveground, **NPS 2 and smaller**, shall be **any of]** the following:
  1. **Type L**, drawn-temper copper tubing, wrought-copper fittings, and **soldered** or **pressure-seal** joints.
  2. **Schedule 40**, Grade B steel pipe; **Class 150, malleable-iron** fittings; cast-iron flanges and flange fittings; and threaded joints.
- B. Hot-water/Chilled water heating piping, aboveground, **NPS 2-1/2 and larger**, shall be the following:
  1. **Schedule 40** steel pipe, plain-end mechanical-coupled joints.
- C. Ground-water piping, aboveground, **NPS 2 and smaller**, shall be the following:
  1. **Schedule 80** PVC plastic pipe and fittings and solvent-welded joints.

#### 3.2 PIPING INSTALLATIONS

- A. Drawing plans, schematics, and diagrams indicate general location and arrangement of piping systems. Install piping as indicated unless deviations to layout are approved on Coordination Drawings.
- B. Install piping indicated to be exposed and piping in equipment rooms and service areas at right angles or parallel to building walls. Diagonal runs are prohibited unless specifically indicated otherwise.
- C. Install piping above accessible ceilings to allow sufficient space for ceiling panel removal.
- D. Install piping to permit valve servicing.
- E. Install piping at indicated slopes.
- F. Install piping free of sags and bends.
- G. Install fittings for changes in direction and branch connections.
- H. Install piping to allow application of insulation.

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- I. Select system components with pressure rating equal to or greater than system operating pressure.
- J. Install drains, consisting of a tee fitting, **NPS 3/4** ball valve, and short **NPS 3/4** threaded nipple with cap, at low points in piping system mains and elsewhere as required for system drainage.
- K. Install piping at a uniform grade of 0.2 percent upward in direction of flow.
- L. Reduce pipe sizes using eccentric reducer fitting installed with level side up.
- M. Install valves according to the following:
  - 1. Section 230523.12 "Ball Valves for HVAC Piping."
- N. Install unions in piping, **NPS 2** and smaller, adjacent to valves, at final connections of equipment, and elsewhere as indicated.
- O. Install flanges in piping, **NPS 2-1/2** and larger, at final connections of equipment and elsewhere as indicated.
- P. Install shutoff valve immediately upstream of each dielectric fitting.

### 3.3 DIELECTRIC FITTING INSTALLATION

- A. Install dielectric fittings in piping at connections of dissimilar metal piping and tubing.
- B. Dielectric Fittings for **NPS 2** and Smaller: Use dielectric **nipples** or **unions**.

### 3.4 HANGERS AND SUPPORTS

- A. Install hangers and supports where required. Comply with the following requirements for maximum spacing of supports.
- B. Install the following pipe attachments:
  - 1. Adjustable steel clevis hangers for individual horizontal piping less than **20 feet** long.
  - 2. Provide copper-clad hangers and supports for hangers and supports in direct contact with copper pipe.
  - 3. On plastic pipe, install pads or cushions on bearing surfaces to prevent hanger from scratching pipe.

### 3.5 PIPE JOINT CONSTRUCTION

- A. Ream ends of pipes and tubes and remove burrs. Bevel plain ends of steel pipe.
- B. Remove scale, slag, dirt, and debris from inside and outside of pipe and fittings before assembly.



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- C. Soldered Joints: Apply ASTM B813, water-flushable flux, unless otherwise indicated, to tube end. Construct joints according to ASTM B828 or CDA's "Copper Tube Handbook," using lead-free solder alloy complying with ASTM B32.
- D. Threaded Joints: Thread pipe with tapered pipe threads according to ASME B1.20.1. Cut threads full and clean using sharp dies. Ream threaded pipe ends to remove burrs and restore full ID. Join pipe fittings and valves as follows:
  - 1. Apply appropriate tape or thread compound to external pipe threads unless dry seal threading is specified.
  - 2. Damaged Threads: Do not use pipe or pipe fittings with threads that are corroded or damaged. Do not use pipe sections that have cracked or open welds.
- E. Flanged Joints: Select appropriate gasket material, size, type, and thickness for service application. Install gasket concentrically positioned. Use suitable lubricants on bolt threads.
- F. Plastic Piping Solvent-Cemented Joints: Clean and dry joining surfaces. Join pipe and fittings according to the following:
  - 1. Comply with ASTM F402 for safe-handling practice of cleaners, primers, and solvent cements.
  - 2. PVC Pressure Piping: Join ASTM D1785 schedule number, PVC pipe and PVC socket fittings according to ASTM D2672. Join other-than-schedule number PVC pipe and socket fittings according to ASTM D2855.
- G. Grooved Joints: Assemble joints with coupling and gasket, lubricant, and bolts. Cut or roll grooves in ends of pipe based on pipe and coupling manufacturer's written instructions for pipe wall thickness. Use grooved-end fittings and rigid, grooved-end-pipe couplings.
- H. Plain-End Mechanical-Coupled Joints: Prepare, assemble, and test joints in accordance with manufacturer's written installation instructions.

### 3.6 FIELD QUALITY CONTROL

- A. Prepare hydronic piping according to ASME B31.9 and as follows:
  - 1. Leave joints, including welds, uninsulated and exposed for examination during test.
  - 2. Flush hydronic piping systems with clean water; then remove and clean or replace strainer screens.
- B. Perform the following tests on hydronic piping:
  - 1. Use ambient temperature water as a testing medium.
  - 2. While filling system, use vents installed at high points of system to release air. Use drains installed at low points for complete draining of test liquid.
  - 3. Subject piping system to hydrostatic system's working pressure.
  - 4. After hydrostatic test pressure has been applied for at least 30 minutes, examine piping, joints, and connections for leakage. Eliminate leaks by tightening, repairing, or replacing components, and repeat hydrostatic test until there are no leaks.
  - 5. Prepare written report of testing.

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- C. Perform the following before operating the system:
1. Open manual valves fully.
  2. Set temperature controls so all coils are calling for full flow.
  3. Inspect and set operating temperatures of heat pumps, to specified values.
  4. Verify lubrication of motors and bearings.

END OF SECTION 232113

## SECTION 238146 - WATER-SOURCE UNITARY HEAT PUMPS

### PART 1 - GENERAL

#### 1.1 RELATED DOCUMENTS

- A. Drawings and general provisions of the Contract, including General and Supplementary Conditions and Division 01 Specification Sections, apply to this Section.

#### 1.2 SUMMARY

- A. Section includes unitary heat pumps with refrigerant-to-water heat exchangers, refrigeration circuits, and refrigerant compressor(s).

#### 1.3 ACTION SUBMITTALS

- A. Product Data: For each type of product.
  - 1. Include construction details, material descriptions, dimensions of individual components and profiles, and finishes for each water-source unitary heat pump.
  - 2. Include rated capacities, operating characteristics, furnished specialties, and accessories.
- B. Shop Drawings:
  - 1. Include plans, elevations, sections, and mounting and attachment details.
  - 2. Include details of equipment assemblies. Indicate dimensions, weights, loads, required clearances, method of field assembly, components, and location and size of each field connection.
  - 3. Include diagrams for power, signal, and control wiring.

#### 1.4 INFORMATIONAL SUBMITTALS

- A. Seismic Qualification Certificates: For water-source unitary heat pumps, accessories, and components, from manufacturer.
  - 1. Basis for Certification: Indicate whether withstand certification is based on actual test of assembled components or on calculation.
  - 2. Dimensioned Outline Drawings of Equipment Unit: Identify center of gravity and locate and describe mounting and anchorage provisions.
  - 3. Detailed description of equipment anchorage devices on which the certification is based and their installation requirements.
- B. Product Certificates: For each type of water-source unitary heat pump, signed by product manufacturer.
- C. Field quality-control reports.

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- D. Sample Warranty: For manufacturer's warranty. 24 months from shipment date and 5 years for compressors from start up date.

### 1.5 CLOSEOUT SUBMITTALS

- A. Operation and Maintenance Data: For water-source unitary heat pumps to include in emergency, operation, and maintenance manual.

### 1.6 WARRANTY

- A. Special Warranty: Manufacturer agrees to repair or replace components of water-source unitary heat pumps that fail in materials or workmanship within specified warranty period.
  - 1. Failures include, but are not limited to, refrigeration components.
  - 2. Warranty Period: **Two** years from date of Substantial Completion and **Five** years for compressors

## PART 2 - PRODUCTS

### 2.1 REQUIREMENTS

- A. ASHRAE Compliance:
  - 1. ASHRAE 15.
- B. Comply with 2017 NFPA 70.
- C. Comply with safety requirements in UL 484 for assembly of free-delivery, water-source heat pumps.

### 2.2 WATER-SOURCE UNITARY HEAT PUMPS LARGER THAN 6 TONS (21 kW)

- A. Manufacturers: Subject to compliance with requirements, provide products by one of the following:
  - 1. [FHP Manufacturing Inc.](#)
  - 2. [Carrier Corporation; a UTC company.](#)
  - 3. [Climate Master Inc.](#)
- B. Description: Packaged water-source unitary heat pump with temperature controls; factory assembled, piped, wired, tested, and rated according to ASHRAE/ARI/ISO-13256-1.
  - 1. Electrical Components, Devices, and Accessories: Listed and labeled as defined in 2017 NFPA 70, by a qualified testing agency and marked for intended location and application.
- C. Cabinet and Chassis: Galvanized-steel casing with the following features:
  - 1. Access panel for access and maintenance of internal components.

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2. Knockouts for electrical and piping connections.
  3. Cabinet Insulation: Glass-fiber liner, minimum **1/2 inch** thick, 1.5 lb complying with UL 181, ASTM C1071, and ASTM G21.
- D. Water Circuits:
1. Refrigerant-to-Water Heat Exchangers:
    - a. Source-side coaxial heat exchangers with **cupronickel** water tube, with enhanced heat-transfer surfaces inside a steel shell; both shell and tube are leak tested to **600 psig** on refrigerant side and **400 psig** on water side.
    - b. Load-side coaxial heat exchangers with **cupronickel** water tube, with enhanced heat-transfer surfaces inside a steel shell; both shell and tube are leak tested to **600 psig** on refrigerant side and **400 psig** on water side.
- E. Refrigerant Circuit Components:
1. Sealed Refrigerant Circuit: Charge with R-410A refrigerant.
  2. Filter-Dryer: Factory installed to clean and dehydrate the refrigerant circuit.
  3. Charging Connections: Service fittings on suction and liquid for charging and testing on each circuit.
  4. Reversing Valve: Four-way, solenoid-activated valve designed to be fail-safe in heating position with replaceable magnetic coil.
  5. Compressor:
    - a. Scroll.
    - b. **Two stage.**
    - c. Installed on vibration isolators and mounted on a structural steel base plate and full-length channel stiffeners.
    - d. Factory-Installed Safeties:
      - 1) Anticycle timer.
      - 2) High-pressure cutout.
      - 3) Low-pressure cutout or loss of charge switch.
      - 4) Internal thermal-overload protection.
      - 5) Freezestat to stop compressor if water-loop temperature in refrigerant-to-water heat exchanger falls below **35 deg F**.
      - 6) Water-coil, low-temperature switch.
  6. Refrigerant Piping Materials: ASTM B743 copper tube with wrought-copper fittings and brazed joints.
  7. Pipe Insulation: Refrigerant minimum **3/8-inch** thick, flexible elastomeric insulation on piping exposed to airflow through the unit. Maximum 25/50 flame-spread/smoke-developed indexes according to ASTM E84.
- F. Controls: Control equipment and sequence of operation are specified in Section 230923 "Direct Digital Control (DDC) System for HVAC" and Section 230993.11 "Sequence of Operations for HVAC DDC."
- G. Controls (DDC):

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1. Basic Unit Control Modes and Devices:
  - a. Unit shutdown on high or low refrigerant pressures.
  - b. Unit shutdown on low water temperature.
  - c. Low- and high-voltage protection.
  - d. Overcurrent protection for compressor.
  - e. Random time delay, three to 10 seconds, start on power-up.
  - f. Time delay override for servicing.
  - g. Control voltage transformer.
  - h. Water-coil freeze protection (selectable for water or antifreeze).
  - i. Automatic intelligent reset. Unit shall automatically reset five minutes after trip if the fault has cleared. Should a fault reoccur three times sequentially, lockout requiring manual reset occurs. \*
  - j. Ability to defeat time delays for servicing.
  - k. Digital display to indicate high pressure, low pressure, low voltage, and high voltage. \*
  - l. The low-pressure switch shall not be monitored for the first 120 seconds after a compressor start command to prevent nuisance safety trips. \*
  - m. Remote fault-type indication.
  - n. Selectable 24-V dc or pilot duty dry contact alarm output. \*
  - o. **24-V dc output to cycle a motorized water valve with compressor** contactor.
  - p. Service test mode for troubleshooting and service. \*
  - q. Unit-performance sentinel warns when heat pump is running inefficiently.
  - r. Compressor soft start.
2. DDC interface requirements as further described in Section 230923 "Direct Digital Control (DDC) System for HVAC" and Section 230993.11 "Sequence of Operations for HVAC DDC."
  - a. Interface relay for scheduled operation.
  - b. Interface relay to provide indication of fault at central workstation.
  - c. Provide **BAC-net** interface with the Building Management System for the following functions (not limited to):
    - 1) Set-point adjustment
    - 2) Start/stop and operating status of heat-pump units including individual compressors at each unit.
    - 3) Trouble alarm.

H. Electrical Connection: Single electrical connections of each heat pump **with the panelboard existing circuit breakers.**

I. Capacities and Characteristics:

1. Source-Side Water Supply:
  - a. Water Flow: Refer to drawings.
  - b. Pressure Loss: Refer to drawings .
  - c. Entering-Water Temperature (Cooling): 65 **deg** .
  - d. Entering-Water Temperature (Heating): 45 **deg F**.
  - e. Antifreeze Protection Chemical: None (ground water).

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2. Load-Side Water Supply:
  - a. Water Flow: Refer to equipment schedules.
  - b. Pressure Loss: Refer to drawings.
  - c. Entering-Water Temperature (Cooling): 55 **deg F**.
  - d. Entering-Water Temperature (Heating): 110 **deg F**.
3. Cooling:
  - a. Total Capacity: Refer to drawings.
  - b. Sensible Capacity: Refer to drawings.
  - c. Minimum Energy-Efficiency Ratio (EER): 19.1.
4. Heating:
  - a. Capacity: Refer to drawings.
  - b. Minimum Coefficient of Performance (COP): 3.7.
5. Electrical Characteristics for Single Connection:
  - a. Volts: 460 V.
  - b. Phase: **Three**.
  - c. Hertz: 60.
  - d. Full-Load Amperes (FLA): ... A.
  - e. Minimum Circuit Amperage (MCA): **60.5 A**.
  - f. Maximum Overcurrent Protection (MOCP): 80 A.

### 2.3 ACCESSORIES

- A. Hose Kits: Tag hose kits to equipment designations.
  1. Minimum Working Pressure: **400 psig**.
  2. Operating Temperatures: From **33 to 211 deg F**.
  3. Hose Length: 24 inches or shorter as needed .
  4. Minimum Hose Diameter: Equal to water-source unitary heat-pump piping connection.
  5. Hose Material: Braided stainless steel with adapters for pipe connections.
- B. Isolation valves
  1. Two-piece, bronze-body ball valves with stainless-steel ball and stem, standard-port threaded connections, and galvanized-steel lever handle. Valves shall be factory installed on supply and return connections of both load-side and source-side heat exchangers. If balancing valve is combination shutoff type with memory stop, the isolation valve may be omitted on the return.
- C. Strainer:
  1. Y-pattern with blowdown valve in supply connections of both load and source side of heat exchangers.
- D. Balancing Valves:

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1. Mount in return connection. Include meter ports to allow flow measurement with differential pressure gage.
- E. Loop Controller: Four stages; two stages for heating and two stages for cooling.

### PART 3 - EXECUTION

#### 3.1 EXAMINATION

- A. Examine areas and conditions, with Installer present, for compliance with requirements for installation tolerances and other conditions affecting performance of the Work.
- B. Examine roughing-in for piping and electric installations for water-source unitary heat pumps to verify actual locations of piping connections and electrical conduits before installation.
- C. Proceed with installation only after unsatisfactory conditions have been corrected.

#### 3.2 INSTALLATION

- A. Equipment Mounting:
  1. Install water-source, unitary heat pumps on the existing cast-in-place concrete equipment base(s).

#### 3.3 CONNECTIONS

- A. Drawings indicate general arrangement of piping, fittings, and specialties. Specific connection requirements are as follows:
  1. Connect supply and return hydronic piping to heat pump with **unions and shutoff valves**.
- B. Install electrical devices furnished by manufacturer but not specified to be factory mounted.
- C. Install piping adjacent to machine to allow space for service and maintenance.

#### 3.4 FIELD QUALITY CONTROL

- A. Manufacturer's Field Service: Engage a factory-authorized service representative to test and inspect components, assemblies, and equipment installations, including connections.
- B. Perform the following field tests and inspections:
  1. After installing water to water heat pumps and after electrical circuitry has been energized, test units for compliance with requirements.
  2. Inspect for and remove shipping bolts, blocks, and tie-down straps.
  3. Operational Test: After electrical circuitry has been energized, start units to confirm proper motor rotation and unit operation.



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4. Test and adjust controls and safeties. Replace damaged and malfunctioning controls and equipment.
- C. Heat pumps will be considered defective if they do not pass tests and inspections.
- D. Prepare test and inspection reports.

### 3.5 STARTUP SERVICE

- A. **Engage a factory-authorized service representative to perform** startup service.
  1. Complete installation and startup checks according to manufacturer's written instructions.
  2. Inspect for visible damage to unit casing.
  3. Inspect for visible damage to compressor and coils.
  4. Inspect internal insulation.
  5. Verify that labels are clearly visible.
  6. Verify that clearances have been provided for servicing.
  7. Verify that controls are connected and operable.
  8. Start unit according to manufacturer's written instructions.
  9. Complete startup sheets and attach copy with Contractor's startup report.
  10. Inspect and record performance of interlocks and protective devices; verify sequences.
  11. Operate unit for an initial period as recommended or required by manufacturer.
  12. Inspect controls for correct sequencing of heating, refrigeration, and normal and emergency shutdown.

### 3.6 ADJUSTING

- A. Adjust initial temperature set points.
- B. Set field-adjustable switches and circuit-breaker trip ranges as indicated.
- C. Occupancy Adjustments: When requested within 12 months from date of Substantial Completion, provide on-site assistance in adjusting system to suit actual operating conditions. Provide up to **two** visits to Project during other-than-normal occupancy hours for this purpose.

### 3.7 DEMONSTRATION

- A. **Engage a factory-authorized service representative to train** Owner's maintenance personnel to adjust, operate, and maintain water-source unitary heat pumps.

END OF SECTION 238146

## SECTION 260519 - LOW-VOLTAGE ELECTRICAL POWER CONDUCTORS AND CABLES

### PART 1 - GENERAL

#### 1.1 SUMMARY

##### A. Section Includes:

1. Copper building wire rated 600 V or less.
2. Metal-clad cable, Type MC, rated 600 V or less
3. Connectors, splices, and terminations rated 600 V and less.

#### 1.2 ACTION SUBMITTALS

##### A. Product Data: For each type of product.

##### B. Product Schedule: Indicate type, use, location, and termination locations.

### PART 2 - PRODUCTS

#### 2.1 COPPER BUILDING WIRE

##### A. Description: Flexible, insulated and uninsulated, drawn copper current-carrying conductor with an overall insulation layer or jacket, or both, rated 600 V or less.

##### B. Manufacturers: Provide one of the following:

- a. Southwire Company
- b. WESCO
- c. Alpha Wire Company
- d. Belden Inc.
- e. Okonite Company (The)
- f. American Bare Conductor
- g. Service Wire Co.
- h. Encore Wire Corporation

##### C. Standards:

1. Listed and labeled as defined in 2017 NFPA 70, by a qualified testing agency, and marked for intended location and use.
2. Conductor and Cable Marking: Comply with wire and cable marking according to UL's "Wire and Cable Marking and Application Guide."

##### D. Conductors: Copper, complying with ASTM B3 for bare annealed copper and with **ASTM B8** for stranded conductors.

##### E. Conductor Insulation:

1. **Type THHN and Type THWN-2:** Comply with UL 83.

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### 2.2 METAL-CLAD CABLE, TYPE MC

- A. Description: A factory assembly of one or more current-carrying insulated conductors in an overall metallic sheath.
- B. Manufacturer: Provide one of the following:
  - a. AFC Cable System Atkore International
  - b. Southwire Company
  - c. WESCO
  - d. Alpha Wire Company
  - e. Belden Inc.
  - f. Okonite Company (The)
  - g. American Bare Conductor
  - h. Service Wire Co.
  - i. Encore Wire Corporation
- C. Standards:
  - 1. Listed and labeled as defined in NFPA 70, by a qualified testing agency, and marked for intended location and use.
  - 2. Comply with UL 1569.
  - 3. Conductor and Cable Marking: Comply with wire and cable marking according to UL's "Wire and Cable Marking and Application Guide."
- D. Circuits:
  - 1. Single circuit or multicircuit with color-coded conductors.
- E. Conductors: **Copper**, complying with ASTM B3 for bare annealed copper and with ASTM B8 for stranded conductors.
- F. Ground Conductor: **Insulated**.
- G. Conductor Insulation:
  - 1. Type TFN/THHN/THWN-2: Comply with UL 83.
- H. Armor: **Steel or Aluminum**, interlocked.
- I. Jacket: PVC applied over armor.

### 2.3 CONNECTORS AND SPLICES

- A. Description: Factory-fabricated connectors, splices, and lugs of size, ampacity rating, material, type, and class for application and service indicated; listed and labeled as defined in 2017 NFPA 70, by a qualified testing agency, and marked for intended location and use.
- B. Manufacturers: Provide one of the following:
  - a. AFC Cable System, Atkore International
  - b. Hubbell Incorporated Power Systems

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- c. ILSCO
  - d. O-Z/ Gedney Emerson Electric Co.
- C. Jacketed Cable Connectors: For steel and aluminum jacketed cables, zinc die-cast with set screws, designed to connect conductors specified in this Section.
- D. Lugs: One piece, seamless, designed to terminate conductors specified in this Section.
- 1. Material: **Copper**.
  - 2. Type: One or Two hole with standard barrels.
  - 3. Termination: **Compression**.

### PART 3 - EXECUTION

#### 3.1 CONDUCTOR MATERIAL APPLICATIONS

- A. Feeders:
- 1. Copper; solid for No. 10 AWG and smaller; stranded for No. 8 AWG and larger.
- B. Branch Circuits:
- 1. Copper, Solid for No. 12 AWG and smaller; stranded for No. 10 AWG and larger.
- C. Power-Limited Fire Alarm and Control: Solid for No. 12 AWG and smaller.

#### 3.2 CONDUCTOR INSULATION AND MULTICONDUCTOR CABLE APPLICATIONS AND WIRING METHODS

- A. Exposed Feeders: **Type THHN/THWN-2, single conductors in raceway.**
- B. Complete raceway installation between conductor and cable termination points according to Section 260533 "Raceways and Boxes for Electrical Systems" prior to pulling conductors and cables.
- C. Use manufacturer-approved pulling compound or lubricant where necessary; compound used must not deteriorate conductor or insulation. Do not exceed manufacturer's recommended maximum pulling tensions and sidewall pressure values.
- D. Use pulling means, including fish tape, cable, rope, and basket-weave wire/cable grips, that will not damage cables or raceway.
- E. Install exposed cables parallel and perpendicular to surfaces of exposed structural members, and follow surface contours where possible.

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### 3.3 CONNECTIONS

- A. Tighten electrical connectors and terminals according to manufacturer's published torque-tightening values. If manufacturer's torque values are not indicated, use those specified in UL 486A-486B.
- B. Make splices, terminations, and taps that are compatible with conductor material and that possess equivalent or better mechanical strength and insulation ratings than unspliced conductors.

### 3.4 IDENTIFICATION

- A. Identify each spare conductor at each end with identity number and location of other end of conductor, and identify as spare conductor.

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## SECTION 260526 - GROUNDING AND BONDING FOR ELECTRICAL SYSTEMS

### PART 1 - GENERAL

#### 1.1 SUMMARY

- A. Section includes grounding and bonding systems and equipment.

#### 1.2 ACTION SUBMITTALS

- A. Product Data: For each type of product.

### PART 2 - PRODUCTS

#### 2.1 SYSTEM DESCRIPTION

- A. Electrical Components, Devices, and Accessories: Listed and labeled as defined in NFPA 70, by a qualified testing agency, and marked for intended location and application.
- B. Comply with UL 467 for grounding and bonding materials and equipment.

#### 2.2 CONDUCTORS

- A. Insulated Conductors: **Copper** wire or cable insulated for 600 V unless otherwise required by applicable Code or authorities having jurisdiction.
- B. Bare Copper Conductors:
  - 1. Solid Conductors: ASTM B3.
  - 2. Stranded Conductors: ASTM B8.
  - 3. Bonding Cable: 28 kcmil, 14 strands of No. 17 AWG conductor, **1/4 inch** in diameter.
  - 4. Bonding Conductor: No. 4 or No. 6 AWG, stranded conductor.
  - 5. Bonding Jumper: Copper tape, braided conductors terminated with copper ferrules; **1-5/8 inches** wide and **1/16 inch** thick.

#### 2.3 CONNECTORS

- A. Listed and labeled by an NRTL acceptable to authorities having jurisdiction for applications in which used and for specific types, sizes, and combinations of conductors and other items connected.
- B. Welded Connectors: Exothermic-welding kits of types recommended by kit manufacturer for materials being joined and installation conditions.
- C. Bus-Bar Connectors: Compression type, copper or copper alloy, with two wire terminals.

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- D. Beam Clamps: Mechanical type, terminal, ground wire access from four directions, with dual, tin-plated or silicon bronze bolts.
- E. Cable-to-Cable Connectors: Compression type, copper or copper alloy.
- F. Conduit Hubs: Mechanical type, terminal with threaded hub.
- G. Straps: Solid copper, Rated for 600 A.
- H. Tower Ground Clamps: Mechanical type, copper or copper alloy, terminal two-piece clamp.
- I. U-Bolt Clamps: Mechanical type, copper or copper alloy, terminal listed for direct burial.

### PART 3 - EXECUTION

#### 3.1 APPLICATIONS

- A. Conductors: Install solid conductor for **No. 8** AWG and smaller, and stranded conductors for **No. 6** AWG and larger unless otherwise indicated.
- B. Conductor Terminations and Connections:
  - 1. Pipe and Equipment Grounding Conductor Terminations: Bolted connectors.
  - 2. Connections to Structural Steel: Welded connectors.

#### 3.2 EQUIPMENT GROUNDING

- A. Install insulated equipment grounding conductors with all feeders and branch circuits.
- B. Install insulated equipment grounding conductors with the following items, in addition to those required by 2017 NFPA 70:
  - 1. Feeders and branch circuits.
  - 2. Three-phase motor and appliance branch circuits.
  - 3. Flexible raceway runs.
  - 4. Armored and metal-clad cable runs.

#### 3.3 INSTALLATION

- A. Grounding Conductors: Route along shortest and straightest paths possible unless otherwise indicated or required by Code. Avoid obstructing access or placing conductors where they may be subjected to strain, impact, or damage.
- B. Bonding Straps and Jumpers: Install in locations accessible for inspection and maintenance except where routed through short lengths of conduit.
  - 1. Bonding to Structure: Bond straps directly to basic structure, taking care not to penetrate any adjacent parts.

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2. Bonding to Equipment Mounted on vibration isolation Supports: Install bonding so vibration is not transmitted to rigidly mounted equipment.

### 3.4 FIELD QUALITY CONTROL

- A. Perform tests and inspections.
- B. Tests and Inspections:
  1. After installing grounding system but before permanent electrical circuits have been energized, test for compliance with requirements.
  2. Inspect physical and mechanical condition. Verify tightness of accessible, bolted, electrical connections with a calibrated torque wrench according to manufacturer's written instructions.
- C. Grounding system will be considered defective if it does not pass tests and inspections.
- D. Prepare test and inspection reports.
- E. Report measured ground resistances that exceed the following values:
  1. Power Equipment or System with Capacity of 500 kVA and Less: **10** ohms.

END OF SECTION 260526



## SECTION 260533 - RACEWAY AND BOXES FOR ELECTRICAL SYSTEMS

### PART 1 - GENERAL

#### 1.1 SUMMARY

- A. Section Includes:
1. Type EMT-S raceways and elbows.
  2. Type ERMC-S raceways, elbows, couplings, and nipples.
  3. Type FMC-S.
  4. Type IMC raceways.
  5. Type LFMC raceways.
  6. Fittings for conduit, tubing, and cable.
  7. Metallic outlet boxes, and covers.
  8. Termination boxes.
  9. Junction boxes, and pull boxes.

#### 1.2 ACTION SUBMITTALS

- A. Product Data: For the following:
1. Conductors.
  2. Cutout boxes.

### PART 2 - PRODUCTS

#### 2.1 TYPE EMT-S RACEWAYS AND ELBOWS

- A. Steel Electrical Metal Tubing (EMT-S) and Elbows:
1. Manufacturers: Provide one of the following:
    - a. Allied Tube and Conduit, Atkore International
    - b. Emerson Electric Co.
    - c. Wheatland Tube, Zekelman Industries
    - d. Western Tube, Zekelman Industries
  2. Applicable Standards:
    - a. Regulatory Requirements: Listed and labeled in accordance with NFPA 70 and marked for intended location and use.
    - b. General Characteristics:
      - 1) Reference Standards: UL 797 and UL Category Control Number FJMX.
      - 2) Material: Steel.
      - 3) Exterior Coating: **Zinc**.
    - c. Options:

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- 1) Minimum Trade Size: **3/4 inch.**

### 2.2 TYPE ERM-C-S RACEWAYS, ELBOWS, COUPLINGS, AND NIPPLES

#### A. Galvanized-Steel Electrical Rigid Metal Conduit (ERM-C-S-G), Elbows, Couplings, and Nipples:

1. Manufacturers: Provide one of the following:
  - a. Killark, Hubbell Incorporated
  - b. Allied Tube and Conduit, Atkore International
  - c. Emerson Electric Co.
  - d. Wheatland Tube, Zekelman Industries
  - e. Western Tube, Zekelman Industries
2. Applicable Standards:
  - a. Regulatory Requirements: Listed and labeled in accordance with NFPA 70 and marked for intended location and use.
  - b. General Characteristics:
    - 1) Reference Standards: UL 6 and UL Category Control Number DYIX.
    - 2) Exterior Coating: Zinc.
    - 3) Interior Coating: Zinc with organic top coating or Zinc .
  - c. Options:
    - 1) Minimum Trade Size: **3/4 inch.**

### 2.3 TYPE FMC-S RACEWAYS

#### A. Steel Flexible Metal Conduit (FMC-S):

1. Manufacturers: Provide one of the following:
  - a. ABB, Electrification Products Division
  - b. Electri Flex Company
  - c. Topaz lighting and Electric
2. Applicable Standards:
  - a. Regulatory Requirements: Listed and labeled in accordance with NFPA 70 and marked for intended location and use.
  - b. General Characteristics:
    - 1) Reference Standard: UL 1 and UL Category Control Number DXUZ.
    - 2) Material: Steel.
  - c. Options:
    - 1) Minimum Trade Size: **3/4 inch.**

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### 2.4 TYPE IMC RACEWAYS

- A. Steel Electrical Intermediate Metal Conduit (IMC):
1. Manufacturers: Provide one of the following:
    - a. ABB, Electrification Products Division
    - b. Allied Tube and Conduit, Atkore International
    - c. Western Tube, Zekelman Industries
    - d. Wheatland Tube, Zekelman Industries
  2. Applicable Standards:
    - a. Regulatory Requirements: Listed and labeled in accordance with NFPA 70 and marked for intended location and use.
    - b. General Characteristics:
      - 1) Reference Standard: UL 1242 and UL Category Control Number DYBY.
      - 2) Exterior Coating: Zinc.
      - 3) Interior Coating: Zinc with organic top coating or Zinc.
    - c. Options:
      - 1) Minimum Trade Size: **3/4 inch.**

### 2.5 TYPE LFMC RACEWAYS

- A. Steel Liquidtight Flexible Metal Conduit (LFMC-S):
1. Manufacturers: Provide one of the following:
    - a. ABB, Electrification Products Division
    - b. Electri-Flex Company
    - c. International Metal Hose
  2. Applicable Standards:
    - a. Regulatory Requirements: Listed and labeled in accordance with NFPA 70 and marked for intended location and use.
    - b. General Characteristics:
      - 1) Reference Standard: UL 360 and UL Category Control Number DXHR.
      - 2) Material: Steel.
    - c. Options:
      - 1) Minimum Trade Size: **3/4 inch.**

### 2.6 FITTINGS FOR CONDUIT, TUBING, AND CABLE

- A. Fittings for Type ERMC and Type IMC Raceways:

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1. Manufacturers: Provide one of the following:
  - a. ABB, Electrification Product Division
  - b. Crouse-Hinds; Eaton, Electrical Sector
  - c. O-Z/Gedney; Emerson Electric Co.
  - d. Southwire Company
  
2. Applicable Standards:
  - a. Regulatory Requirements: Listed and labeled in accordance with NFPA 70 and marked for intended location and use.
  - b. General Characteristics:
    - 1) Reference Standards: UL 514B and UL Category Control Number DWTT.
    - 2) Material: **Steel** or **Die cast**.
    - 3) Coupling Method: Compression coupling or Setscrew coupling. Setscrew couplings with only single screw per conduit are unacceptable.
  - c. Options:
    - 1) Conduit Fittings for Hazardous (Classified) Locations: UL 1203.

### B. Fittings for Type EMT Raceways:

1. Manufacturers: Provide one of the following:
  - a. ABB, Electrification Product Division
  - b. Crouse-Hinds; Eaton, Electrical Sector
  - c. O-Z/Gedney; Emerson Electric Co.
  - d. Southwire Company
  - e. Allied Tubing & Conduit, Atkore International
  
2. Applicable Standards:
  - a. Regulatory Requirements: Listed and labeled in accordance with NFPA 70 and marked for intended location and use.
  - b. General Characteristics:
    - 1) Reference Standards: UL 514B and UL Category Control Number FKAV.
    - 2) Material: **Steel** or **Die cast**.
    - 3) Coupling Method: Compression coupling or Setscrew coupling. Setscrew couplings with only single screw per conduit are unacceptable.
  - c. Options:
    - 1) Conduit Fittings for Hazardous (Classified) Locations: UL 1203.
    - 2) Expansion and Deflection Fittings: UL 651 with flexible external bonding jumper.

### C. Fittings for Type FMC Raceways:

1. Manufacturers: Provide one of the following:
  - a. Southwire Company

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- b. American Fittings Corporation (AMFICO)
  - c. Liquid Tight Connector Co.
2. Applicable Standards:
- a. Regulatory Requirements: Listed and labeled in accordance with NFPA 70 and marked for intended location and use.
  - b. General Characteristics:
    - 1) Reference Standards: UL 514B and UL Category Control Number ILNR.

### 2.7 METALLIC DEVICE BOXES, AND COVERS

#### A. Metallic Conduit Bodies:

- 1. Description: Means for providing access to interior of conduit or tubing system through one or more removable covers at junction or terminal point. In the United States, conduit bodies are listed in accordance with outlet box requirements.
- 2. Manufacturers: Provide one of the following:
  - a. ABB, Electrification Product Division
  - b. Crouse-Hinds; Eaton, Electrical Sector
  - c. O-Z/Gedney; Emerson Electric Co.
  - d. Killark, Hubbell Incorporated
- 3. Applicable Standards:
  - a. Regulatory Requirements: Listed and labeled in accordance with 2017 NFPA 70 and marked for intended location and use.
  - b. General Characteristics:
    - 1) Reference Standards: UL 514A and UL Category Control Number QCIT.

### 2.8 TERMINATION BOXES

- A. Description: Enclosure for termination base consisting of lengths of bus bars, terminal strips, or terminal blocks with provision for wire connectors to accommodate incoming or outgoing conductors or both.
- B. Termination Boxes and Termination Bases for Installation on Load Side of Service Equipment:
  - 1. Manufacturers: Provide one of the following:
    - a. Square D, Schneider Electric USA
    - b. ABB, Electrification Product Division
    - c. Metron, Hubbell Incorporated,
    - d. B-Line, Eaton, Electrical Sector
  - 2. Applicable Standards:

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- a. Regulatory Requirements: Listed and labeled in accordance with 2017 NFPA 70 and marked for intended location and use.
- b. General Characteristics:
  - 1) Reference Standards: UL 1773 and UL Category Control Number XCKT.
  - 2) Listed and labeled for installation on load side of service equipment.

### 2.9 CUTOOUT BOXES, JUNCTION BOXES, AND PULL BOXES

#### A. Indoor Sheet Metal Junction and Pull Boxes:

- 1. Description: Box with a blank cover that serves the purpose of joining different runs of raceway or cable.
- 2. Manufacturer: Provide one of the following:
  - a. Square D, Schneider Electric USA
  - b. O-Z/Gedney; Emerson Electric Co.
  - c. Hubbel Industrial Controls, Hubbell Incorporated.
  - d. B-Line, Eaton, Electrical Sector
- 3. Applicable Standards:
  - a. Regulatory Requirements: Listed and labeled in accordance with NFPA 70 and marked for intended location and use.
  - b. General Characteristics:
    - 1) Reference Standards: UL Category Control Number BGUZ.
      - a) Non-Environmental Characteristics: UL 50.
      - b) Environmental Characteristics: UL 50E.
  - c. Options:
    - 1) Degree of Protection: **Type 1**.

#### B. Indoor Cast-Metal Junction and Pull Boxes:

- 1. Description: Box with a blank cover that serves the purpose of joining different runs of raceway or cable.
- 2. Manufacturers: Provide one of the following:
  - a. O-Z/Gedney; Emerson Electric Co.
  - b. Crouse-Hinds; Eaton, Electrical Sector
  - c. EGS; Emerson Electric Co.
- 3. Applicable Standards:
  - a. Regulatory Requirements: Listed and labeled in accordance with NFPA 70 and marked for intended location and use.
  - b. General Characteristics:
    - 1) Reference Standards: UL Category Control Number BGUZ.

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- a) Non-Environmental Characteristics: UL 50.
- b) Environmental Characteristics: UL 50E.
- c. Options:
  - 1) Degree of Protection: **Type 1**.

### PART 3 - EXECUTION

#### 3.1 SELECTION OF RACEWAYS

- A. Unless more stringent requirements are specified in Contract Documents or manufacturers' written instructions, comply with NFPA 70 for selection of raceways. Consult Engineer for resolution of conflicting requirements.
- B. Indoors:
  - 1. Exposed and Subject to Physical Damage: **ERMC** or **IMC**. Raceway locations include the following:
    - a. Mechanical rooms.
  - 2. Exposed, Not Subject to Physical Damage: **IMC** and EMT.
  - 3. Connection to Vibrating Equipment (Including Hydraulic, Electric Solenoid, or Motor-Driven Equipment): **FMC**.
- C. Raceway Fittings: Select fittings in accordance with NEMA FB 2.10 guidelines.
  - 1. ERMC and IMC: Provide threaded type fittings unless otherwise indicated.

#### 3.2 SELECTION OF BOXES AND ENCLOSURES

- A. Unless more stringent requirements are specified in Contract Documents or manufacturers' written instructions, comply with NFPA 70 for selection of boxes and enclosures. Consult Architect for resolution of conflicting requirements.
- B. Degree of Protection:
  - 1. Indoors:
    - a. Type 1 unless otherwise indicated.
- C. Exposed Boxes Installed Less Than **6.5 ft.** Above Floor:
  - 1. Provide cast-metal boxes.
  - 2. Provide exposed cover. Flat covers with angled mounting slots or knockouts are prohibited.

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### 3.3 INSTALLATION OF RACEWAYS

#### A. Installation Standards:

1. Unless more stringent requirements are specified in Contract Documents or manufacturers' written instructions, comply with NFPA 70 for installation of raceways. Consult Architect for resolution of conflicting requirements.
2. Comply with NECA NEIS 101 for installation of steel raceways.
3. Install raceways square to the enclosure and terminate at enclosures without hubs with locknuts on both sides of enclosure wall. Install locknuts hand tight, plus one-quarter turn more.
4. Terminate threaded conduits into threaded hubs or with locknuts on inside and outside of boxes or cabinets. Install bushings on conduits up to **1-1/4 inch** trade size and insulated throat metal bushings on **1-1/2 inch** trade size and larger conduits terminated with locknuts..
5. Raceway Terminations at Locations Subject to Moisture or Vibration:

#### B. General Requirements for Installation of Raceways:

1. Complete raceway installation before starting conductor installation.
2. Install no more than equivalent of three 90-degree bends in conduit run **except for control wiring conduits, for which no more than equivalent of two 90-degree fewer bends are permitted**]. Support within **12 inch** of changes in direction.
3. Make bends in raceway using large-radius preformed ells except for parallel bends. Field bending must be in accordance with NFPA 70 minimum radii requirements. Provide only equipment specifically designed for material and size involved.
4. Support conduit within **12 inch** of enclosures to which attached.
5. Install raceway sealing fittings at accessible locations in accordance with 2017 NFPA 70 and fill them with listed sealing compound. For concealed raceways, install fitting in flush steel box with blank cover plate having finish similar to that of adjacent plates or surfaces. Install raceway sealing fittings in accordance with NFPA 70.
6. Keep raceways at least **6 inch** away from parallel runs of hot-water pipes. Install horizontal raceway runs above water piping.
7. Cut conduit perpendicular to the length. For conduits **2 inch** trade size and larger, use roll cutter or a guide to make cut straight and perpendicular to the length. Ream inside of conduit to remove burrs.
8. Install pull wires in empty raceways. Provide polypropylene or monofilament plastic line with not less than **200 lb** tensile strength. Leave at least **12 inch** of slack at both ends of pull wire.

#### C. Requirements for Installation of Specific Raceway Types:

1. Types ERM and IMC:
  - a. Threaded Conduit Joints, Exposed to Wet, Damp, or Corrosive: Apply listed compound that maintains electrical conductivity to threads of raceway and fittings before making up joints. Follow compound manufacturer's written instructions.
2. Types FMC:



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- a. Comply with NEMA RV 3. Provide a maximum of **36 inch** of flexible conduit for equipment subject to vibration, noise transmission, or movement; and for motors.
- D. Raceway Fittings: Install fittings in accordance with NEMA FB 2.10 guidelines.
  - 1. EMT: Provide **setscrew** or **compression, steel** or **cast-metal** fittings. Comply with NEMA FB 2.10.
  - 2. Flexible Conduit: Provide only fittings listed for use with flexible conduit type. Comply with NEMA FB 2.20.

### 3.4 INSTALLATION OF BOXES AND ENCLOSURES

- A. Provide boxes in wiring and raceway systems wherever required for pulling of wires, making connections, and mounting of devices or fixtures.
- B. Fasten junction and pull boxes to, or support from, building structure. Do not support boxes by conduits.
- C. Do not install aluminum boxes, enclosures, or fittings in contact with concrete or earth.
- D. Do not rely on locknuts to penetrate nonconductive coatings on enclosures. Remove coatings in the locknut area prior to assembling conduit to enclosure to ensure a continuous ground path.

### 3.5 PROTECTION

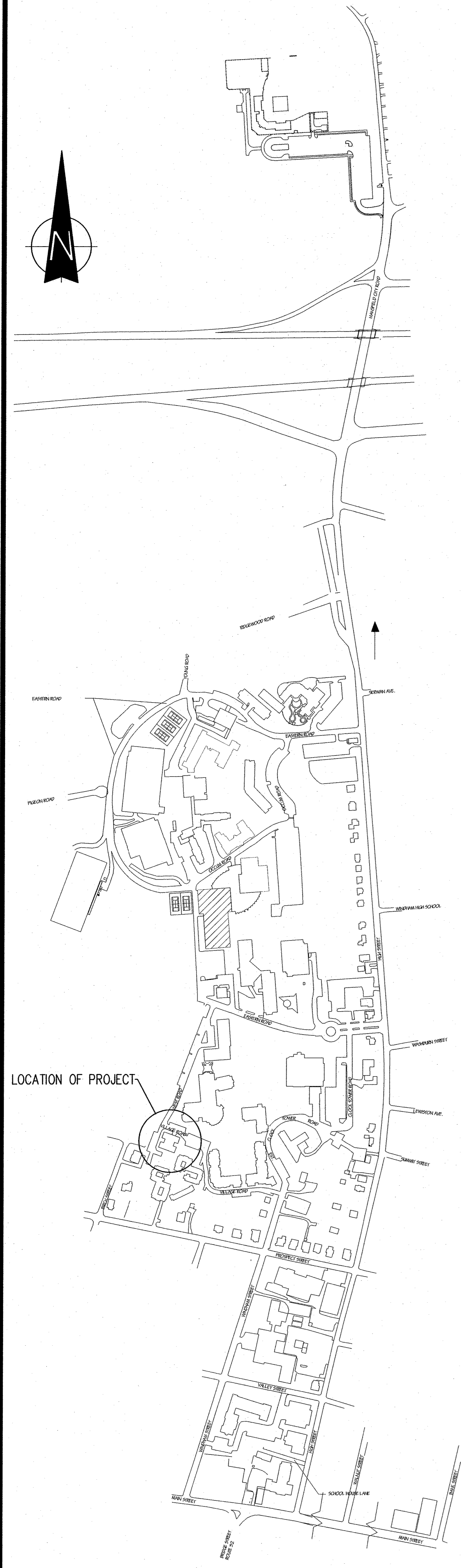
- A. Protect coatings, finishes, and cabinets from damage and deterioration.
  - 1. Repair damage to galvanized finishes with zinc-rich paint recommended by manufacturer.

### 3.6 CLEANING

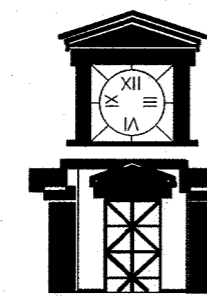
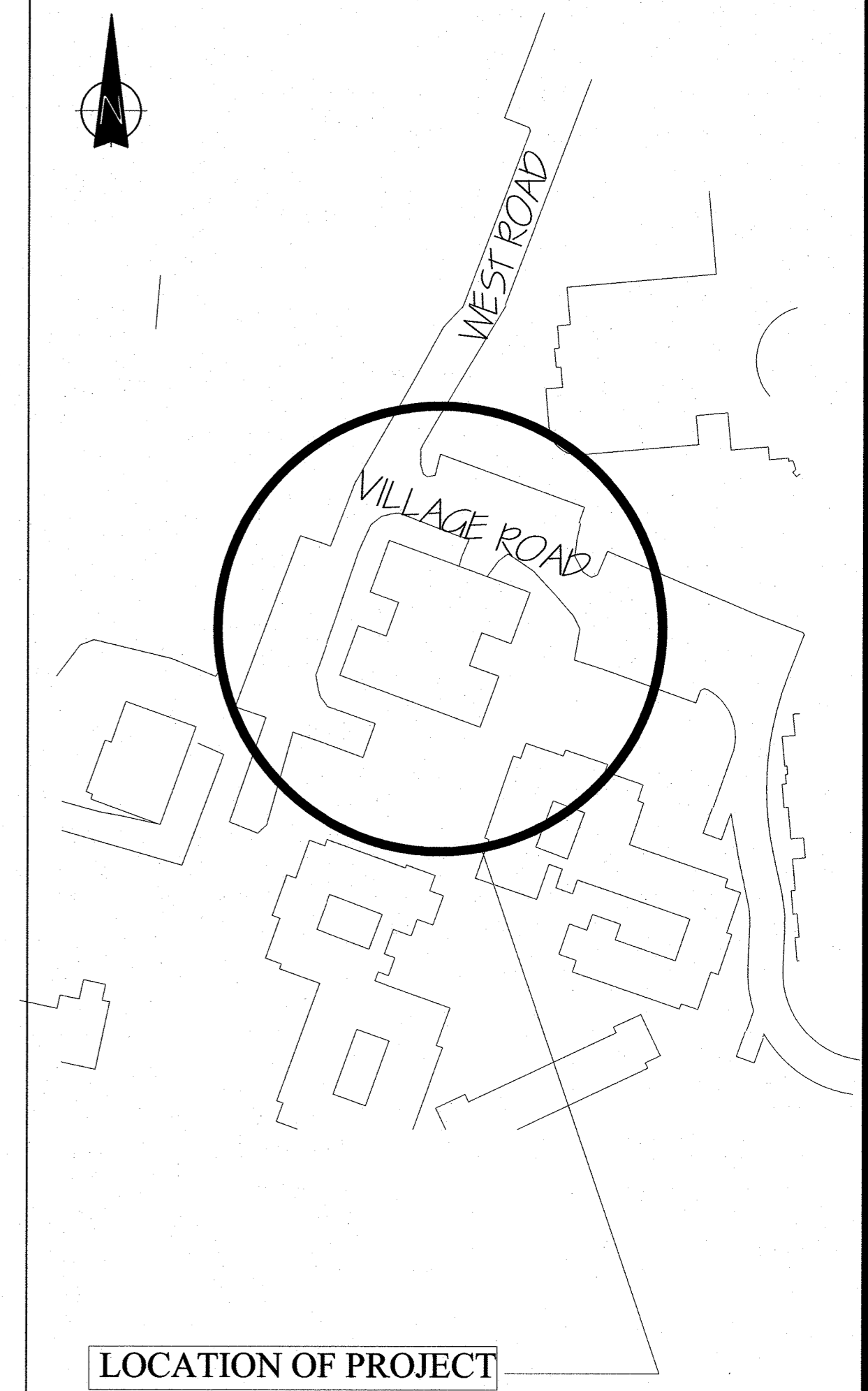
- A. Boxes: Remove construction dust and debris from device boxes,, covers, and hoods.

END OF SECTION 260533

SITE PLAN



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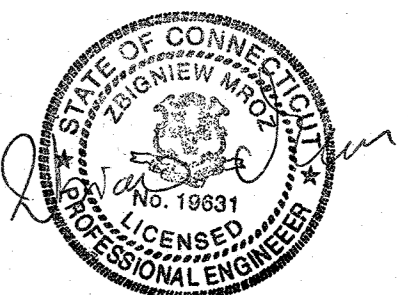
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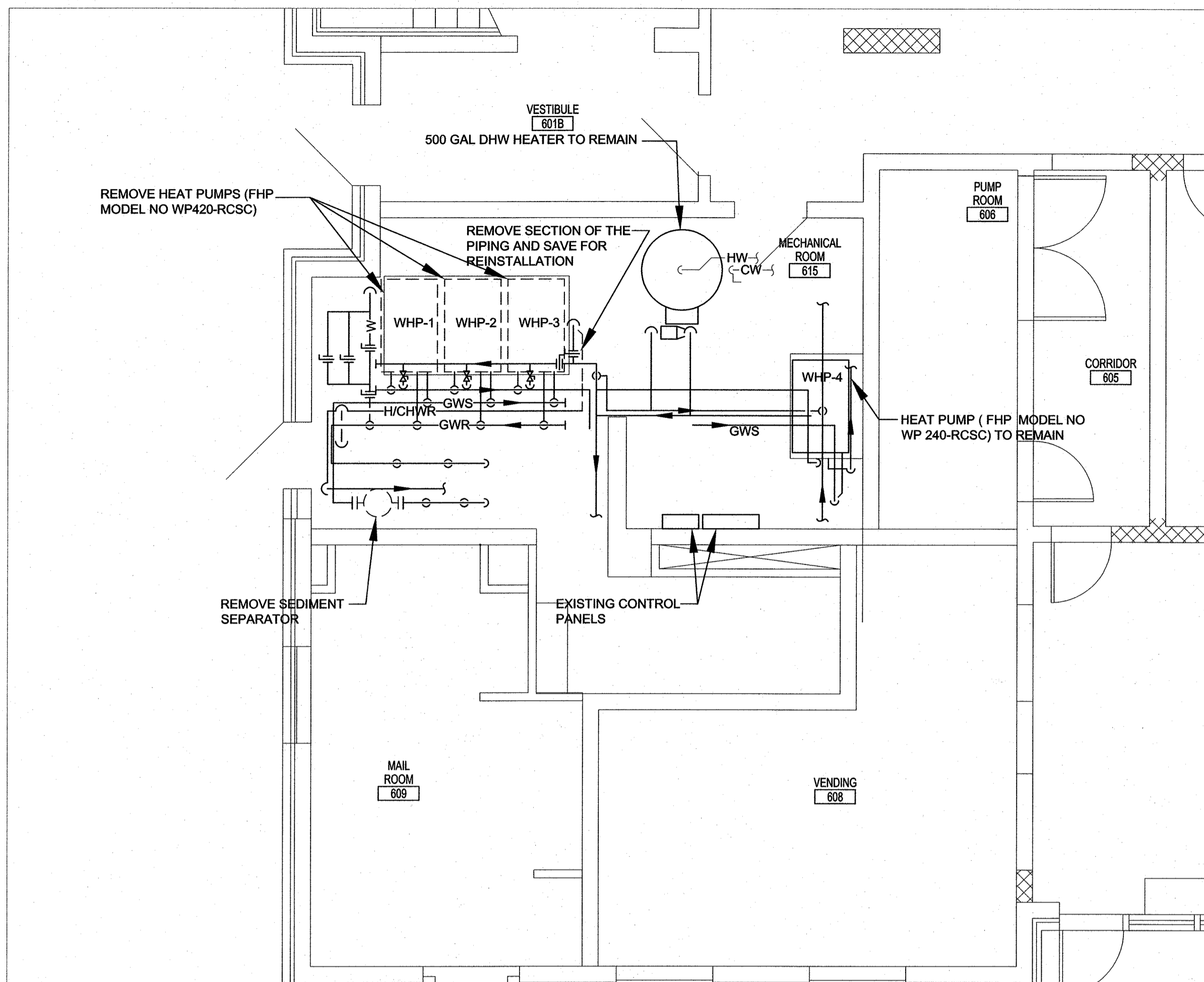
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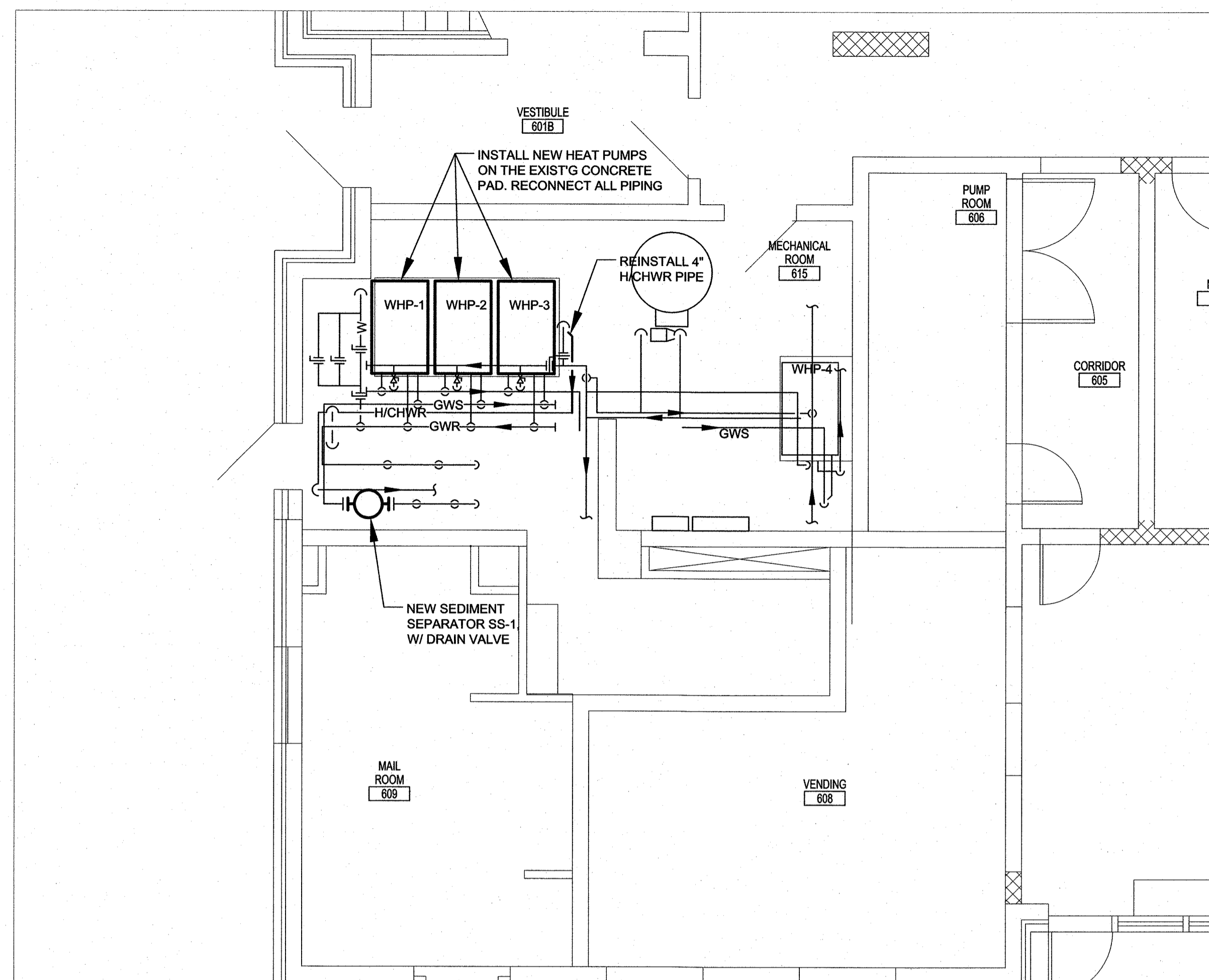
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- E-1 ELECTRICAL PLANS





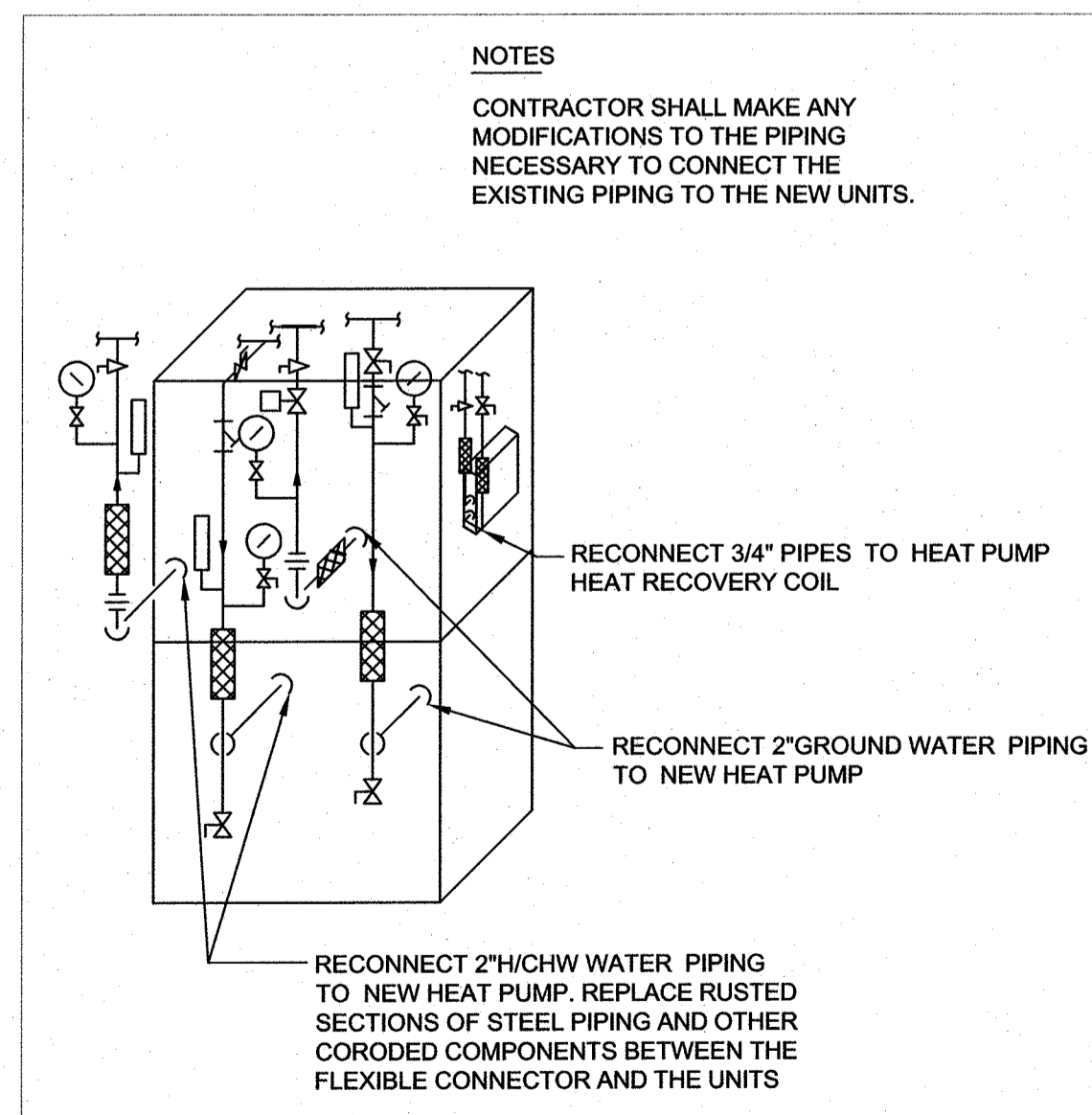
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**HVAC LEGEND**

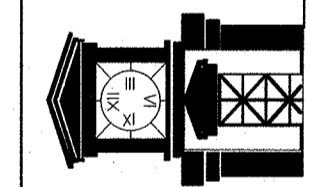
- H/CHWS - HEATING CHILLED WATER SUPPLY PIPE
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- GWS - GROUND WATER SUPPLY PIPE
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- HWS - DOMESTIC HOT WATER PIPE
- HWR - DOMESTIC COLD WATER PIPE
- W - WASTE PIPE
- ↓ - PIPE DOWN
- ↑ - PIPE UP
- △ - PIPE REDUCER
- EX - EXISTING
- ⊗ - BALL VALVE
- ⊞ - BUTTERFLY VALVE
- ⊞ - THERMOSTAT
- ⊞ - PRESSURE GAGE
- ⊞ - FLEXIBLE CONNECTOR
- ⊞ - TEMPERATURE SENSOR
- ⊞ - FLOW SWITCH
- HP - HORSEPOWER
- BHP - BRAKE HORSEPOWER
- RPM - REVOLUTION PER MINUTE
- MBH - THOUSAND BTU PER HOUR
- GPM - GALLONS PER MINUTE
- F - DEG FARENHEIT
- EAT - ENTERING AIR TEMPERATURE
- LAT - LEAVING AIR TEMPERATURE
- EWT - ENTERING WATER TEMPERATURE
- LWT - LEAVING WATER TEMPERATURE
- DHW - DOMESTIC HOT WATER



**HEAT PUMP PIPING DIAGRAM**  
SCALE: NTS

UNIT TAG	LOCATION	MANUFACTURER	MODEL NO.	COOLING CAPACITY MBH	SCHEDULE OF WATER TO WATER HEAT PUMP																OPER WEIGHT LB	FEATURES AND ACCESSORIES						
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WHP-4	MECH. RM	NOT INCLUDED OF THIS PROJECT																										

SCHEDULE OF SEPARATOR				
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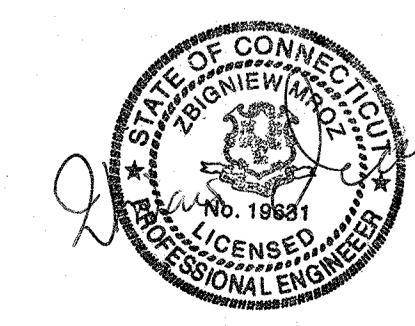
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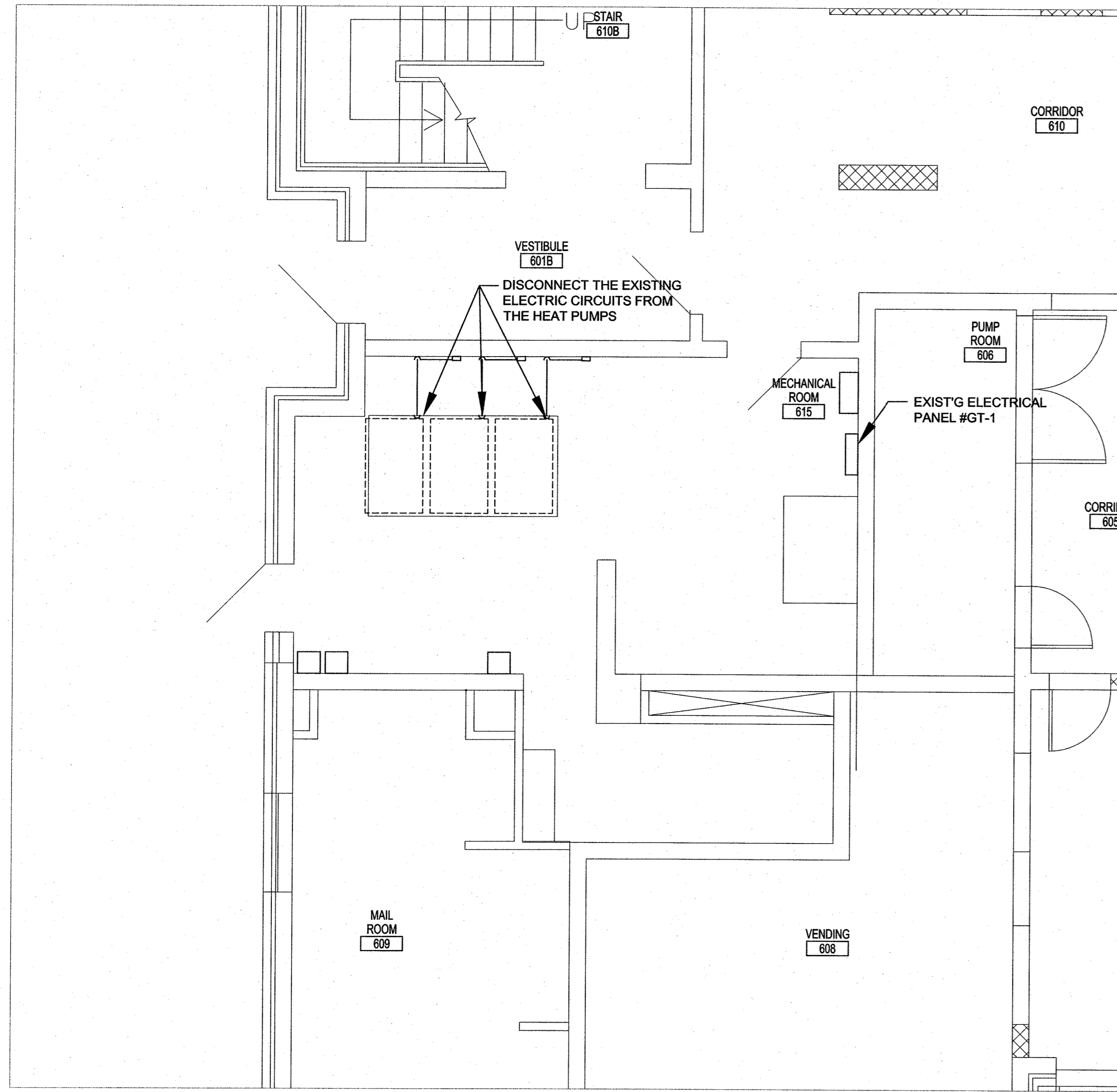
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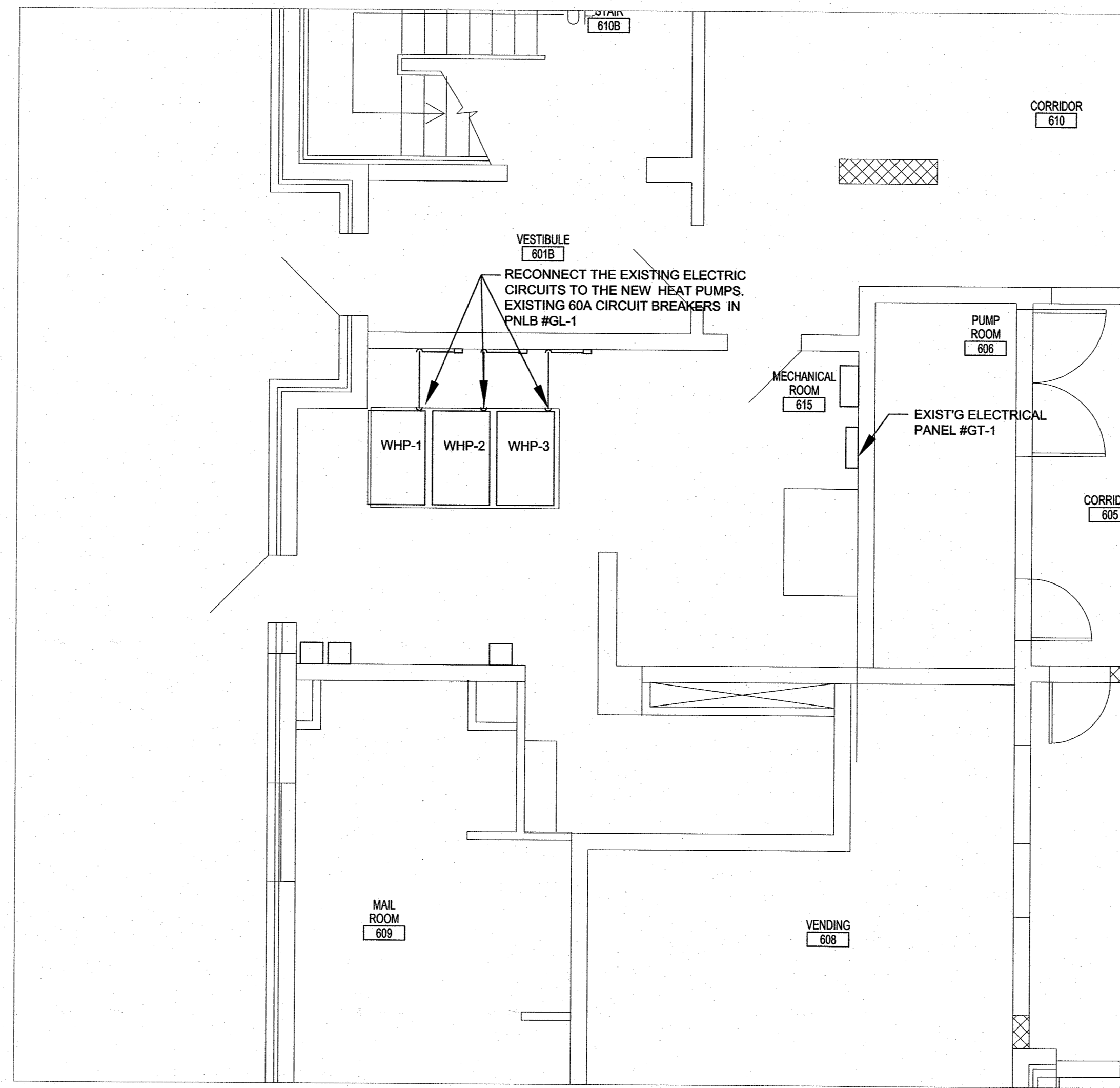
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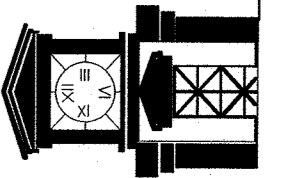
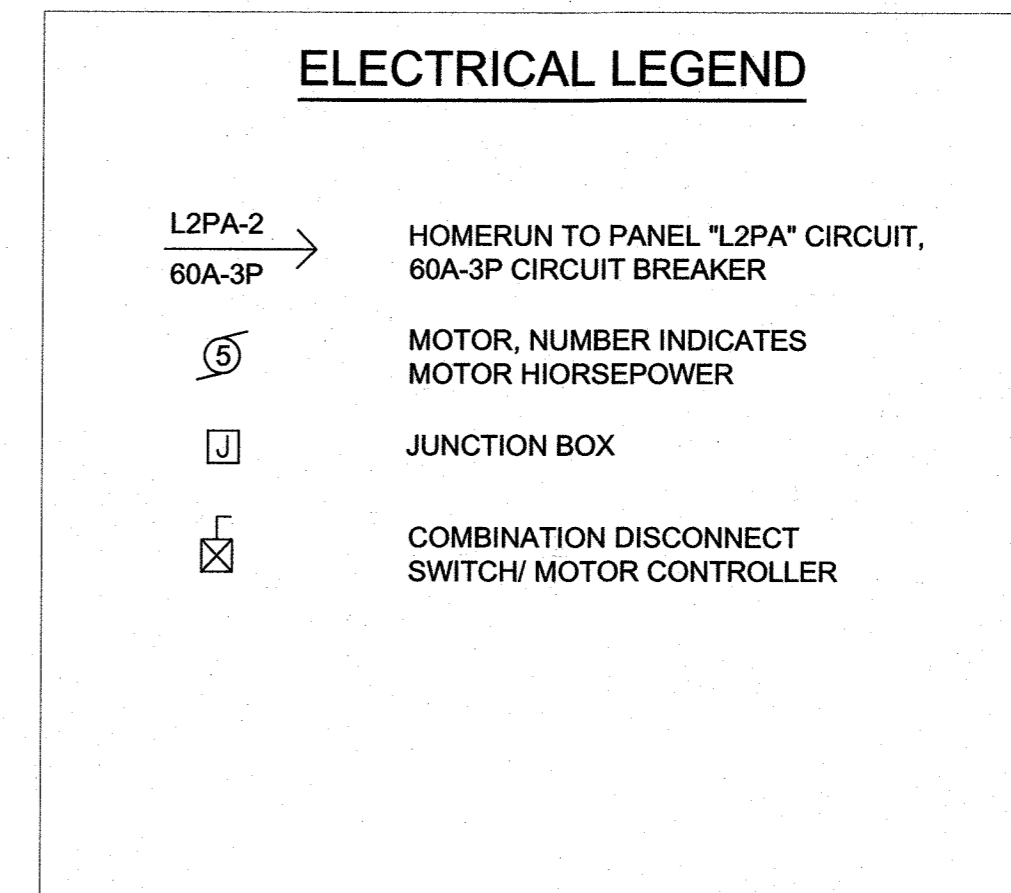




**PARTIAL 1 ST FLOOR ELECTRICAL DEMOLITION PLAN**  
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**PARTIAL 1 ST FLOOR POWER PLAN**  
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