#### SPECIAL COUNSEL AGREEMENT

THIS SPECIAL COUNSEL AGREEMENT ("Agreement") is made between the CITY AND COUNTY OF DENVER, a home rule municipal corporation of the State of Colorado ("City") and SQUIRE PATTON BOGGS (US) LLP, an Ohio limited liability partnership with its principal place of business located at 127 Public Square, Key Tower, Cleveland, Ohio 44114 ("Special Counsel"), collectively "the Parties."

In consideration of the mutual agreements contained in this Agreement, and subject to the terms and conditions stated in this Agreement, the Parties agree as follows:

provide professional legal services, as provided by Subtitle B of the Denver City Charter at section 6.1.2 and in conformance with the Colorado Rules of Professional Conduct, to serve as environmental counsel legal support to the City, and other legal matters and services, as necessary and directed by the City Attorney. Carolyn McIntosh, Esq., shall serve as lead attorney for Special Counsel and shall direct the provision of services under this Agreement. Special Counsel shall supply the City with a copy of all pleadings, motions, briefs, interrogatories, requests for admissions, requests for production of documents, memoranda, orders and judgments of the court or arbitrator, contracts, agreements, memoranda, or other documents prepared by Special Counsel or any subcontractor hired by Special Counsel under this Agreement. Special Counsel agrees that the City Attorney, or the City Attorney's designated representative, shall have final authority over the use of all documents to be prepared in the above matters.

#### 2. **COORDINATION WITH DEPARTMENT OF LAW:**

- Lise of City Personnel and Coordination. To provide the best possible legal representation and reduce costs and expenses, Special Counsel agrees whenever possible to utilize the staff of the City Attorney's Office, together with other City personnel. As directed by the City Attorney, or her designee, Special Counsel agrees to utilize and coordinate with any consultant retained by the City on matters related to Special Counsel's work. Special Counsel acknowledges that one or more Assistant City Attorneys will be assigned to provide additional legal representation to the City on certain matters. Special Counsel shall submit to the City for approval: budgets, work plans, and case plans in such form as may be required by the City's Department of Law and in accordance with the Special Counsel Billing Requirements reflected in Exhibit A.
- **B.** <u>Communication Regarding Significant Developments</u>. Special Counsel shall promptly advise the City Attorney, or her designee, in writing of any significant developments

in a matter. Unless a court appearance, settlement conference, or other important event is scheduled less than 72 hours in advance, Special Counsel shall notify the City Attorney, or her designee, of such events at least 72 hours in advance (or within such other time as the City Attorney, or her designee, may agree to) to enable City representatives to attend or participate, if appropriate. When a court appearance, settlement discussion or other important event is scheduled less than 72 hours in advance, Special Counsel shall notify the City Attorney, or her designee, as early as is practicable.

- C. <u>City's Settlement Authority</u>. Special Counsel may not make any offers of settlement without the prior written approval of the City Attorney, or her designee. Special Counsel shall immediately convey all offers of settlement to the City Attorney, or her designee. The City Attorney, or her designee, has the final authority in making determinations concerning offers of settlement.
- **D.** Review of Drafts for Litigation Matters. Special Counsel shall provide the City Attorney, or her designee, with drafts of all significant pleadings or other documents that Special Counsel intends to provide to, or file with, a court or a government agency that may potentially affect the disposition of a matter at least 72 hours before such documents are filed or submitted, or such other time as the City Attorney, or her designee, may agree to.
- **E.** <u>Copies of Documents</u>. Special Counsel shall provide the City Attorney, or her designee, with copies of all filed documents, pleadings, discovery responses, key correspondence, and other documents as the City Attorney, or her designee, may request. Additionally, Special Counsel shall provide the City Attorney, or her designee, with electronic copies of all final memoranda, briefs, and other work product produced in the case or matter at the end of the engagement. Special Counsel shall provide electronic documents for each matter in the format requested by the City Attorney, or her designee.
- during the performance of services under this Agreement, including, without limitation, all finished or unfinished documents, research, pleadings, memoranda, briefs, data, studies, surveys, drawings, manuals, maps, models, photographs, and reports shall be available to the City upon request. Such materials shall be the exclusive property of the City. All such materials shall be retained by Special Counsel in accordance with Rule 1.16A of the Colorado Rules of Professional Conduct, but otherwise for no less than a period of seven (7) years from the conclusion of each matter. At the end of this retention term, the City shall be notified and given sixty (60) days to reclaim such materials prior to destruction by Special Counsel. At all times during the retention term, the City Attorney, or her designee, shall have access to all such materials within 24 hours of

a request.

3. **TERM:** The Agreement will commence on May 6, 2019 and will expire on

July 1, 2020 (the "Term").

4. **PAYMENT OF FEES:** 

> A. The City shall pay to Special Counsel, and Special Counsel agrees to

accept as full payment fees not to exceed Five Hundred Thousand Dollars and 00/100 Cents

(\$500,000.00), which shall be paid from time to time on the basis of monthly statements rendered

by Special Counsel to the City in accordance with Section 5 and the Billing Requirements set forth

in Exhibit A.

В. **Fees.** Special Counsel shall be paid at the following rates, in accordance

with the Billing Requirements set forth in **Exhibit A**:

Attorneys: \$440/hour

Paralegals: \$220/hour

In no case shall the hourly rates billed for attorneys and paralegals exceed Five Hundred

Thousand Dollars and 00/100 Cents (\$500,000.00).

C. **Expenses and Costs:** Any expenses or costs must be approved in

accordance with the Billing Requirements set forth in **Exhibit A**.

D. **Maximum Contract Amount:** 

**(1)** Notwithstanding any other provision of the Agreement, including any

exhibits or appendices, the City's maximum payment obligation is **Five** 

Hundred Thousand Dollars and 00/100 Cents (\$500,000.00), (the

"Maximum Contract Amount"). The City is not obligated to execute an

Agreement or any amendments for any further services, including any

services performed by Special Counsel beyond that specifically stated

herein.

(2) The City's payment obligation, whether direct or contingent,

extends only to funds appropriated annually by the Denver City Council,

paid into the Treasury of the City, and encumbered for the purpose of the

Agreement. The City does not by the Agreement irrevocably pledge

present cash reserves for payment or performance in future fiscal years.

The Agreement does not and is not intended to create a multiple-fiscal

year direct or indirect debt or financial obligation of the City.

- 5. **STATEMENT OF SERVICES RENDERED:** The Special Counsel shall submit to the City a monthly invoice, in accordance with this Section 5 and the Billing Requirements set forth in Exhibit A, describing all services rendered and costs incurred by Special Counsel under this Agreement for the period covered by said invoice in such format as designated by the City Attorney or her designee. Each such invoice shall contain the following information as applicable to the nature of each matter: case number; name or title of the matter; a unique invoice number; Special Counsel's taxpayer identification number; the date and nature of the services rendered; the name of the City Attorney's designee overseeing the matter; Special Counsel's billing contact; the name and position of the provider of such service; the time period covered by the invoice; the date the invoice is issued; and for hourly rate billing: the specific dates of the services, the names of the persons who performed the services billed, their respective hourly rates, the amount of time, in hours and tenths or fractions of hours, attributable to each such service, the total for each line entry, and the total number of hours billed to the City for the period covered by the invoice. All invoices shall reference the Contract Control number of this Agreement as designated below on the City's signature page. The City reserves the right to require such additional documentation as it deems appropriate to support the monthly invoice of Special Counsel. Any questions regarding the eligibility of a fee, expense, or cost must be resolved in writing by the City prior to the incurrence of such expense by Special Counsel. Invoices are confidential attorney-client privileged documents and shall remain as such until and unless otherwise directed by the City Attorney, or her designee. The City shall use its best efforts to pay invoices within thirty (30) days of receipt. The Special Counsel shall attach to all invoices and billings provided hereunder a completed copy of the Invoice Review document, a blank copy of which is attached as **Appendix 1** of **Exhibit A** and incorporated by reference. The City reserves the right to require such additional documentation as it deems appropriate to support the monthly invoice of Special Counsel. All invoices shall be submitted to the City Attorney's Office Administrative Billing Team at <u>CAOAdminBilling@denvergov.org</u>.
- 6. STATUS OF SPECIAL COUNSEL: The status of the Special Counsel under this Agreement shall be that of licensed attorneys at law, providing professional legal services to the City under this Agreement, and neither Special Counsel nor its agents or personnel shall be considered employees of the City for any purpose whatsoever.
- 7. **TERMINATION:** The City may terminate this Agreement at any time, with or without cause. Termination shall be subject to Court consent, if such consent is required. If the Special Counsel's services are terminated, it shall be paid only for that portion of services

satisfactorily completed in accordance with this Agreement at the time of notice of such action.

8. **EXAMINATION OF RECORDS:** Any authorized agent of the City, including the City Auditor or his or her representative, has the right to access and the right to examine any pertinent books, documents, papers and records of the Special Counsel, involving transactions related to the Agreement until the latter of three (3) years after the final payment under the Agreement or expiration of the applicable statute of limitations.

Special Counsel acknowledges that information created or exchanged in the course of representation of a governmental entity, such as the City, may be subject to state or local laws regarding public records, including the Colorado Open Records Act ("CORA") and the Colorado Criminal Justice Records Act ("CCJRA"). Special Counsel is responsible for understanding relevant public records laws and for taking appropriate precautions to identify confidential information, including information protected by the attorney-client privilege or attorney work product protection. Special Counsel also agrees to assist the City in responding to public records requests that apply to information in Special Counsel's possession.

- 9. <u>CONTACT WITH MEDIA</u>: Special Counsel is not authorized to comment publicly on any City matters, to issue statements or press releases, or to disclose to the media any facts related to a matter Special Counsel is handling without the prior written approval of the City Attorney, or her designee. Special Counsel shall refer any media inquiries to the City Attorney, or her designee. Special Counsel shall cooperate with the City regarding requests for information from the media and, if requested by the City Attorney, or her designee, shall assist with responses to media inquiries.
- 10. WHEN RIGHTS AND REMEDIES NOT WAIVED: In no event will any payment or other action by the City constitute or be construed to be a waiver by the City of any breach of covenant or default that may then exist on the part of the Special Counsel. No payment, other action, or inaction by the City when any breach or default exists will impair or prejudice any right or remedy available to it with respect to any breach or default. No assent, expressed or implied, to any breach of any term of the Agreement constitutes a waiver of any other breach.

#### 11. **INSURANCE**:

A. <u>General Conditions</u>: Special Counsel agrees to secure, at or before the time of execution of this Agreement, the following insurance covering all operations, goods or services provided pursuant to this Agreement. Special Counsel shall keep the required insurance coverage in force at all times during the term of the Agreement, or any extension thereof,

during any warranty period, and for three (3) years after termination of the Agreement. The required insurance shall be underwritten by an insurer licensed or authorized to do business in Colorado and rated by A.M. Best Company as "A-"VIII or better. Each policy shall contain a valid provision or endorsement requiring notification to the City in the event any of the required policies be canceled or non-renewed before the expiration date thereof. Such written notice shall be sent to the Parties identified in the Notices section of this Agreement. Such notice shall reference the City contract number listed on the signature page of this Agreement. Said notice shall be sent thirty (30) days prior to such cancellation or non-renewal unless due to non-payment of premiums for which notice shall be sent ten (10) days prior. If such written notice is unavailable from the insurer, contractor shall provide written notice of cancellation, nonrenewal and any reduction in coverage to the Parties identified in the Notices section by certified mail, return receipt requested within three (3) business days of such notice by its insurer(s) and referencing the City's contract number. If any policy is in excess of a deductible or selfinsured retention, the City must be notified by the Special Counsel. Special Counsel shall be responsible for the payment of any deductible or self-insured retention. The insurance coverages specified in this Agreement are the minimum requirements, and these requirements do not lessen or limit the liability of the Special Counsel. The Special Counsel shall maintain, at its own expense, any additional kinds or amounts of insurance that it may deem necessary to cover its obligations and liabilities under this Agreement.

# **B.** Proof of Insurance – Workers' Compensation and Professional Liability: Special Counsel shall provide a copy of this Agreement to its insurance agent or broker. Special Counsel may not commence services or work relating to the Agreement prior to placement of coverage. Special Counsel certifies that the certificate of insurance attached as **Exhibit B**, preferably an ACORD certificate, complies with all insurance requirements of this Agreement. Acceptance of a certificate of insurance or other proof of insurance that does not comply with all insurance requirements set forth in this Agreement shall not act as a waiver of Special Counsel's breach of this Agreement or of any of the City's rights or remedies under this Agreement. The City's Risk Management Office may require additional proof of insurance, including but not limited to policies and endorsements.

- C. <u>Additional Insureds</u>: For Commercial General Liability, Special Counsel and subcontractor's insurer(s) shall name the City and County of Denver, its elected and appointed officials, employees and volunteers as additional insureds.
- **D.** <u>Waiver of Subrogation</u>: For all coverages, Special Counsel's insurer shall waive subrogation rights against the City.

- E. <u>Subcontractors and Subconsultants</u>: All subcontractors and subconsultants (including independent contractors, suppliers or other entities providing goods or services required by this Agreement) shall be subject to all of the requirements herein and shall procure and maintain the same coverages required of the Special Counsel. Special Counsel shall include all such subcontractors as additional insured under its policies (with the exception of Workers' Compensation) or shall ensure that all such subcontractors and subconsultants maintain the required coverages. Special Counsel agrees to provide proof of insurance for all such subcontractors and subconsultants upon request by the City.
- Counsel shall maintain the coverage as required by statute for each work location and shall maintain Employer's Liability insurance with limits of \$100,000 per occurrence for each bodily injury claim, \$100,000 per occurrence for each bodily injury caused by disease claim, and \$500,000 aggregate for all bodily injuries caused by disease claims. Special Counsel expressly represents to the City, as a material representation upon which the City is relying in entering into this Agreement, that none of the Special Counsel's officers or employees who may be eligible under any statute or law to reject Workers' Compensation Insurance shall effect such rejection during any part of the term of this Agreement, and that any such rejections previously effected, have been revoked as of the date Special Counsel executes this Agreement.
- **G.** <u>Commercial General Liability</u>: Special Counsel shall maintain a Commercial General Liability insurance policy with limits of \$1,000,000 for each occurrence, \$1,000,000 for each personal and advertising injury claim, \$2,000,000 products and completed operations aggregate, and \$2,000,000 policy aggregate.
- **H. Professional Liability**: Special Counsel shall maintain professional liability limits of \$1,000,000.00 per claim and \$1,000,000.00 aggregate policy limit.

#### I. Additional Provisions:

- (1) For Commercial General Liability, the policies must provide the following:
  - a) That this Agreement is an Insured Contract under the policy;
  - b) Defense costs are in excess of policy limits;
- c) A severability of interests or separation of insureds provision (no insured vs. insured exclusion); and
- d) A provision that coverage is primary and non-contributory with other coverage or self-insurance maintained by the City.
  - (2) For claims-made coverage:

- a) The retroactive date must be on or before the contract date or the first date when any goods or services were provided to the City, whichever is earlier
- b) Special Counsel shall advise the City in the event any general aggregate or other aggregate limits are reduced below the required per occurrence limits.
- (3) At their own expense, and where such general aggregate or other aggregate limits have been reduced below the required per occurrence limit, the Special Counsel will procure such per occurrence limits and furnish a new certificate of insurance showing such coverage is in force.

#### 12. <u>DEFENSE AND INDEMNIFICATION</u>:

- A. Special Counsel agrees to defend, indemnify, and hold harmless City, its appointed and elected officials, agents and employees against all liabilities, claims, judgments, suits or demands for damages to persons or property arising out of, resulting from, or relating to the work performed under this Agreement ("Claims"), unless such Claims shall have been specifically determined by the trier of fact to be due to the sole negligence or willful misconduct of the City. This indemnity shall be interpreted in the broadest possible manner to indemnify City for any acts or omissions of Special Counsel or its subcontractors either passive or active, irrespective of fault, including City's concurrent negligence whether active or passive, except for the sole negligence or willful misconduct of City.
- **B.** Special Counsel's duty to defend and indemnify City shall arise at the time written notice of the Claim is first provided to City regardless of whether Claimant has filed suit on the Claim. Special Counsel's duty to defend and indemnify City shall arise even if City is the only party sued by Claimant and/or Claimant alleges that City's negligence or willful misconduct was the sole cause of Claimant's damages.
- C. Special Counsel will defend any and all Claims brought or threatened against City, and will pay on behalf of City, any expenses incurred by reason of such Claims including, but not limited to, court costs and attorney fees incurred in defending and investigating such Claims or seeking to enforce this indemnity obligation. Such payments on behalf of City shall be in addition to any other legal remedies available to City and shall not be considered City's exclusive remedy.
- **D.** Insurance coverage requirements specified in this Agreement shall in no way lessen or limit the liability of the Special Counsel under the terms of this indemnification obligation. The Special Counsel shall obtain, at its own expense, any additional insurance that it deems necessary for the City's protection.

- **E.** This defense and indemnification obligation shall survive the expiration or termination of this Agreement.
- 13. <u>COLORADO GOVERNMENTAL IMMUNITY ACT</u>: In relation to the Agreement, the City is relying upon and has not waived the monetary limitations and all other rights, immunities and protection provided by the Colorado Governmental Act, C.R.S. § 24-10-101, *et seq*.
- 14. TAXES, CHARGES AND PENALTIES: The City is not liable for the payment of taxes, late charges or penalties of any nature, except for any additional amounts that the City may be required to pay under the City's prompt payment ordinance § 20-107, *et seq.*, of the Denver Revised Municipal Code (D.R.M.C.). The Special Counsel shall promptly pay when due, all taxes, bills, debts and obligations it incurs performing the services under the Agreement and shall not allow any lien, mortgage, judgment or execution to be filed against City property.
- hereunder, the Special Counsel shall not voluntarily or involuntarily assign any of its rights or obligations, or subcontract performance obligations, under this Agreement without obtaining the City Attorney's prior written consent. Except as specifically authorized hereunder, any assignment or subcontracting without such consent will be ineffective and void, and shall be cause for termination of this Agreement by the City. The City Attorney has sole and absolute discretion whether to consent to any assignment or subcontracting, or to terminate the Agreement on account of unauthorized assignment or subcontracting. In the event of any subcontracting or unauthorized assignment: (i) the Special Counsel shall remain responsible to the City; and (ii) no contractual relationship shall be created between the City and any sub-consultant, subcontractor or assign.
- **16. INUREMENT:** The rights and obligations of the parties to the Agreement inure to the benefit of and shall be binding upon the parties and their respective successors and permitted assigns, provided assignments are consented to in accordance with the terms of the Agreement.
- Agreement and all rights of action relating to enforcement are strictly reserved to the parties. Nothing contained in the Agreement gives or allows any claim or right of action to any third person or entity. Any person or entity other than the City or the Special Counsel receiving services or benefits pursuant to the Agreement is an incidental beneficiary only.

- **18. NO AUTHORITY TO BIND CITY TO CONTRACTS:** The Special Counsel lacks any authority to bind the City on any contractual matters. Final approval of all contractual matters that purport to obligate the City must be executed by the City in accordance with the City's Charter and the D.R.M.C.
- 19. **SEVERABILITY:** Except for the provisions of the Agreement requiring appropriation of funds and limiting the total amount payable by the City, if a court of competent jurisdiction finds any provision of the Agreement or any portion of it to be invalid, illegal, or unenforceable, the validity of the remaining portions or provisions will not be affected, if the intent of the parties can be fulfilled.

#### **20. CONFLICT OF INTEREST:**

- **A.** No employee of the City shall have any personal or beneficial interest in the services or property described in the Agreement. Special Counsel shall not hire, or contract for services with, any employee or officer of the City in violation of the City's Code of Ethics, D.R.M.C. §2-51, et seq. or the Charter §§ 1.2.8, 1.2.9, and 1.2.12.
- B. Special Counsel acknowledges that it and its attorneys are bound by the Colorado Rules of Professional Conduct applicable to Colorado attorneys, including without limitation Rule 1.7, which addresses a lawyer's engagement under circumstances involving a conflict of interest. Special Counsel shall not engage in any transaction, activity or conduct that would result in a conflict of interest under the Agreement. Special Counsel represents that it has disclosed any and all current or potential conflicts of interest, which shall include transactions, activities or conduct that would affect the judgment, actions or work of the Special Counsel by placing the Special Counsel's own interests, or the interests of any party with whom the Special Counsel has a professional relationship or contractual arrangement, in conflict with those of the City. The City, in its sole discretion, will determine the existence of a conflict of interest and may terminate the Agreement in the event it determines a conflict exists.
- C. Special Counsel should conduct a thorough conflict of interest review prior to performing legal services for the City for any matter under this Agreement. Special Counsel should confirm in writing to the City Attorney, or her designee—preferably within 24 hours, but no later than three (3) business days after receipt of the new matter—that Special Counsel has completed a conflict check, there is no conflict or appearance of a conflict, and that Special Counsel is able to handle all aspects of the legal representation on behalf of the City.

If, as a result of the conflict check, there is a conflict or an appearance of a

conflict, Special Counsel must (i) identify the conflict for the City Attorney, or her designee, and seek a conflict waiver from the City as required by the Colorado Rules of Professional Conduct or (ii) decline legal representation and maintain as privileged and confidential any information provided by the City. Special Counsel has a continuing obligation to ensure that no conflicts exist with respect to its ongoing representation. Any possible conflict of interest arising during legal representation should be communicated in writing to the City Attorney, or her designee, immediately so the City has an opportunity to address and resolve the issue.

21. Notices concerning termination of the Agreement, alleged or actual violations of the terms of the Agreement, and matters of similar importance must be hand delivered, sent by overnight courier service, mailed by certified mail, return receipt requested, or mailed via United States mail, postage prepaid, if to Special Counsel at the address first above written, and if to the City at:

Denver City Attorney's Office 1437 Bannock St., Room 353 Denver, Colorado 80202

Notices hand delivered or sent by overnight courier are effective upon delivery. Notices sent by certified mail are effective upon receipt. Notices sent by mail are effective upon deposit with the U.S. Postal Service. The parties may designate substitute addresses where or persons to whom notices are to be mailed or delivered. However, these substitutions will not become effective until actual receipt of written notification.

# 22. <u>NO EMPLOYMENT OF ILLEGAL ALIENS TO PERFORM WORK</u> <u>UNDER THE AGREEMENT:</u>

- **A.** This Agreement is subject to D.R.M.C. Division 5 of Article IV of Chapter 20, and any amendments (the "Certification Ordinance").
  - **B.** The Special Counsel certifies that:
  - (1) At the time of its execution of this Agreement, it does not knowingly employ or contract with an illegal alien who will perform work under this Agreement.
  - (2) It will participate in the E-Verify Program, as defined in § 8 17.5-101(3.7), C.R.S., to confirm the employment eligibility of all

employees who are newly hired for employment to perform work under this Agreement.

- **C.** The Special Counsel also agrees and represents that:
- (1) It shall not knowingly employ or contract with an illegal alien to perform work under the Agreement.
- (2) It shall not enter into a contract with a subconsultant or subcontractor that fails to certify to the Special Counsel that it shall not knowingly employ or contract with an illegal alien to perform work under the Agreement.
- (3) It has confirmed the employment eligibility of all employees who are newly hired for employment to perform work under this Agreement, through participation in the E-Verify Program.
- (4) It is prohibited from using the E-Verify Program procedures to undertake pre-employment screening of job applicants while performing its obligations under the Agreement, and that otherwise requires the Special Counsel to comply with any and all federal requirements related to use of the E-Verify Program including, by way of example, all program requirements related to employee notification and preservation of employee rights.
- (5) If it obtains actual knowledge that a subconsultant or subcontractor performing work under the Agreement knowingly employs or contracts with an illegal alien, it will notify such subconsultant or subcontractor and the City within three (3) days. The Special Counsel will also then terminate such subconsultant or subcontractor if within three (3) days after such notice the subconsultant or subcontractor does not stop employing or contracting with the illegal alien, unless during such three-day period the subconsultant or subcontractor provides information to establish that the subconsultant or subcontractor has not knowingly employed or contracted with an illegal alien.
- (6) It will comply with any reasonable request made in the course of an investigation by the Colorado Department of Labor and Employment under authority of § 8-17.5-102(5), C.R.S, or the City Auditor, under

authority of D.R.M.C. § 20-90.3.

- **D.** The Special Counsel is liable for any violations as provided in the Certification Ordinance. If Special Counsel violates any provision of this section or the Certification Ordinance, the City may terminate this Agreement for a breach of the Agreement. If the Agreement is so terminated, the Special Counsel shall be liable for actual and consequential damages to the City. Any such termination of a contract due to a violation of this section or the Certification Ordinance may also, at the discretion of the City, constitute grounds for disqualifying Special Counsel from submitting bids or proposals for future contracts with the City.
- **23. DISPUTES:** All disputes between the City and Special Counsel arising out of or regarding the Agreement will be resolved by administrative hearing pursuant to the procedure established by D.R.M.C. § 56-106(b), *et seq*. For the purposes of that administrative procedure, the City official rendering a final determination shall be the City Attorney.
- 24. GOVERNING LAW: VENUE: The Agreement will be construed and enforced in accordance with applicable federal law, the laws of the State of Colorado, and the Charter, Denver Revised Municipal Code, ordinances, regulations and Executive Orders of the City and County of Denver, which are expressly incorporated into the Agreement. Unless otherwise specified, any reference to statutes, laws, regulations, charter or code provisions, ordinances, executive orders, or related memoranda, includes amendments or supplements to same. Venue for any legal action relating to the Agreement will be in the District Court of the State of Colorado, Second Judicial District.
- 25. NO DISCRIMINATION IN EMPLOYMENT: In connection with the performance of work under the Agreement, the Special Counsel may not refuse to hire, discharge, promote or demote, or discriminate in matters of compensation against any person otherwise qualified, solely because of race, color, religion, national origin, gender, age, military status, sexual orientation, gender identity or gender expression, marital status, or physical or mental disability. The Special Counsel shall insert the foregoing provision in all subcontracts.
- 26. <u>COMPLIANCE WITH ALL LAWS</u>: Special Counsel shall perform or cause to be performed all services in full compliance with all applicable laws, rules, regulations and codes of the United States and State of Colorado; with the Charter, ordinances, rules, regulations and Executive Orders of the City and County of Denver; and with the Colorado Rules of Professional Conduct.
  - 27. **LEGAL AUTHORITY:** Special Counsel represents and warrants that it

possesses the legal authority, pursuant to any proper, appropriate and official motion, resolution or action passed or taken, to enter into the Agreement. Each person signing and executing the Agreement on behalf of Special Counsel represents and warrants that he has been fully authorized by Special Counsel to execute the Agreement on behalf of Special Counsel and to validly and legally bind Special Counsel to all the terms, performances and provisions of the Agreement. The City shall have the right, in its sole discretion, to either temporarily suspend or permanently terminate the Agreement if there is a dispute as to the legal authority of either Special Counsel or the person signing the Agreement to enter into the Agreement.

- **28. NO CONSTRUCTION AGAINST DRAFTING PARTY:** The parties and their respective counsel have had the opportunity to review the Agreement, and the Agreement will not be construed against any party merely because any provisions of the Agreement were prepared by a particular party.
- **29. ORDER OF PRECEDENCE:** In the event of any conflicts between the language of the Agreement and the exhibits, the language of the Agreement controls.
- intend that all property rights to any and all materials, text, logos, documents, booklets, manuals, references, guides, brochures, advertisements, music, sketches, plans, drawings, prints, photographs, specifications, software, data, products, ideas, inventions, and any other work or recorded information created by the Special Counsel and any subcontractor hereunder and paid for by the City pursuant to this Agreement, in preliminary or final form and on any media whatsoever (collectively, "Materials"), shall belong to the City. The Special Counsel shall disclose all such items to the City. To the extent permitted by the U.S. Copyright Act, 17 USC § 101, et seq., the Materials are a "work made for hire" and all ownership of copyright in the Materials shall vest in the City at the time the Materials are created. To the extent that the Materials are not a "work made for hire," the Special Counsel and any subcontractor hereunder (by this Agreement) sells, assigns and transfers all right, title and interest in and to the Materials to the City, including the right to secure copyright, patent, trademark, and other intellectual property rights throughout the world and to have and to hold such rights in perpetuity.
- 31. <u>SURVIVAL OF CERTAIN PROVISIONS</u>: The terms of the Agreement and any exhibits and attachments that by reasonable implication contemplate continued performance, rights, or compliance beyond expiration or termination of the Agreement survive the Agreement and will continue to be enforceable. Without limiting the generality of this provision, the Special Counsel's obligations to provide insurance and to indemnify the City will survive for a period

equal to any and all relevant statutes of limitation, plus the time necessary to fully resolve any claims, matters, or actions begun within that period.

- 32. ADVERTISING AND PUBLIC DISCLOSURE: Special Counsel shall not include any reference to the Agreement or to services performed pursuant to the Agreement in any of the Special Counsel's advertising or public relations materials without first obtaining the written approval of the City Attorney, or her designee. Any oral presentation or written materials related to services performed under the Agreement will be limited to services that have been accepted by the City. The Special Counsel shall notify the City Attorney in advance of the date and time of any presentation. Nothing in this provision precludes the transmittal of any information to City officials.
- Counsel consents to the use of electronic signatures by the City. The Agreement, and any other documents requiring a signature hereunder, may be signed electronically by the City in the manner specified by the City. The Parties agree not to deny the legal effect or enforceability of the Agreement solely because it is in electronic form or because an electronic record was used in its formation. The Parties agree not to object to the admissibility of the Agreement in the form of an electronic record, or a paper copy of an electronic document, or a paper copy of a document bearing an electronic signature, on the ground that it is an electronic record or electronic signature or that it is not in its original form or is not an original.
- **34. CITY EXECUTION OF AGREEMENT:** The Agreement will not be effective or binding on the City until it has been fully executed by all signatories of the City and County of Denver, and if required by Charter, approved by the City Council.
- Agreement is the complete integration of all understandings between the parties as to the subject matter of the Agreement. No prior or contemporaneous addition, deletion, or other modification has any force or effect, unless embodied in the Agreement in writing. No subsequent novation, renewal, addition, deletion, or other amendment will have any force or effect unless embodied in a written amendment to the Agreement properly executed by the parties. No oral representation by any officer or employee of the City at variance with the terms of the Agreement or any written amendment to the Agreement will have any force or effect or bind the City. The Agreement is, and any amendments will be, binding upon the parties and their successors and assigns.

- **36.** <u>USE, POSSESSION OR SALE OF ALCOHOL OR DRUGS</u>: The Special Counsel shall cooperate and comply with the provisions of Executive Order 94 and its Attachment A concerning the use, possession or sale of alcohol or drugs.
- **37. COUNTERPARTS OF THE AGREEMENT:** The Agreement may be executed in counterparts, each of which is an original and constitute the same instrument.

[Signatures appear on the following pages]

Contract Control Number: Contractor Name:	ATTNY-201950224-[[ This Amendment Number ]] SQUIRE PATTON BOGGS LLP			
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#### Exhibit A

# SPECIAL COUNSEL BILLING REQUIREMENTS

These Special Counsel Billing Requirements ("Requirements") set forth the procedures that govern the relationship between the CITY AND COUNTY OF DENVER ("Denver" or the "City") and its outside legal counsel ("Special Counsel") with respect to billing procedures and related activities under the Special Counsel Agreement ("Agreement").

The City expects Special Counsel and any associated professionals working on City matters to comply with these Requirements. These Requirements supersede any previously provided Requirements.

#### 1. Introduction

These Requirements apply to all Special Counsel retained by the City to provide legal services in connection with litigation or transactional matters. Special Counsel shall become familiar with and adhere to these Requirements in providing legal services.

The City expects Special Counsel to provide high-quality legal services at reasonable cost, to maintain transparency in billing, and to be mindful of the responsibility to conserve public resources without compromising the quality of the services provided.

#### 2. Supervising Attorney and Budget Submission

For all matters referred to Special Counsel, the City Attorney's designee ("Supervising Attorney") will supervise and work with Special Counsel. The Supervising Attorney will be directly responsible to the City Attorney for all of Special Counsel's activities, billings, and payments.

Special Counsel shall contact the Supervising Attorney for any approvals required by these Requirements. Special Counsel should consult frequently with the Supervising Attorney regarding matters Special Counsel is handling so that the City will have current information about the status of all matters and can provide input on case strategy and expenditures. As appropriate, Special Counsel will schedule periodic meetings and conference calls with the Supervising Attorney to discuss developments and strategy.

Special Counsel shall provide the Supervising Attorney with a budget for all litigation matters expected to exceed \$5,000 in legal fees and costs, and for transactional matters as requested by the Supervising Attorney. A separate budget should be submitted for each matter. The budget shall include a good faith estimate of the cost of the services, including an identification of each

of the various tasks Special Counsel expects to perform, the projected number of hours of attorney time and paralegal time needed to complete each task per each timekeeper, and the fees and costs anticipated to be associated with each task. If, during the course of the representation, it appears that Special Counsel may exceed a proposed budget by 10% or more, Special Counsel shall notify the Supervising Attorney, provide a written explanation for the anticipated variance from the budget, obtain the approval of the Supervising Attorney for any such variance, and submit an updated budget to the Supervising Attorney. At a minimum, Special Counsel should update the budget for each case on a quarterly basis and shall provide a revised budget to the Supervising Attorney on the following schedule: January 2, April 1, July 1, and October 1.

Special Counsel shall abide by the budget approved by the Supervising Attorney for each of the matters it is assigned. In no circumstance shall Special Counsel exceed the Maximum Contract Amount, as defined in the Agreement. The Supervising Attorney is not authorized to approve budgets that individually, or in aggregate, exceed the Maximum Contract Amount, as defined in the Agreement.

Special Counsel should use its professional judgment in deciding whether to obtain the prior approval of the Supervising Attorney for a litigation event, where such approval is not specifically required by these Requirements or the Colorado Rules of Professional Conduct. Litigation events that are specified in a plan of litigation or a budget that was previously submitted to and approved by the Supervising Attorney will ordinarily not need to be re-submitted for approval.

All bills submitted by Special Counsel will be reviewed by and are subject to the approval of the Supervising Attorney.

# 3. Staffing Philosophy

a. Special Counsel's lead attorney, as designated in Section 1 of the Agreement, and the Supervising Attorney shall agree upon a primary attorney for Special Counsel, which may be the lead attorney designated in Section 1 of the Agreement, for all assigned matters (the "Primary Attorney"). The Primary Attorney shall oversee any matter being handled for the City, including the billing and payments. Special Counsel may not substitute a different Primary Attorney without the Supervising Attorney's prior approval in writing.

- b. Special Counsel shall submit a staffing profile that identifies the partners, associates, paralegals, and other staff who will bill time to each matter. Special Counsel shall minimize staffing changes. Changes and additions to staff are subject to the prior approval of the Supervising Attorney. The City reserves the right to request, and to object to, representation by specific attorneys within Special Counsel's firm. Overstaffing and staffing with overqualified or underqualified personnel assigned to City matters are not permitted and may result in a reduction of Special Counsel's fees.
- c. Special Counsel shall select, for each task, an individual suitable for the task and the specific needs of the matter. Each such individual must have appropriate experience in the area in which he or she is performing services and hold all necessary licenses and admissions.

#### d. Special Counsel shall not:

- (i) Assign unnecessary or duplicative staff to matters.
- (ii) Charge for any services that duplicate the effort of other assigned staff.
- (iii) Charge for time of newly assigned attorneys, after a change in personnel, spent to become familiar with the matter, or time spent duplicating work performed by an attorney previously assigned to the matter.
- e. The selection and retention of expert witnesses, appraisers, consultants, investigators, and other third-party professionals shall be coordinated with and approved by the Supervising Attorney in written form. Special Counsel shall provide information regarding the consultant's or expert's area of expertise, description of the services to be provided, hourly rates, and estimates for the services to be provided. Special Counsel shall itemize charges for any such services on its invoices.

## 4. Billing

- a. Special Counsel shall submit invoices for legal fees and costs on a monthly basis no later than the 15th of each month. All invoices should be submitted Outside Counsel/Professional Services Invoice Review, attached as Appendix 1, and the Invoice Cover Sheet, attached as Appendix 2. Invoices shall include all fees for legal services performed from the prior month. The City reserves the right not to pay for any time entries billed in an untimely manner.
- **b.** Special Counsel shall send a separate invoice for each matter.

- c. Special Counsel shall submit supporting documentation for all allowed reimbursable expenses over \$100.
- **d.** Unless Special Counsel is otherwise instructed by the City, Special Counsel's invoices shall be addressed and submitted to: CAOAdminbilling@denvergov.org

#### 5. Charges for Services

- a. Time Charges. All charges for Special Counsel's legal services should be recorded daily in 0.1 hour increments based upon actual time spent. Time billed in excess of 0.1 hour should be billed by rounding up or down to the nearest higher or lower increment. The overall time billed should not exceed the actual time spent. Any tasks performed but not charged should be billed through a zero hour entry.
- **b.** Single Entry Timekeeping/Block Billing. Each task should be billed in a separate line entry. Grouping multiple activities under a single time charge (block billing) is not allowed. Each item of work shall be associated with a discrete charge.
- c. Description of Services. Each time entry shall include a clear description of the services rendered, including the nature of the task, the purpose and the subject of the task performed, the individual who performed the task, and the amount of time that was spent on a task. The City reserves the right to seek clarification from Special Counsel where it finds an invoice to be vague or unclear and may reduce the amount of time billed for a specific task at its own discretion.
- d. Intra-Office Conferences. Intra-office conferences may be billed when such conferences are held to discuss strategy, case management, and legal issues and result in more efficient legal representation for the City. Special Counsel shall ensure that intra-office conferences are kept to a minimum, that time billed for intra-office conferences accurately reflects time spent on the matter, and that only mandatory staff bill time for such conferences. Charges for intra-office conferences shall describe the reason for the conference and the subject matter of the discussion.
- e. Multiple Attendance. The City will pay for only one attorney to attend meetings, depositions, hearings, court conferences, and trials, unless otherwise approved in advance and in writing by the Supervising Attorney.
- f. Legal Research. The City will only pay for legal research reasonably necessary to complete an assignment. Special Counsel shall consult within its own firm and with the

Supervising Attorney prior to conducting extensive legal research to determine whether similar issues have been previously researched by the firm or by the City, particularly with respect to issues such as qualified immunity that are frequently litigated by the City. Special Counsel is required to use prior research when possible, and in such situations, may charge the City only for updating prior research. Special Counsel shall not initiate research before it is needed unless the Supervising Attorney expressly approves the research in advance.

- g. Reviewing Files. The City will not pay for the review of a file by an attorney who is merely supervising the work of another employee of the firm. Similarly, Special Counsel shall not bill the City for file review if an event does not precipitate such review (such as a telephone call or receipt of correspondence) or if the file review does not result in the creation of any tangible work product. Any invoice that includes a time entry for "file review" shall include the purpose of the review or that item will not be considered for payment by the City.
- **h.** Non-Compensable Fees. Activities that are clerical or administrative in nature—such as opening and closing files, processing invoices, and running conflict of interest checks—are non-compensable and should not be billed by the Special Counsel.
- *Travel Time:* Special Counsel may bill for limited travel time. The City will reimburse Special Counsel for non-local travel at Special Counsel's standard contractual hourly rate when approved in advance and in writing by the Supervising Attorney. Special Counsel may not bill for otherwise productive travel time that is not spent on City business (e.g., flight time that is not spent working on a City matter undertaken pursuant to this Agreement). The City will not reimburse travel time for local travel, defined as 100 miles or less from Special Counsel's office ("Local Travel"). Fees for unjustified or excessive travel time may be written down at the Supervising Attorney's discretion.

#### 6. Reimbursable Expenses

Any expenses or costs over \$100 that have not been pre-approved in the case budget must be approved in writing by the Supervising Attorney prior to being incurred. Fees and expenses incurred in excess of the approved budget will not be reimbursed. Pre-approved actual, reasonable, and necessary out-of-pocket expenses will be reimbursed at cost without mark-up. All expenses

shall be documented, and copies of receipts shall be provided to the Supervising Attorney with Special Counsel's invoice. Some examples of expenses which may qualify for reimbursement are:

- (i) Messenger Services and overnight or other expedited delivery services. The City does not expect all documents to be hand-delivered or sent by an overnight or express delivery service, but such services may be used where appropriate under the circumstances per the request of the Supervising Attorney.
- (ii) Photocopying. Photocopying is reimbursable if performed for Special Counsel by an outside photocopying vendor. In such instances, reimbursement will be made at the lower of Special Counsel's actual cost or an amount not to exceed 10 cents per page for routine copies. Whenever Special Counsel seeks reimbursement for copying or Bates labeling by an outside photocopying vendor, Special Counsel shall provide the City with a copy of the photocopying vendor's invoice, which shall state the number of pages of each type copied and the cost per page for each of these services. In-house copying costs are not reimbursable.
- (iii) Lodging and Meals. Lodging and meals are reimbursable only in the context of non-local travel, and will be reimbursed at rates no greater than the lesser of the actual cost (without markup) or the maximum amount set forth in the Meals and Incidental Expense Breakdown of the Federal Travel Regulation in effect on the date the expense was incurred, published at:

www.gsa.gov/Portal/gsa/ep/contentView.do?contentId=17943&contentType=GSA\_BASIC The City will not reimburse for meals in connection with Local Travel.

(iv) Certain Travel Expenses. Special Counsel shall bill air travel at no higher than the economy or coach fare. Special Counsel shall use its best efforts to make airline reservations in advance so as to take advantage of lower air fares. While on non-local travel, Special Counsel may bill the City for reasonable mileage or for the cost of a mid-sized, non-luxury rental car when necessary and when the cost of a rental car is less than other forms of ground transportation. Special Counsel may seek reimbursement for taxi fares when on non-local travel, but any requests for reimbursement for taxi fares will be closely scrutinized for necessity and reasonableness.

If Special Counsel's travel is both for the City and for another client or other activities, Special Counsel may bill the City only for the City's pro rata share of travel expenses.

# 7. Non-Reimbursable Expenses.

Routine administrative expenses are part of Special Counsel's overhead, are included in Special Counsel's hourly rate structure, and will not be reimbursed by the City. Examples of overhead expenses that the City will not reimburse include:

- (i) Telephone calls, mobile phone charges, utilities, in-house photocopies, postage, secretarial and word processing services, and overtime.
- (ii) Expenses related to Local Travel, including mileage, parking, or car services.
- (iii) The cost of computerized legal research services, including Lexis and Westlaw.

# **APPENDIX 1**

# APPENDIX 1. OUTSIDE COUNSEL/PROFESSIONAL SERVICES INVOICE REVIEW

(TO BE COMPLETED BY OUTSIDE COUNSEL/PROFESSIONAL SERVICES PROVIDER AND ATTACHED TO ALL BILLINGS)

Name of Firm:					
Billing Attorney or Party:	F	or Services Rendered In (Month):			
Data Invoice Sent: (1)					
City Attorney's Office Supervising A	attorney/Manager:				
		nvoice No.:			
		Contract Expiration Date:			
1. CONTRACT BILLING STATUS	S				
BILLINGS	FEES	DISBURSEMENTS/EXPENSES	TOTAL		
Contract Cap Amt.					
Invoice Amts. to Date:					
Current Invoice Amt.					
Balance Remaining:					
Within 15% of Contract Cap? YES NO  3. Please provide the anticipated billings (for services) for the next <b>two months</b> .  Amounts: \$ and \$					
4. Have there been any developments that call for review of the project work plan or indicate the need to amend the contract cap amount? YES NO					
5. Have there been any changes in hourly rates or disbursement charge rates since the last invoice?					
YES NO					
6. Did you submit documentation for items over \$100?					
YES NO N/A					
Signature of Firm's Billing Attorney/P	arty:	Date:			
Section below to	be completed by CA	AO Supervising Attorney/Manager			
Date Form Reviewed	\$ OK to	Pay Signature			

(1) Please provide explanation if invoice is sent after 15<sup>th</sup> of month following services.

(2) Please explain.

#### **APPENDIX 2**

#### **APPENDIX 2. Invoice Cover Sheet**

(Company/Firm Letterhead)

# **INVOICE COVER SHEET**

(Invoice Date)

City & County of Denver City Attorney's Office CAOAdminBilling@denvergov.org

(Invoice Number)

RE: (Contract Number) MATTER: (Case Name and Case Number)

#### **STATEMENT**

# FOR LEGAL SERVICES RENDERED DURING THE PERIOD:

(Date(s) of Service Including Year)

**Total (Month):** \$ (Amount Including Costs)

Hours: (Number of Hours) @ (Hourly Rate) = (Total Amount) Hours: (Number of Hours) @ (Hourly Rate) = (Total Amount)

Costs: \$ (Amount)

(Signature)

Responsible Attorney: (Type Name Here)



# CERTIFICATE OF LIABILITY INSURANCE

**DATE (MM/DD/YYYY)** 04/26/2019

THIS CERTIFICATE IS ISSUED AS A MATTER OF INFORMATION ONLY AND CONFERS NO RIGHTS UPON THE CERTIFICATE HOLDER. THIS CERTIFICATE DOES NOT AFFIRMATIVELY OR NEGATIVELY AMEND, EXTEND OR ALTER THE COVERAGE AFFORDED BY THE POLICIES BELOW. THIS CERTIFICATE OF INSURANCE DOES NOT CONSTITUTE A CONTRACT BETWEEN THE ISSUING INSURER(S), AUTHORIZED REPRESENTATIVE OR PRODUCER, AND THE CERTIFICATE HOLDER.

IMPORTANT: If the certificate holder is an ADDITIONAL INSURED, the policy(ies) must have ADDITIONAL INSURED provisions or be endorsed. If SUBROGATION IS WAIVED, subject to the terms and conditions of the policy, certain policies may require an endorsement. A statement on this certificate does not confer rights to the certificate holder in lieu of such endorsement(s).

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Suite 1000 Cleveland, OH 44114		ADDRESS:  INSURER(S) AFFORDING COVERAGE	NAIC#
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INSURED Squire Patton Boggs (US) LLP		INSURER B: National Union Fire Ins Co Pittsburgh PA	19445
Squire Patton Boggs (UK) LLP		INSURER C : N/A	N/A
Administrative Center 1500 West 3rd. Suite 450		INSURER D: Insurance Company Of The State Of Pennsylvan	nia 19429
Cleveland, OH 44113		INSURER E : N/A	N/A
		INSURER F:	
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EXCLUSIONS AND CONDITIONS OF SUCH POLICIES. LIMITS SHOWN MAY HAVE BEEN REDUCED BY PAID CLAIMS

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INSR LTR		TYPE OF INSURANCE		SUBR WVD	POLICY NUMBER	POLICY EFF (MM/DD/YYYY)	POLICY EXP (MM/DD/YYYY)	LIMIT	s
Α	Х	COMMERCIAL GENERAL LIABILITY			6056540723	12/31/2018	12/31/2019	EACH OCCURRENCE	\$ 1,000,000
		CLAIMS-MADE X OCCUR						DAMAGE TO RENTED PREMISES (Ea occurrence)	\$ 100,000
		<del></del>						MED EXP (Any one person)	\$ 15,000
								PERSONAL & ADV INJURY	\$ 1,000,000
	GEN	I'L AGGREGATE LIMIT APPLIES PER:						GENERAL AGGREGATE	\$ 2,000,000
	Χ	POLICY PRO- JECT LOC						PRODUCTS - COMP/OP AGG	\$ 2,000,000
		OTHER:							\$
В	AUT	OMOBILE LIABILITY			3761837	12/31/2018	12/31/2019	COMBINED SINGLE LIMIT (Ea accident)	\$ 1,000,000
	Χ	ANY AUTO						BODILY INJURY (Per person)	\$
		OWNED SCHEDULED AUTOS ONLY			Owned Comp/Coll: \$500/\$500			BODILY INJURY (Per accident)	\$
		HIRED NON-OWNED AUTOS ONLY			Hired Comp/Coll: \$1,000/\$1,000			PROPERTY DAMAGE (Per accident)	\$
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		UMBRELLA LIAB OCCUR						EACH OCCURRENCE	\$
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	(Man	datory in NH)	N/A					E.L. DISEASE - EA EMPLOYEE	\$ 1,000,000
	If yes	s, describe under CRIPTION OF OPERATIONS below						E.L. DISEASE - POLICY LIMIT	\$ 1,000,000
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DESCRIPTION OF OPERATIONS / LOCATIONS / VEHICLES (ACORD 101, Additional Remarks Schedule, may be attached if more space is required)

The City and County of Denver, its elected and appointed officials, employees and volunteers is/are included as additional insured, where required by written contract, as respects the General Liability Policy, coverage is considered Primary/Non-Contributory. As respects the General Liability, Waiver of Subrogation is included per written contract, prior to loss.

CERTIFICATE HOLDER	CANCELLATION			
Denver City Attorney's Office 1437 Bannock St., Room 353 Denver, CO 80202	SHOULD ANY OF THE ABOVE DESCRIBED POLICIES BE CANCELLED BEFORE THE EXPIRATION DATE THEREOF, NOTICE WILL BE DELIVERED IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE POLICY PROVISIONS.			
	AUTHORIZED REPRESENTATIVE of Marsh USA Inc.			
	Michael R. Jackisch Michael Tackisch			



# General Liability Extension Endorsement

#### 1. ADDITIONAL INSUREDS

- WHO IS AN INSURED is amended to include as an Insured any person or organization described in paragraphs A. through K. below whom a Named Insured is required to add as an additional insured on this Coverage Part under a written contract or written agreement, provided such contract or agreement:
  - (1) is currently in effect or becomes effective during the term of this Coverage Part; and
  - (2) was executed prior to:
    - (a) the bodily injury or property damage; or
    - (b) the offense that caused the personal and advertising injury.

for which such additional insured seeks coverage.

- b. However, subject always to the terms and conditions of this policy, including the limits of insurance, the Insurer will not provide such additional insured with:
  - (1) a higher limit of insurance than required by such contract or agreement; or
  - (2) coverage broader than required by such contract or agreement, and in no event broader than that described by the applicable paragraph A. through K. below.

Any coverage granted by this endorsement shall apply only to the extent permissible by law.

#### A. Controlling Interest

Any person or organization with a controlling interest in a Named Insured, but only with respect to such person or organization's liability for bodily injury, property damage or personal and advertising injury arising out of:

- 1. such person or organization's financial control of a Named Insured; or
- 2. premises such person or organization owns, maintains or controls while a Named Insured leases or occupies such premises;

provided that the coverage granted by this paragraph does not apply to structural alterations, new construction or demolition operations performed by, on behalf of, or for such additional insured.

#### B. Co-owner of Insured Premises

A co-owner of a premises co-owned by a Named Insured and covered under this insurance but only with respect to such co-owner's liability for bodily injury, property damage or personal and advertising injury as co-owner of such premises.

#### C. Grantor of Franchise

Any person or organization that has granted a franchise to a Named Insured, but only with respect to such person or organization's liability for bodily injury, property damage or personal and advertising injury as grantor of a franchise to the Named Insured.

#### D. Lessor of Equipment

Any person or organization from whom a Named Insured leases equipment, but only with respect to liability for bodily injury, property damage or personal and advertising injury caused, in whole or in part, by the Named Insured's maintenance, operation or use of such equipment, provided that the occurrence giving rise to such bodily injury, property damage or the offense giving rise to such personal and advertising injury takes place prior to the termination of such lease.

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#### E. Lessor of Land

Any person or organization from whom a Named Insured leases land but only with respect to liability for bodlly injury, property damage or personal and advertising injury arising out of the ownership, maintenance or use of such land, provided that the occurrence giving rise to such bodily injury or property damage, or the offense giving rise to such personal and advertising injury, takes place prior to the termination of such lease. The coverage granted by this paragraph does not apply to structural alterations, new construction or demolition operations performed by, on behalf of, or for such additional insured.

#### F. Lessor of Premises

An owner or lessor of premises leased to the Named Insured, or such owner or lessor's real estate manager, but only with respect to liability for **bodily injury**, **property damage** or **personal and advertising injury** arising out of the ownership, maintenance or use of such part of the premises leased to the Named Insured, and provided that the occurrence giving rise to such bodily injury, property damage or the offense giving rise to such personal and advertising injury takes place prior to the termination of such lease. The coverage granted by this paragraph does not apply to structural alterations, new construction or demolition operations performed by, on behalf of, or for such additional insured.

#### G. Mortgagee, Assignee or Receiver

A mortgagee, assignee or receiver of premises but only with respect to such mortgagee, assignee or receiver's liability for bodily injury, property damage or personal and advertising injury arising out of the Named insured's ownership, maintenance, or use of a premises by a Named insured.

The coverage granted by this paragraph does not apply to structural alterations, new construction or demolition operations performed by, on behalf of, or for such additional insured.

#### H. State or Governmental Agency or Subdivision or Political Subdivisions - Permits

A state or governmental agency or subdivision or political subdivision that has issued a permit or authorization. but only with respect to such state or governmental agency or subdivision or political subdivision's liability for bodily injury, property damage or personal and advertising injury arising out of:

- 1. the following hazards in connection with premises a Named Insured owns, rents, or controls and to which this insurance applies:
  - a. the existence, maintenance, repair, construction, erection, or removal of advertising signs, awnings, canopies, cellar entrances, coal holes, driveways, manholes, marquees, hoistaway openings, sidewalk vaults, street banners, or decorations and similar exposures; or
  - the construction, erection, or removal of elevators; or
  - the ownership, maintenance or use of any elevators covered by this insurance; or
- 2. the permitted or authorized operations performed by a Named Insured or on a Named Insured's behalf.

The coverage granted by this paragraph does not apply to:

- Bodily injury, property damage or personal and advertising injury arising out of operations performed for the state or governmental agency or subdivision or political subdivision; or
- Bodily injury or property damage included within the products-completed operations hazard.

With respect to this provision's requirement that additional insured status must be requested under a written contract or agreement, the Insurer will treat as a written contract any governmental permit that requires the Named Insured to add the governmental entity as an additional insured.

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#### I. Trade Show Event Lessor

- 1. With respect to a Named insured's participation in a trade show event as an exhibitor, presenter or displayer, any person or organization whom the Named Insured is required to include as an additional insured, but only with respect to such person or organization's liability for bodily injury, property damage or personal and advertising injury caused by:
  - a. the Named Insured's acts or omissions; or
  - b. the acts or omissions of those acting on the Named Insured's behalf,

in the performance of the **Named Insured's** ongoing operations at the trade show event premises during the trade show event.

2. The coverage granted by this paragraph does not apply to **bodily injury or property damage included** within the products-completed operations hazard.

#### J. Vendor

Any person or organization but only with respect to such person or organization's liability for **bodily injury** or **property damage** arising out of **your products** which are distributed or sold in the regular course of such person or organization's business, provided that:

- 1. The coverage granted by this paragraph does not apply to:
  - bodily injury or property damage for which such person or organization is obligated to pay damages by
    reason of the assumption of liability in a contract or agreement unless such liability exists in the absence
    of the contract or agreement;
  - b. any express warranty unauthorized by the Named Insured;
  - c. any physical or chemical change in any product made intentionally by such person or organization;
  - d. repackaging, except when unpacked solely for the purpose of inspection, demonstration, testing, or the substitution of parts under instructions from the manufacturer, and then repackaged in the original container;
  - any failure to make any inspections, adjustments, tests or servicing that such person or organization has agreed to make or normally undertakes to make in the usual course of business, in connection with the distribution or sale of the products;
  - demonstration, installation, servicing or repair operations, except such operations performed at the such person or organization's premises in connection with the sale of a product;
  - g. products which, after distribution or sale by the Named insured, have been labeled or relabeled or used as a container, part or ingredient of any other thing or substance by or for such person or organization; or
  - h. bodlly injury or property damage arising out of the sole negligence of such person or organization for its own acts or omissions or those of its employees or anyone else acting on its behalf. However, this exclusion does not apply to:
    - the exceptions contained in Subparagraphs d. or f. above; or
    - (2) such inspections, adjustments, tests or servicing as such person or organization has agreed with the Named Insured to make or normally undertakes to make in the usual course of business, in connection with the distribution or sale of the products.
- This Paragraph J. does not apply to any insured person or organization, from whom the Named Insured has acquired such products, nor to any ingredient, part or container, entering into, accompanying or containing such products.

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- 3. This Paragraph J. also does not apply:
  - to any vendor specifically scheduled as an additional insured by endorsement to this Coverage Part;
  - b. to any of your products for which coverage is excluded by endorsement to this Coverage Part; nor
  - c. If bodily injury or property damage included within the products-completed operations hazard is excluded by endorsement to this Coverage Part.

#### K. Other Person Or Organization

Any person or organization who is not an additional insured under Paragraphs A. through J. above. Such additional insured is an insured solely for bodily injury, property damage or personal and advertising injury for which such additional insured is liable because of the Named Insured's acts or omissions.

The coverage granted by this paragraph does not apply to any person or organization:

- 1. for bodily injury, property damage, or personal and advertising injury arising out of the rendering or failure to render any professional service:
- for bodily injury or property damage included within the products-completed operations hazard; nor
- who is specifically scheduled as an additional insured on another endorsement to this Coverage Part.

#### 2. ADDITIONAL INSURED - PRIMARY AND NON-CONTRIBUTORY TO ADDITIONAL INSURED'S INSURANCE

A. The Other Insurance Condition in the COMMERCIAL GENERAL LIABILITY CONDITIONS Section is amended to add the following paragraph:

If the Named Insured has agreed in writing in a contract or agreement that this insurance is primary and noncontributory relative to an additional insured's own insurance, then this insurance is primary, and the Insurer will not seek contribution from that other insurance. For the purpose of this Provision 2., the additional insured's own insurance means insurance on which the additional insured is a named insured.

B. With respect to persons or organizations that qualify as additional insureds pursuant to paragraph 1.K. of this endorsement, the following sentence is added to the paragraph above:

Otherwise, and notwithstanding anything to the contrary elsewhere in this Condition, the insurance provided to such person or organization is excess of any other insurance available to such person or organization.

#### 3. BODILY INJURY - EXPANDED DEFINITION

Under **DEFINITIONS** the definition of **bodily injury** is deleted and replaced by the following:

Bodily injury means physical injury, sickness or disease sustained by a person, including death, humiliation, shock, mental anguish or mental injury sustained by that person at any time which results as a consequence of the physical injury, sickness or disease.

#### **BROAD KNOWLEDGE OF OCCURRENCE/ NOTICE OF OCCURRENCE**

Under CONDITIONS, the condition entitled Dutles in The Event of Occurrence, Offense, Claim or Suit is amended to add the following:

#### A. BROAD KNOWLEDGE OF OCCURRENCE

The **Named Insured** must give the Insurer or the Insurer's authorized representative notice of an **occurrence**, offense or claim only when the occurrence, offense or claim is known to a natural person Named Insured, to a partner, executive officer, manager or member of a Named Insured, or to an employee designated by any of the above to give such notice.

**B. NOTICE OF OCCURRENCE** 

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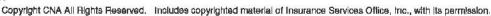
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not be deemed to be damages for personal and advertising injury and will not reduce the limits of insurance.

D. This PERSONAL AND ADVERTISING INJURY - LIMITED CONTRACTUAL LIABILITY Provision does not apply if Coverage B -Personal and Advertising Injury Liability is excluded by another endorsement attached to this Coverage Part.

#### 17. PROPERTY DAMAGE - ELEVATORS

- A. Under COVERAGES, Coverage A Bodily Injury and Property Damage Liability, the paragraph entitled Exclusions is amended such that the Damage to Your Product Exclusion and subparagraphs (3), (4) and (6) of the Damage to Property Exclusion do not apply to property damage that results from the use of elevators.
- B. Solely for the purpose of the coverage provided by this **PROPERTY DAMAGE ELEVATORS** Provision, the **Other Insurance** conditions is amended to add the following paragraph:

This insurance is excess over any of the other insurance, whether primary, excess, contingent or on any other basis that is Property insurance covering property of others damaged from the use of elevators.

#### 18. SUPPLEMENTARY PAYMENTS

The section entitled SUPPLEMENTARY PAYMENTS - COVERAGES A AND B is amended as follows:

- A. Paragraph 1.b. is amended to delete the \$250 limit shown for the cost of bail bonds and replace it with a \$5,000. limit; and
- B. Paragraph 1.d. is amended to delete the limit of \$250 shown for daily loss of earnings and replace it with a \$1,000. limit.

#### 19. UNINTENTIONAL FAILURE TO DISCLOSE HAZARDS

If the **Named Insured** unintentionally fails to disclose all existing hazards at the inception date of the **Named Insured's Coverage Part**, the Insurer will not deny coverage under this **Coverage Part** because of such failure.

#### 20. WAIVER OF SUBROGATION - BLANKET

Under CONDITIONS, the Transfer Of Rights Of Recovery Against Others To Us Condition is amended to add the following:

The Insurer waives any right of recovery the Insurer may have against any person or organization because of payments the Insurer makes for injury or damage arising out of:

- 1. the Named Insured's ongoing operations; or
- your work included in the products-completed operations hazard.

However, this waiver applies only when the **Named Insured** has agreed in writing to waive such rights of recovery in a written contract or written agreement, and only if such contract or agreement:

- is in effect or becomes effective during the term of this Coverage Part; and
- was executed prior to the bodily injury, property damage or personal and advertising injury giving rise to the claim.

All other terms and conditions of the Policy remain unchanged.

This endorsement, which forms a part of and is for attachment to the Policy issued by the designated Insurers, takes effect on the effective date of said Policy at the hour stated in said Policy, unless another effective date is shown below, and expires concurrently with said Policy.

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