

PARTICIPATING ADDENDUM
WSCA-NASPO COOPERATIVE PURCHASING ORGANIZATION
COPIERS, PRINTERS & RELATED DEVICES 14-19
Administered by the State of Nevada (hereinafter "Lead State")

MASTER AGREEMENT
Ricoh USA, Inc
Nevada RFP 3091
(hereinafter "Contractor")

And

State of Rhode Island
(hereinafter "Participating State")

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1. **Scope:** This addendum covers the Copiers, Printers & Related Devices 14-19 lead by the State of Nevada for use by state agencies and other entities located in the Participating State/Entity authorized by that state's statutes to utilize state/entity contracts with the prior approval of the state's chief procurement official.

Contractor has been awarded devices and services in the following categories:

- Group A – Convenience Copiers
- Group B – Production Copiers
- Group C – Wide Format Copiers
- Group D – Printers
- Group E – Digital Duplicators

Ricoh Remanufactured products are also available. In the event of a conflict between the terms and conditions of this PA and any Exhibit subject to this PA, the terms and conditions of the Exhibit prevail.

2. **Participation:** Use of specific WSCA-NASPO cooperative contracts by agencies, political subdivisions and other entities (including cooperatives) authorized by an individual state's statutes to use state/entity contracts are subject to the prior approval of the respective State Chief Procurement Official. Issues of interpretation and eligibility for participation are solely within the authority of the State Chief Procurement Official.

The Participating State includes all Executive Agencies of the State of Rhode Island. Additionally, the same terms and conditions of the Participating Addendum shall be offered to the Legislative and Judicial Branches of Rhode Island, the Board of Governors for Higher Education (including the University of Rhode Island, Rhode Island College and the Community College of Rhode Island), municipalities (including cities, towns and school districts), and quasi-public agencies.

3. Participating State Modifications or Additions to Master Agreement:

The parties agree that Section 14.b of the Master Agreement is modified with the following:

- a.) At the beginning of the paragraph insert "For Ricoh manufactured Products" before "The Contractor shall defend, indemnify..."
- b.) The parties agree that Section 14.b.2 of the Master Agreement is changed with the following:
 - 1. Sentence three (3), is replaced with the following: "Otherwise, the Contractor shall have control over the defense and settlement of it."
 - 2. In sentence four (4) after "However," the following is inserted: "regarding the settlement of such claim".

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3. Sentences six (6) and seven (7) are replaced with the following: "If such a claim is made or appears likely to be made, the Indemnified Party agrees to permit Contractor to enable Indemnified Party to continue to use the Product, or to modify it, or replace it with one that is at least functionally equivalent. If Contractor determines that none of these alternatives is reasonably available, Indemnified Party agrees to return the Product to Contractor on its written request. Contractor will then give Indemnified Party a credit equal to Indemnified Party's net book value provided Indemnified Party has followed generally-accepted accounting principles;

This is Contractor's entire obligation to Indemnified Party regarding any claim of infringement."

The additional terms and conditions set forth as Exhibit A and entitled "State of Rhode Island Procurement Regulations - Appendix A General Conditions of Purchase" are hereby incorporated by reference into this Participating Addendum. To the extent of an express conflict between the terms and conditions of the Master Agreement for Copiers, Printers & Related Devices 14-19 ("Master Agreement") and those set forth in Exhibit A, the terms and conditions of the Master Agreement shall take precedence. This Addendum and the Master Agreement shall be considered as the "solicitation" within the meaning of Section 2 of Exhibit A.

Notwithstanding the above, the Master Agreement and this Participating Addendum shall be governed by and shall be interpreted in accordance with the laws of the State of Rhode Island; venue of any action brought with regard to this engagement shall be in Providence County, Providence, Rhode Island, and Contractor accepts the personal jurisdiction of such courts.

4. Leases

Equipment leases are subject to the Terms and Conditions of the Ricoh Lease Agreement, as set forth as Exhibit D (Ricoh Lease Agreement) unless otherwise agreed to. To initiate a lease, Buyers may issue a Purchase Order ["PO"] and reference the type of lease (FMV, Operational, or Capital Lease) on the PO or may simply sign the Ricoh Lease Agreement. Each PO shall be deemed to constitute a Schedule under the Terms and Conditions of the Lease Agreement. Notwithstanding anything to the contrary in this PA, in the event of a conflict between an executed Lease Agreement and the Master Agreement, the terms of the Lease Agreement will supersede and control. The Lease Agreement and each PO issued prior to the termination of this PA shall survive the termination of this PA and the Master Agreement.

Lease Renewals: FMV & Operational leases are subject to automatic price reductions at time of lease renewal. 30 days prior to lease expiration, Buyers will provide written notice of intent to enter into a lease renewal. Price reduction in equipment payment are as follows (a) twelve (12) month extension - for original lease terms of thirty-six (36) or forty-eight (48) month, a twenty (20) % lease payment reduction or (b) twenty-four (24) month extension - for original lease term of thirty-six (36) months a thirty-five (35)% lease payment reduction.

End of term removal: End of term: At the end of term, Lessee shall have the option to: (i) renew the schedule (ii)

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purchase the Equipment or (iii) return the equipment. If Lessee desires to exercise a renewal or purchase of the equipment, it shall give Contractor written notice at least thirty (30) days before the expiration of such Schedule Term. Notwithstanding anything to the contrary, if lessee fails to notify CONTRACTOR of its intent with respect to the exercise of a renewal or purchase option, the initial schedule term shall be terminated on the date as stated in the schedule and removal of the product will be arranged. At the end of term of any Capital lease, title to the applicable equipment shall transfer to Customer, the equipment will not be returned and the related PO will not be renewed.

Ricoh may assign, solely for financing purposes, their right title and interest in and to: (i) the Products subject to Lease Agreements or POs; (ii) all payments and other amounts due and to become due thereunder with respect to the Products; and (iii) all rights and remedies under this Participating Addendum and the applicable Lease Agreement with respect to the Products, such payments and other amounts due. Any such assignment however, does not excuse Ricoh from bearing any obligation, terms and conditions as outlined under the either the WSCA/NASPO Master Agreement 3091 or this Participating Addendum.

5. **Primary Contacts:** The primary contact individuals for this participating addendum are as follows (or their named successors):

Contractor

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| Name | Ricoh USA, Bart Lemmon, WSCA-NASPO National Contract Manager |
| Address | 70 Valley Stream Parkway, Malvern, PA 91355 |
| Telephone | 425-255-0730 |
| Fax | 425-228-2115 |
| E-mail | bart.lemmon@ricoh-usa.com |

Local Contact for Billing and Customer support

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| Name | Roger Hosler |
| Address | |
| Telephone | 561-529-2204 |
| Fax | |
| E-mail | Roger.hosler@Ricoh-usa.com |

Participating Entity

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|-----------|-----------------------------------------------|
| Name | State of Rhode Island, Lisa Hill, Chief Buyer |
| Address | One Capitol Hill, Providence, RI 02908 |
| Telephone | 401-574-8118 |
| Fax | 401-574-8387 |
| E-mail | Lisa.hill@purchasing.ri.gov |

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6. Subcontractors:

All [contractor] dealers and resellers authorized in the State of Rhode Island, as shown on the dedicated [contractor] (cooperative contract) website, are approved to provide sales and service support to participants in the NASPO Master Price Agreement. The [contractors] dealer's participation will be in accordance with the terms and conditions set forth in the aforementioned Master Agreement. An Authorized Service Provider shall be deemed "Contractor" under this PA for any PO issued directly to and accepted by such Authorized Service Provider and all references in the Lease Agreement to Ricoh shall be deemed to refer to such Authorized Service Provider.

7. Purchase Order Instructions:

Orders can be made out to (a) Ricoh USA, Inc or (b) Authorized Service Providers as approved by Ricoh and the State. To the extent Buyer and Contractor agree on additional terms, the terms will be documented on the Buyer PO, or other transaction document such as a Statement of Work, signed by both parties.

All orders should contain the following (1) Mandatory Language "PO is subject to WSCA-NASPO Contract resulting from RFP # 3091", (2) Your Name, Address, Contact, & Phone-Number (3) Purchase order amount (4) If Leased, type of Lease (FMV, Operational, or Capital lease) and monthly payment (5) Itemized list of accessories (6) Service Program selected and CPC rates. Please channel your PO through one of our authorized resellers so they can arrange for proper ordering and installation of your unit.

Unless otherwise agreed upon by both parties in writing, signing the delivery and acceptance certificate constitutes Acceptance of the Product(s) and allows Contractor to invoice for the Product(s). Contractor will provide timely billing and Customer will notify Contractor, in writing, of any billing concern. Contractor will be allowed a thirty (30) day cure period upon receipt of such notification to address any such billing issue. Invoices that require update due to information being received incorrectly or late from the Buyer, are not considered inaccurate.

For Ricoh USA, Inc. Orders:

| Address Purchase Orders to: | Purchases Remit Payment to: | Leases Remit Payment to: |
|------------------------------------------------------------------|--------------------------------------------------------------|---------------------------|
| Ricoh USA, Inc. 70 Valley Stream Parkway Malvern, PA 19355 | Ricoh USA, Inc. Box 827577 PHILADELPHIA, PA 19182-7577 | Address listed on invoice |

For Authorized Service Provider Orders, address to and remit payments as shown on the dedicated Ricoh (cooperative contract) website or, in the case of lease payments, to the address listed on the invoice.

8. Additional Service Level Agreement Commitments: The Service Level Agreement (SLA) set forth as Exhibit B provides additional service level goals.

9. Ricoh / WSCA Master Maintenance & Sale Agreement:

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Notwithstanding anything to the contrary in the Master Agreement, Buyers are subject to "Ricoh WSCA Maintenance and Sale Agreement" attached and incorporated herein as Exhibit C. Unless otherwise agreed, software is provided subject to the terms and conditions of the license applicable to such software.

10. Meter Collection Methods:

As part of its Services, Contractor may, at its discretion and dependent upon device capabilities, provide electronic remote meter reading and equipment monitoring services using technology such as its @Remote solution. This may allow for automated meter reading and submission, automatic placement of low toner alerts, automatic placement of service calls in the event of a critical Product failure and may enable firmware upgrades.

11. MAINTENANCE SERVICES FOR KODAK NEXPRESS PRODUCTS:

Buyers must execute a Kodak Maintenance Agreement directly with Kodak for service on Nexpress products and Kodak is solely responsible for such service.

12. Insurance:

Contractor will maintain the following insurance limits while performing any services under this Participating Addendum: (a) Workers' Compensation Insurance for Contractor employees, including coverage required under the State's and Federal Laws; (b) Employer's Liability Insurance with limits of a minimum of: (i) \$1,000,000 for each accident for bodily injury by accident, (ii) \$1,000,000 for bodily injury by disease, and (iii) \$1,000,000 for each employee for bodily injury by disease; (c) General Liability Insurance that includes the State as an additional insured with limits of: (i) \$1,000,000 per occurrence for bodily injury and property damage and (ii) \$2,000,000 annual aggregate. Buyer will bear All-Risk Property Insurance to insure physical loss or damage, at replacement value, of all Products no matter where stored or located by Buyer or other property of Contractor's in Buyer's care, custody and control or while in transit (if applicable).

13. Audit Rights:

Upon the prior written request of the State and no more frequently than once a year during the term of this Agreement, Contractor will provide copies of the documentation that is reasonably necessary for the State to confirm its payment obligations under any invoice. Contractor will assist the State in connection with its efforts to verify the completeness and accuracy of the invoices. In no event, however, will Contractor be obligated to disclose any confidential information not directly pertaining to the invoice in question.

14. Price Agreement Number:

All purchase orders issued by purchasing entities within the jurisdiction of this participating addendum shall include the Participating State contract number: [insert appropriate number] and the Lead State price agreement number: 3091.

15. Individual Customer:

Each State agency and political subdivision, as a Participating Entity, that purchases products/services will be treated as if they were Individual Customers. Except to the extent modified by a Participating Addendum, each agency and political subdivision will be responsible to follow the terms and conditions of the Master Agreement; and they will have the same

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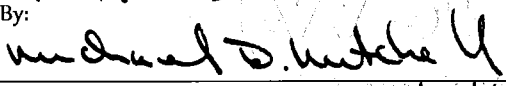

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rights and responsibilities for their purchases as the Lead State has in the Master Agreement. Each agency and political subdivision will be responsible for their own charges, fees, and liabilities. Each agency and political subdivision will have the same rights to any indemnity or to recover any costs allowed in the contract for their purchases. The Contractor will apply the charges to each Participating Entity individually.

This Participating Addendum and the Master Agreement number 3091 (administered by the State of Nevada) together with its exhibits, set forth the entire agreement between the parties with respect to the subject matter of all previous communications, representations or agreements, whether oral or written, with respect to the subject matter hereof. Terms and conditions inconsistent with, contrary or in addition to the terms and conditions of this Addendum and the Master Agreement, together with its exhibits, shall not be added to or incorporated into this Addendum or the Master Agreement and its exhibits, by any subsequent purchase order or otherwise, and any such attempts to add or incorporate such terms and conditions are hereby rejected unless accepted by signature of both Buyer and Contractor as stated in Section 7 of this PA. The terms and conditions of this Addendum and the Master Agreement and its exhibits shall prevail and govern in the case of any such inconsistent or additional terms within the Participating State.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the parties have executed this Addendum as of the date of execution by both parties below.

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| Participating State: Rhode Island | Contractor: RicoH USA, Inc |
| By:  | By:  |
| Name: Michael D. Mitchell | Name: Tom Brown |
| Title: Deputy Purchasing Agent | Title: VP, Government & Higher Education |
| Date: 12/29/15 | Date: 12-11-15 |

[Additional signatures as required by Participating State]

If you have questions about this Participating Addendum or the participation process, please contact:

WSCA-NASPO COOPERATIVE PURCHASING ORGANIZATION

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| Name | Paul Stembler, Cooperative Development Coordinator |
| Telephone | 651-206-3858 |
| E-mail | paul.stembler@wsca-naspo.org |

[Fully executed PDF copy of this document should be emailed to PA@wsca-naspo.org to support documentation of participation and posting in appropriate data bases]

**STATE OF RHODE ISLAND
PROCUREMENT REGULATIONS**

APPENDIX A – GENERAL CONDITIONS OF PURCHASE



Amended regulations adopted June 20, 2011

Division of Purchases
Rhode Island Department of Administration
One Capitol Hill, Second Floor
Providence, Rhode Island 02908

Tel: (401) 574-8100

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(Signature)

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RI SECRETARY OF STATE
ADMINISTRATIVE RECORDS

The following amended State of Rhode Island Procurement Regulations were adopted by me, as Director of the State of Rhode Island Department of Administration, on the _____ day of June 2011.

Richard A. Licht, Director
State of Rhode Island
Department of Administration
One Capitol Hill
Providence, Rhode Island 02908

Date of Public Notice: May 5, 2011
Date of Public Hearing: June 8, 2011
End of Comment Period: June 8, 2011

GENERAL CONDITIONS OF PURCHASE

All State Purchase Orders, Contracts, Solicitations, Delivery Orders and Service Requests shall incorporate and be subject to the provisions of Title 37 Chapter 2 of the General Laws of the State of Rhode Island, the Regulations adopted pursuant thereto, all other applicable provisions of the Rhode Island General Laws, specific requirements described in the Request or Contract, and the following General Conditions of Purchase:

1. GENERAL - All purchase orders, contracts, solicitations, delivery orders, and service requests are for specified goods and services, in accordance with express terms and conditions of purchase, as defined herein. For the purposes of this document, the terms "bidder" and "contractor" refer to any individual, firm, corporation, or other entity presenting a proposal indicating a desire to enter into contracts with the State, or with whom a contract is executed by the State's Purchasing Agent, and the term "contractor" shall have the same meaning as "vendor".

2. ENTIRE AGREEMENT - The State's Purchase Order, or other State contract endorsed by the State Office of Purchases, shall constitute the entire and exclusive agreement between the State and any contractor receiving an award. In the event any conflict between the bidder's standard terms of sale, these conditions or more specific provisions contained in the solicitation shall govern. All communication between the State and any contractor pertaining to any award or contract shall be accomplished in writing.

- **a.** Each proposal will be received with the understanding that the acceptance, in writing, by contract or Purchase Order by the Purchasing Agent of the offer to do work or to furnish any or all the materials, equipment, supplies or services described therein shall constitute a contract between the bidder and the State. This shall bind the bidder on his part to furnish and deliver at the prices and in accordance with the conditions of said accepted proposal and detailed specifications and the State on its part to order from such contractor (except in case of emergency) and to pay for at the agreed prices, all materials, equipment, supplies or services specified and delivered. A contract shall be deemed executory only to the extent of funds available for payment of the amounts shown on Purchase Orders issued by the State to the contractors.

- b.** No alterations or variations of the terms of the contract shall be valid or binding upon the State unless submitted in writing and accepted by the Purchasing Agent. All orders and changes thereof must emanate from the Office of Purchases: no oral agreement or arrangement made by a contractor with an agency or employee will be considered to be binding on the Purchasing Agent, and may be disregarded.

- c.** Contracts will remain in force for the contract period specified or until all articles or services ordered before date of termination shall have been

satisfactorily delivered or rendered and accepted and thereafter until all terms and conditions have been met, unless

1. terminated prior to expiration date by satisfactory delivery against orders of entire quantities, or
2. extended upon written authorization of the Purchasing Agent and accepted by the contractor, to permit ordering of the unordered balances or additional quantities at the contract price and in accordance with the contract terms, or
3. canceled by the State in accordance with other provisions stated herein.

• d. It is mutually understood and agreed that the contractor shall not assign, transfer, convey, sublet or otherwise dispose of this contract or his right, title or interest therein, or his power to execute such contract, to any other person, company or corporation, without the previous consent, in writing, of the Purchasing Agent.

e. If, subsequent to the submission of an offer or issuance of a purchase order or execution of a contract, the bidder or contractor shall merge with or be acquired by another entity, the contract may be terminated, except as a corporate resolution prepared by the contractor and the new entity ratifying acceptance of the original bid or contract terms, condition, and pricing is submitted to the Office of Purchases, and expressly accepted.

f. The contractor or bidder further warrants by submission of an offer or acceptance of a purchase order or other contract that he has no knowledge at the time of such action of any outstanding and delinquent or otherwise unsettled debt owed by him to the State, and agrees that later discovery by the Purchasing Agent that this warranty was given in spite of such knowledge, except where the matter is pending in hearing or from any appeal therefrom, shall form reasonable grounds for termination of the contract.

3. SUBCONTRACTS - No subcontracts or collateral agreements shall be permitted, except with the State's express consent. Upon request, contractors must submit to the Office of Purchases a list of all subcontractors to be employed in the performance of any Purchase Order or other contract arising from this Request.

4. RELATIONSHIP OF PARTIES - The contractor or bidder warrants, by submission of an offer or acceptance of a purchase order or other contract, that he is not an employee, agent, or servant of the State, and that he is fully qualified and capable in all material regards to provide the specified goods and services. Nothing herein shall be construed as creating any contractual relationship or obligation between the State and any sub-bidder, subcontractor, supplier, or employee of the contractor or offeror.

5. COSTS OF PREPARATION - All costs associated with the preparation, development, or submission of bids or other offers will be borne by the offeror. The State will not reimburse any offeror for such costs.

6. SPECIFIED QUANTITY REQUIREMENT - Except where expressly specified to the contrary, all solicitations and contracts are predicated on a specified quantity of goods or services, or for a specified level of funding.

- a. The State reserves the right to modify the quantity, scope of service, or funding of any contract, with no penalty or charge, by written notice to the contractor, except where alternate terms have been expressly made a part of contract.

- b. The State shall not accept quantities in excess of the specified quantity except where the item is normally sold by weight (where sold by weight, the State will not accept quantities greater than ten per cent [10%] of the specified quantity), or where the Request or Contract provides for awards for other than exact quantities.

- c. Purchase Orders or other contracts may be increased in quantity or extended in term without subsequent solicit with the mutual consent of the contractor and the State, where determined by the Purchasing Agent to be in the State's best interest.

7. TERM AND RENEWAL - Where offers have been requested or contracts awarded for terms exceeding periods of twelve (12) months, it is mutually understood and agreed that the State's commitment is limited to a base term not to exceed twelve (12) months, subject to renewal annually at the State's sole option for successive terms as otherwise described, except where expressly specified to the contrary. Purchase orders appearing to commit to obligations of funding or terms of performance may be executed for administrative convenience, but are otherwise subject to this provision, and in such cases the State's renewal shall be deemed to be automatic, conditional on the continued availability of appropriated funds for the purpose, except as written notice of the State's intent not to renew is served.

8. DELIVERY - Delivery must be made as ordered and in accordance with the proposal. If delivery qualifications do not appear on the bidder's proposal, it will be interpreted to mean that goods are in stock and that shipment will be made within seven (7) calendar days. The decision of the Purchasing Agent, as to reasonable compliance with the delivery terms, shall be final. Burden of proof of delay in receipt of order shall rest with the contractor. No delivery charges shall be added to invoices except when authorized on the Purchase Order.

9. FOREIGN CORPORATIONS - In accordance with Title 7 Chapter 1.1 of the General Laws of Rhode Island, no foreign corporation shall have the right to transact business in this state until it shall have procured a certificate of authority so to do from the Secretary of State.

10. PRICING - All pricing offered or extended to the State is considered to be firm and fixed unless expressly provided for to the contrary. All prices shall be quoted F.O.B. Destination with freight costs included in the unit cost to be paid by the State, except, where the Request or Contract permits, offers reflecting F.O.B. Shipping Point will be considered, and freight costs may then be prepaid and added to the invoice.

11. COLLUSION - Bidder or contractor warrants that he has not, directly or indirectly, entered into any agree participated in any collusion or otherwise taken any action in restraint of full competitive bidding. In special circumstances, an executed affidavit will be required as a part of the bid.

12. PROHIBITION AGAINST CONTINGENT FEES AND GRATUITIES - Bidder or contractor warrants that he has not paid, and agrees not to pay, any bonus, commission, fee, or gratuity to any employee or official of the State for the purpose of obtaining any contract or award issued by the State. Bidder or contractor further warrants that no commission or other payment has been or will be received from or paid to any third party contingent on the award of any contract by the State, except as shall have been expressly communicated to the State Purchasing Agent in writing prior to acceptance of the contract or award in question. Subsequent discovery by the State of non-compliance with these provisions shall constitute sufficient cause for immediate termination of all outstanding contracts and suspension or debarment of the bidder(s) or contractor(s) involved.

13. AWARDS - Awards will be made with reasonable promptness and by written notice to the successful bidder (only); bids are considered to be irrevocable for a period of sixty (60) days following the bid opening unless expressly provided for to the contrary in the Request, and may not be withdrawn during this period without the express permission of the Purchasing Agent.

- a. Awards shall be made to the bidder(s) whose offer(s) constitutes the lowest responsive price offer (or lowest responsive price offer on an evaluated basis) for the item(s) in question or for the Request as a whole, at the option of the State. The State reserves the right to determine those offers which are responsive to the Request, or which otherwise serve its best interests.

- b. The State reserves the right, before making award, to initiate investigations as to whether or not the materials, equipment, supplies, qualifications or facilities offered by the bidder meet the requirements set forth in the proposal and specification, and are ample and sufficient to insure the proper performance of the contract in the event of award. If upon such examination it is found that the conditions of the proposal are not complied with or that articles or equipment proposed to be furnished do not meet the requirements called for, or that the qualifications or facilities are not satisfactory, the State may reject such a bid. It is distinctly understood, however, that nothing in the foregoing shall mean or imply that it is obligatory upon the State to make any examinations before awarding a contract; and it is further understood that if such examination is made, it in no

way relieves the contractor from fulfilling all requirements and conditions of the contract.

c. Qualified or conditional offers which impose limitations of the bidder's liability or modify the requirements of the bid, offers for alternate specifications, or which are made subject to different terms and conditions than those specified by the State may, at the option of the State, be

1. Rejected as being non-responsive, or
2. set aside in favor of the State's terms and conditions (with the consent of the bidder), or
3. accepted, where the State Purchasing Agent determines that such acceptance best serves the interests of the State.

• Acceptance or rejection of alternate or counter-offers by the State shall not constitute a precedent which shall be considered to be binding on successive solicitations or procurements.

d. Bids submitted in pencil, or which do not bear an original signature, in ink, by an owner or authorized agent thereof, will not be accepted.

e. Bids must be extended in the unit of measure specified in the Request. In the event of any discrepancy between unit prices and their extensions, the unit price will govern.

f. The Purchasing Agent reserves the right to determine the responsibility of any bidder for a particular procurement.

g. The Purchasing Agent reserves the right to reject any and all bids in whole or in part, to waive technical defects, irregularities, and omissions, and to give consideration to past performance of the offerors where, in his judgment the best interests of the State will be served by so doing.

h. The Purchasing Agent reserves the right to make awards by items, group of items or on the total low bid for all the items specified as indicated in the detailed specification, unless the bidder specifically indicates otherwise in his bid.

i. Preference may be given to bids on products raised or manufactured in the State, other things being equal.

j. The impact of discounted payment terms shall not be considered in evaluating responses to any Request.

k. The Purchasing Agent reserves the right to act in the State's best interests regarding awards caused by clerical errors by the Office of Purchases.

14. SUSPENSION AND DEBARMENT - The Purchasing Agent may suspend or debar any vendor or potential bidder, for good cause shown:

- a. A debarment or suspension against a part of a corporate entity constitutes debarment or suspension of all of its divisions and all other organizational elements, except where the action has been specifically limited in scope and application, and may include all known corporate affiliates of a contractor, when such offense or act occurred in connection with the affiliate's performance of duties for or on behalf of the contractor, or with the knowledge, approval, or acquiescence of the contractor or one or more of its principals or directors (or where the contractor otherwise participated in, knew of, or had reason to know of the acts).

- b. The fraudulent, criminal or other serious improper conduct of any officer, director, shareholder, partner, employee, or any other individual associated with a contractor may be imputed to the contractor when the conduct occurred in connection with the individual's performance of duties for or on behalf of the contractor, or with the contractor's knowledge, approval or acquiescence. The contractor's acceptance of benefits derived from the conduct shall be evidence of such knowledge, approval, or acquiescence.

- c. A vendor or contractor who knowingly engages as a subcontractor for a contract awarded by the State to a vendor or contractor then under a ruling of suspension or debarment by the State shall be subject to disallowance of cost, annulment or termination of award, issuance of a stop work order, or debarment or suspension, as may be judged to be appropriate by the State Purchasing Agent.

15. PUBLIC RECORDS - Contractors and bidders are advised that all documents, correspondence, and other submissions to the Office of Purchases may be accessible as public records, pursuant to Title 38, Chapter 2 of the General Laws, absent specific notice that portions of such submittals may contain confidential or proprietary information, such that public access to those items should be withheld, and except as otherwise provided for pursuant to RIGL 37-2-18 (a)-(h) "Competitive Sealed Bidding".

16. PRODUCT EVALUATION - In all specifications, the words "or equal" are understood after each article when manufacturer's name or catalog are referenced. If bidding on items other than those specified, the bidder must, in every instance, give the trade designation of the article, manufacturer's name and detailed specifications of the item the bidder proposes to furnish; otherwise, the bid will be construed as submitted on the identical commodity described in the detailed specifications. The Purchasing Agent reserves the right to determine whether or not the item submitted is the approved equal the detailed specifications.

- **a.** Any objections to specifications must be filed by a bidder, in writing, with the Purchasing Agent at least 96 hours before the time of bid opening to enable the Office of Purchases to properly investigate the objections.

- b.** All standards are minimum standards except as otherwise provided for in the Request or Contract.

- c.** Samples must be submitted to the Office of Purchases in accordance with the terms of the proposals and detailed specifications. Samples must be furnished free of charge and must be accompanied by descriptive memorandum invoices indicating whether or not the bidder desires their return and specifying the address to which they are to be returned (at the bidder's risk and expense), provided they have not been used or made useless by tests; and absent instructions, the samples shall be considered to be abandoned. Award samples may be held for comparison with deliveries.

- d.** All samples submitted are subject to test by any laboratory the State Purchasing Agent may designate.

17. PRODUCT ACCEPTANCE - All merchandise offered or otherwise provided shall be new, of prime manufacture, and of first quality unless otherwise specified by the State. The State reserves the right to reject all nonconforming goods, and to cause their return for credit or replacement, at the State's option. Contract deliverables specified for procurements of services shall be construed to be work products, and subject to the provisions of this section.

- **a.** Failure by the State to discover latent defect(s) or concealed damage or non-conformance shall not foreclose the State's right to subsequently reject the goods in question.

- b.** Formal or informal acceptance by the State of non-conforming goods shall not constitute a precedent for successive receipts or procurements.

- c.** Where the contractor fails to promptly cure the defect or replace the goods, the State reserves the right to cancel the Purchase Order, contract with a different contractor, and to invoice the original contractor for any differential in price over the original contract price.

- d.** When materials, equipment or supplies are rejected, the same must be removed by the contractor from the premises of the State Agency within forty-eight (48) hours of notification. Rejected items left longer than two days will be regarded as abandoned and the State shall have the right to dispose of them as its own property.

18. PRODUCT WARRANTIES - All product or service warranties normally offered by the contractor or bidder shall accrue to the State's benefit, in addition to any special

requirements which may be imposed by the State. Every unit delivered must be guaranteed against faulty material and workmanship for a period of one year unless otherwise specified, and the State may, in the event of failure, order its replacement, repair, or return for full credit, at its sole option.

19. PAYMENT - Unless otherwise provided for by the Request or Contract, payment shall not be made until delivery has been made, or services performed, in full, and accepted. Payment shall not be due prior to thirty (30) working days following the latest of completion, acceptance, or the rendering of a properly submitted invoice.

- a. Payment terms other than the foregoing may be rejected as being non-responsive..

- b. No partial shipments will be accepted, unless provided for by the Request or Contract.

- c. Where a question of quality is involved, payment in whole or part against which to charge back any adjustment required, shall be withheld at the direction of the Purchasing Agent. In the event a cash discount is stipulated, the withholding of payments, as herein described, will not deprive the State from taking such discount.

- d. Payments for used portion of inferior delivery will be made by the State on an adjusted price basis.

- e. Payments on contracts under architectural or engineering supervision must be accompanied by a Certificate of Payment and Statement of Account signed by the architect or engineer and submitted to the Agency involved for approval.

20. THIRD PARTY PAYMENTS - The State recognizes no assigned or collateral rights to any purchase agreement except as may be expressly provided for in the bid or contract documents, and will not accede to any request for third party or joint payment(s), except as provided for in specific orders by a court of competent jurisdiction, or by express written permission of the Purchasing Agent. Where an offer is contingent upon such payment(s), the offeror is obligated to serve affirmative notice in his bid submission.

21. SET-OFF AGAINST PAYMENTS - Payments due the contractor shall be subject to reduction by the State Controller equal to the amount of unpaid and delinquent state taxes (or other just debt owed to the State), except where notice of delinquency has not been served or while the matter is pending in hearing or from any appeal therefrom.

22. CLAIMS - Any claim against a contractor may be deducted by the State from any money due him in the same or other transactions. If no deduction is made in such fashion, the contractor shall pay the State the amount of such claim on demand. Submission of a voucher and payment, thereof, by the State shall not preclude the Purchasing Agent from

demanding a price adjustment in any case when the commodity delivered is later found to deviate from the specifications and proposal.

- a. The Purchasing Agent may assess dollar damages against a vendor or contractor determined to be non-performing or otherwise in default of their contractual obligations equal to the cost of remedy incurred by the State, and make payment of such damages a condition for consideration for any subsequent award. Failure by the vendor or contractor to pay such damages shall constitute just cause for disqualification and rejection, suspension, or debarment.

23. STATE CONTROLLER'S CERTIFICATION OF FUNDING - Certification as to the availability of funds to support the procurement for the current fiscal year ending June 30th only. Where delivery or service requirements extend beyond the end of the current fiscal year, such extensions are subject to both the availability of appropriated funds and a determination of continued need.

24. UNUSED BALANCES - Unless otherwise specified, all unused Blanket Order quantities and/or unexpended funds shall be automatically canceled on the expiration of the specified term. Similarly, for orders encompassing more than one State fiscal year, unexpended balances of funding allotted for an individual fiscal year may be liquidated at the close of that fiscal year, at the State's sole option.

25. MINORITY BUSINESS ENTERPRISES - Pursuant to the provisions of Title 37 Chapter 14.1 of the General Laws, the State reserves the right to apply additional consideration to offers, and to direct awards to bidders other than the responsive bid representing the lowest price where:

- a. the offer is fully responsive to the terms and conditions of the Request, and
- b. the price offer is determined to be within a competitive range (not to exceed 5% higher than the lowest responsive price offer) for the product or service, and
- c. the firm making the offer has been certified by the R.I. Department of Economic Development to be a small business concern meeting the criteria established to be considered a Minority Business Enterprise. Ten per cent [10%] of the dollar value of the work performed against contracts for construction exceeding \$5,000 shall be performed by Minority Business Enterprises where it has been determined that subcontract opportunities exist, and where certified Minority Business Enterprises are available. A contractor may count towards its MBE, DBE, or WBE goals 60% of its expenditures for materials and supplies required under a contract and obtained from an MBE, DBE, or WBE regular dealer, and 100% of such expenditures when obtained from an MBE, DBE, or WBE manufacturer. Awards of this type shall be subject to approval, by the Director of Administration, of a Subcontracting Plan submitted by the bidder receiving the award.

26. PREVAILING WAGE REQUIREMENT - In accordance with Title 37 Chapter 13 of the General Laws of Rhode Island, payment of the general prevailing rate of per diem wages and the general prevailing rate for regular, overtime and other working conditions existing in the locality for each craft, mechanic, teamster, or type of workman needed to execute this work is a requirement for both contractors and subcontractors for all public works.

27. EQUAL OPPORTUNITY COMPLIANCE, HANDICAPPED ACCESS AND AFFIRMATIVE ACTION - Contractors of the State are required to demonstrate the same commitment to equal opportunity as prevails under federal contracts controlled by Federal Executive Orders 11246, 11625, 11375 and 11830, and Title 28 Chapter 5.1 of the General Laws of Rhode Island. Affirmative action plans shall be submitted by the contractor for review by the State Equal Opportunity Office. A contractor's failure to abide by the rules, regulations, contract terms and compliance reporting provisions as established shall be grounds for forfeiture and penalties as shall be established, including but not limited to suspension.

28. DRUG-FREE WORKPLACE REQUIREMENT - In accordance with Executive Order No. 91-14, Contractors who do business with the State and their employees shall abide by the State's drug-free workplace policy and the contractor shall so attest by signing a certificate of compliance.

29. GOODS PRODUCED IN THE REPUBLIC OF SOUTH AFRICA - In accordance with Chapters 35-10-12 and 37-2-57 of the General Laws, goods which are known to be wholly produced in the Republic of South Africa may not be accepted for any procurement the State of Rhode Island; the offeror attests by his submission of a bid or offer, or acceptance of a purchase order or other contract, that these prohibitions do not apply to material or goods which form the basis for his offer or contract.

30. TAXES - The State of Rhode Island is exempt from payment of excise, transportation and sales tax imposed by the Federal or State Government. These taxes should not be included in the proposal price. Exemption Certificates will be furnished upon request.

31. INSURANCE - All construction contractors, independent tradesmen, or firms providing any type of maintenance, repair, or other type of service to be performed on state premises, buildings, or grounds are required to purchase and maintain coverage with a company or companies licensed to do business in the state as follows:

- a. Comprehensive General Liability Insurance -
 - 1) Bodily Injury \$1,000,000 each occurrence
 - \$1,000,000 annual aggregate
 - 2) Property Damage \$500,000 each occurrence
- \$500,000 annual aggregate
 - Independent Contractors
 - Contractual - including construction hold harmless and other types of contracts or agreements in effect for insured operations

- Completed Operations
- Personal Injury (with employee exclusion deleted)
- b. Automobile Liability Insurance -
- Combined Single Limit \$1,000,000 each occurrence
 - Bodily Injury
 - Property Damage, and in addition non-owned and/or hired vehicles and equipment
- c. Workers' Compensation Insurance -
- Coverage B \$100,000

The Purchasing Agent reserves the right to consider and accept alternate forms and plans of insurance or to require additional or more extensive coverage for any individual requirement. Successful bidders shall provide certificates of coverage, reflecting the State of Rhode Island as an additional insured, to the Office of Purchases, forty-eight (48) hours prior to the commencement of work, as a condition of award. Failure to comply with this provision shall result in rejection of the offeror's bid.

32. BID SURETY - When requested, a bidder must furnish a Bid Bond or Certified Check for 5% of his bid, or for the stated amount shown in the solicitation. Bid Bonds must be executed by a reliable Surety Company authorized to do business in the State of Rhode Island. Failure to provide Bid Surety with bid may be cause for rejection of bid. The Bid Surety of any three bidders in contention will be held until an award has been made according to the specifications of each proposal. All others will be returned by mail within 48 hours following the bid opening. Upon award of a contract, the remaining sureties will be returned by mail unless instructed to do otherwise.

33. PERFORMANCE AND LABOR AND PAYMENT BONDS - A performance bond and labor and payment bond of up to 100% of an award may be required by the Purchasing Agent. Bonds must meet the following requirements:

- a. Corporation: The Bond must be signed by an official of the corporation above his official title and the corporate seal must be affixed over his signature.
- b. Firm or Partnership: The Bond must be signed by all of the partners and must indicate that they are "Doing Business As (name of firm)."
- c. Individual: The Bond must be signed by the individual owning the business and indicate "Owner."
- d. The Surety Company executing the Bond must be licensed to do business in the State of Rhode Island or Bond must be countersigned by a company so licensed.
- e. The Bond must be signed by an official of the Surety Company and the corporate seal must be affixed over his signature.
- f. Signatures of two witnesses for both the principal and the Surety must appear on the Bond.
- g. A Power of Attorney for the official signing of the Bond for the Surety Company must be submitted with the Bond.

34. DEFAULT AND CANCELLATION - A contract may be canceled or annulled at the contractor's expense upon non-performance of contract, or breach, by the contractor,

of any of his obligations. Failure of contractor to cure such non-performance or breach within ten working days after the receipt of notice, shall be sufficient cause for the cancellation of the contract in question, the cancellation of all outstanding contracts or sub-contracts held by the contractor, and the suspension or debarment of the contractor from future procurements.

- a. Failure of a contractor to deliver or perform within the time specified, or within reasonable time as interpreted by the Purchasing Agent or failure to make replacement of rejected articles, when so requested, immediately or as directed by the Purchasing Agent, will cause the Purchasing Agent to purchase in the open market to replace those rejected or not delivered. The Purchasing Agent reserves the right to authorize immediate purchase in the open market against rejections on any contract when necessary. On all such purchases, the contractor, or his surety, agrees to promptly reimburse the State for excess costs occasioned by such default. Should the cost be less, the contractor shall have no claim to the difference.

- b. A contractor who fails to commence within the time specified or complete an award made for repairs, alterations, construction, or any other service will be considered in default of contract. The Purchasing Agent may contract for completion of the work with another contractor and seek recourse from the defaulting contractor or his surety.

- c. If contractor consistently fails to deliver quantities or otherwise perform as specified, the Purchasing Agent reserves the right to cancel the contract and purchase the balance in the open market at the contractor's expense.

35. INDEMNITY - The contractor guarantees:

- a. To save the State, its agents and employees, harmless from any liability imposed upon the State arising from the negligence, either active or passive, of the contractor, as well as for the use of any copyrighted or non-copyrighted composition, secret process, patented or unpatented invention, article or appliance furnished or used in the performance of the contract of which the contractor is not the patentee, assignee or licensee.

- b. To pay for all permits, licenses and fees and give all notices and comply with all laws, ordinances, rules and regulations of the city or town in which the installation is to be made and of the State of Rhode Island.

- c. That the equipment offered is standard new equipment, latest model of regular stock product with all parts regularly used with the type of equipment offered; also, that no attachment or part has been substituted or applied contrary to manufacturer's recommendations and standard practice.

36. CONTRACTOR'S OBLIGATIONS - In addition to the specific requirements of the contract, construction and building repair contractors bear the following standard responsibilities:

- a. To furnish adequate protection from damage for all work and to repair damages of any kind, for which he or his workmen are responsible, to the building or equipment, to his own work, or to the work of other contractors;

- b. To clear and remove all debris and rubbish resulting from his work from time to time, as directed or required, a completion of the work leave the premises in a neat unobstructed condition, broom clean, and in satisfactory order and repair;
- c. To store equipment, supplies, and material at the site only upon approval by the State, and at his own risk;
- d. To perform all work so as to cause the least inconvenience to the State, and with proper consideration for the rights of other contractors and workmen;
- e. To acquaint themselves with conditions to be found at the site, and to assume responsibility for the appropriate dispatching of equipment and supervision of his employees during the conduct of the work; and
- f. To ensure that his employees are instructed with respect to special regulations, policies, and procedures in effect for any State facility or site, and that they comply with such rules.

37. FORCE MAJEURE - All orders shall be filled by the contractor with reasonable promptness, but the contractor shall not be held responsible for any losses resulting if the fulfillment of the terms of the contract shall be delayed or prevented by wars, acts of public enemies, strikes, fires, floods, acts of God, or for any other acts not within the control of the contractor and which by the exercise of reasonable diligence, the contractor is unable to prevent.

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Exhibit B

RICOH MODEL SERVICE LEVEL AGREEMENT (SLA)

The purpose of this model Service Level Agreement (SLA) is to provide the Participating State (the "State") and Contractor with an example of either objectives or service level commitments with penalties for failure to perform. This model SLA utilizes a scorecard method for the Buyer level SLA and flat rate penalties for the State.

1. Buyer Level SLA

1.1 Purpose

The purpose of this addendum is to define service levels; penalties for the performance of the service levels; as well as provide the Buyer with a defined replacement process for equipment performing below expectations. This SLA does not implicate or involve lease related invoicing rather it involves equipment performance and maintenance issues.

1.2 Buyer Service Level Agreement

Contractor agrees to maintain the following service levels defined below as targets:

| Performance Criteria | Target Level |
|-------------------------------|------------------------------------|
| Average Uptime | 96% or Better |
| Average On-Site Response Time | 4 Hours or Less |
| First Time Fix | 80% of all service calls or better |

These service levels will be measured on a quarterly basis between Contractor and the State.

1.3 Calculation of Service Level Points

Once per quarter, upon written request by the Buyer, Contractor will produce reporting to be measured against the Service Level Agreement and points will be assigned according to the following chart. These points will be added to produce a total Service Level score. This score will be used to determine the subsequent penalty according to the following schedule where the penalty can be up to 4% of the previous quarter's service and supplies billing (expressed as a negative %).

| | | | | | |
|---------------------------------------------------------------------------------|---------------------|-----------------------|-----------------------|-----------------------|-----------------------|
| 1.4 Performance | Target Level | Below Target 1 | Below Target 2 | Below Target 3 | Below Target 4 |
| Average Uptime | 98% or Higher | 97.9% - 96% | 95.9% - 94% | 94.9% - 94% | 93.9% or lower |
| Possible Points | 4 | 3 | 2 | 2 | 0 |
| Response Time (in Hours) | Target Level | Below Target 1 | Below Target 2 | Below Target 3 | Below Target 4 |
| Average On-Site Response Time (in Hours) | 4 or Less | 4.1 - 5 | 5.1 - 6 | 6.1 - 7 | 7.1 or more |
| Possible Points | 4 | 3 | 2 | 2 | 0 |
| First Time Fix | Target Level | Below Target 1 | Below Target 2 | Below Target 3 | Below Target 4 |
| First Time Fix | 80% or Higher | 79.9% - 70% | 69.9% - 60% | 59.9% - 50% | Less than 50% |
| Possible Points | 4 | 3 | 2 | 2 | 0 |
| Total Score | Target Level | Below Target 1 | Below Target 2 | Below Target 3 | Below Target 4 |
| Total Score | 12 - 10 | 9 - 7 | 6 - 4 | 3 - 1 | 0 |
| Penalty/Award as a percentage of quarterly service and supplies billings | 0% | -2.5% | -3.0% | -3.5% | -4.0% |

The penalty shall be awarded to the Buyer as a credit or by check on the following period's service and supplies invoice.

1.5 Equipment Performance

Contractor guarantees that the Buyer's fleet specified within any maintenance agreement, for units within the Urban service area, will average the monthly uptime as measured on a quarterly basis by product segment listed below.

| Group | Devices | Segments | Quarterly Uptime |
|-------|------------------------------------|----------|------------------|
| A | Copiers Black & White | All | 95% |
| B | Copiers Color | All | 95% |
| C | Wide Format Devices | All | 95% |
| D | Printers (Color and Black & White) | All | 95% |
| E | Digital Duplicators | All | 95% |

If any unit fails to maintain this level of performance for the monthly uptime, excluding service calls caused by operator error, provided Contractor has been given a ninety (90) day cure period, that unit will be subject to replacement at the

Buyer's discretion on a like-for-like basis with then current technology. Prior to installing a substitute product, Contractor will be allowed ninety (90) days to remedy any quality or reliability issues. The 95% uptime requirement shall not apply to devices whose uptime depends, in large part, on the operator's efficiency in replacing operator replaceable components.

Should Contractor determine that it cannot maintain a unit of Equipment or an Accessory in good working order, Contractor shall, at its own expense, replace such Equipment with another unit of the same product designation as that Equipment (a "replacement unit") and Ricoh shall bear all installation, transportation, removal and rigging charges in connection with the installation of such replacement unit; provided, however that (a) the replacement unit may be a reconditioned or otherwise used unit rather than a new unit; and (b) if a replacement unit of the same product designation as the unit of Equipment it replaces is not available, the replacement unit may be a product of substantially similar or greater capabilities.

The replacement unit will be in "as new" condition, both in operation and appearance. In addition, all warranties and maintenance coverage that applied to the removed unit will also apply to the permanent replacement equipment.

A designated factory authorized technician must certify each unit's ability to produce acceptable impressions with acceptable copies between calls or uptime. The guarantee will remain in effect for the term of the contract or up to five (5) years from the date of purchase/lease, provided the equipment has not been subjected to abuse or neglect and has been continuously covered by The Ricoh WSCA Master Maintenance & Sale Agreement. This replacement policy will remain in effect for the term of the contract and is subject to the Customer remaining current with supplier's payment requirements.

1.6 Additional Vendor Obligations

- 1.6.1 Training** – On-going training as requested by the Buyer to be performed within two (2) weeks of requested date for on-site training and two (2) hours for phone/technical support. .

To aid Buyer after the training session, Contractor will provide a manual for every device for reference purposes. In addition, Contractor will offer Quick Reference Guides and 24-hour toll-free end-user technical support for everyday minor troubleshooting.

- 1.6.2 Loaner Unit/Backup Production** – If any unit is inoperable due to equipment malfunction for a period in excess of 72 hours, as determined solely by Contractor, Contractor shall provide the Buyer with either:

- i) A loaner unit of similar speed and capabilities until such time as the unit(s) covered by this agreement are operable, or

- ii) Provide the Buyer with off-site manned production capabilities to accomplish the work of the unit that is inoperable at the sole cost of the Contractor. Such costs shall be limited to cost of production (service and supplies), equipment, labor, power, transportation of jobs to and from the off-site production facility and facilities.

1.6.3 **Invoicing – Contractor** shall maintain timely, accurate invoicing, less service run impressions, as defined below. The assigned copy machine operators, back-up personnel, and office personnel shall respond in a timely manner to the Contractor's e-mails, facsimiles, and phone calls in providing the readings. Receiving meters from Buyer is a necessary step in the process of generating a complete and accurate invoice. Invoices that are generated without receiving the proper meter read information, due to the Buyer's failure to provide such meter by the last day of the month, are not considered inaccurate. Failure on the Contractor's part to maintain the Service levels as defined in the table below shall result in a \$50.00 per instance credit on the following invoice, provided Buyer has provided written notice of any such alleged invoicing problem and Contractor has been allowed a 30 day cure period after such notice to address any such issue.

| Measurable | Service Level |
|---------------------|---------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|
| Timely Invoicing | Maintenance invoices will be submitted no later than the 25 th of the month immediately following the close of a billing period. |
| Accurate Invoicing | Maintenance invoices do not require any credits for miss-billing |
| Service Impressions | Vendor will credit all service run impressions within the same billing cycle |

2. Reporting and Billing

- 2.1 **Timely Reporting** – Contractor shall produce reporting for the Participating State within 30 days of the closing of the reporting period. Failure to do so will result in a penalty of \$5.00 per work day beyond the 30 day period.
- 2.2 **Timely Payment of Administrative Fees** – Contractor shall produce payment for any State Specific Administrative Fee within -60days of the closing of the reporting period. Failure to do so will result in a penalty of \$5.00 per work day beyond the 60 day period.
- 2.3 **Accuracy of Reporting** – The State may request, at any point, proof of the reporting accuracy through the data set supporting the reporting. If the State has reason to believe that multiple and systemic reporting errors exist, that cannot be corrected to the State's reasonable satisfaction; the State may require an audit by a third party whereby the Contractor will provide supporting documentation to allow such third party to confirm the accuracy of the reporting.. If errors are

found, the Contractor must reimburse the State for the cost of the auditor as well as correcting any administrative fee errors provided, however, the Contractor shall not be required to reimburse the Buyer for any cost of the auditor to the extent such cost exceeds the amount of the administrative fee error.

- 2.4 **Accuracy of Billing** – The State may request, at any point, proof of the billing accuracy through the data set supporting the billing. If the State has reason to believe that multiple and systemic billing errors exist, that cannot be corrected to the State's reasonable satisfaction; the State may require an audit by a third party whereby the Contractor will provide supporting documentation to allow such third party to confirm the accuracy of the reporting. If errors are found, the Contractor must reimburse the State for the cost of the auditor as well as correcting any billing errors provided, however, the Contractor shall not be required to reimburse the Buyer for any cost of the auditor to the extent such cost exceeds the amount of the billing fee error.
- 2.5 **Penalties** – All penalties under this, section two (2) of the Service Level Agreement, shall be payable to the State.
- 2.6 All other Service terms and conditions are set forth in the WSCA Master Maintenance & Sale Agreement, as included in Contractor's bid submission, and are incorporated by reference into this SLA. The remedies provided in this SLA are the Buyer's and State's sole and exclusive remedies for Contractor's failure to fulfill its obligations stated in this SLA



EXHIBIT C

WSCA MASTER MAINTENANCE & SALE AGREEMENT

| CUSTOMER INFORMATION | | | | |
|----------------------|--|-------|--|----------|
| Legal Name | | | | |
| Bill To Address | | | | |
| City | | State | | Zip Code |

This Master Maintenance & Sale Agreement ("Agreement") sets forth the specific terms and conditions under which Ricoh USA, Inc. ("Ricoh") agrees to sell the specific equipment, software, and/or hardware ("Products") identified on an Order (defined below) entered into pursuant to WSCA Contract #3091 hereunder and/or provide the services identified on an Order ("Services") entered into hereunder to Customer (defined above) from time to time. Either party may terminate the "master" arrangement contemplated by this Agreement at any time upon prior written notice to the other. Termination of this Agreement shall not, however, alter or otherwise modify the rights or obligations of the parties with respect to any Order Form (each an "Order") placed and accepted prior to such termination. Each Order is separately enforceable as a complete and independent binding agreement, independent of all other Orders, if any.

The following terms shall apply to all Service transactions:

- Services.** (a) In order to obtain Services from Ricoh hereunder, Customer will either (i) execute an Order (in a form to be provided and executed by Ricoh) referencing WSCA Contract #3091, Applicable State Participating Amendment, and this Agreement, or (ii) issue a valid and signed purchase order to Ricoh (each referred to in this Agreement as an "Order"). Each Order must identify the specific equipment to be serviced, the term of the Service engagement, the location at which Services shall be performed and the applicable Service charges for such Order. Ricoh will not be responsible to provide Services for equipment, in the event the term or locations are not identified on the Order accepted by Ricoh.

(b) Ricoh will repair or replace in accordance with the terms and conditions of this Agreement and the manufacturer's specifications any part of the Serviced Products that becomes unserviceable due to normal usage (other than consumable supplies). Failure to permit Ricoh to repair or replace the Serviced Products shall result in a material breach of this Agreement and excuse Ricoh from any and all future performance hereunder. Replacement parts will be furnished on an exchange basis and will be new, reconditioned or used. Except for hard drives on Customer-owned equipment, all parts removed due to replacement will become the property of Ricoh.

(c) The Services provided by Ricoh under an Order will not include the following: (i) repairs resulting from misuse (including without limitation improper voltage or the use of supplies that do not conform to the manufacturer's specifications) or the failure to provide, or the failure of, adequate electrical power, air conditioning or humidity control; (ii) repairs made necessary by service performed by persons other than Ricoh representatives; (iii) service calls or work which Customer requests to be performed outside of Normal Business Hours (defined below) (unless covered under an extended hour service contract) and Service calls or work which Customer requests to be performed on Ricoh Holidays (defined below); (iv) removable cassette, copy cabinet, exit trays, or any item not related to the mechanical or electrical operation of the Serviced Products; (v) consumable supplies such as paper or staples, unless expressly provided for in this Order; (vi) repairs and/or service calls resulting from attachments not purchased from Ricoh; (vii) any software, system support or related connectivity unless specified in writing by Ricoh; (viii) parts no longer available from the applicable manufacturer; (ix) electrical work external to the Serviced Products, including problems resulting from overloaded or improper circuits; (x) installation or de-installation and/or movement of the Serviced Products from one location to another unless specified in writing by Ricoh; and (xi) repairs of damage or increase in service time caused by force majeure events. Damage to Serviced Products or parts arising from causes beyond the control of Ricoh are not covered by this Agreement. Ricoh may terminate its Service obligations under any Order for Serviced Products that have been modified, damaged, altered or serviced by personnel other than those employed by Ricoh.
- Service Calls.** Service calls will be made during 9:00am – 5:00pm local service time, Monday through Friday ("Normal Business Hours") at the installation address shown on the applicable Order. Service does not include coverage on Ricoh holidays, which include New Year's Day, Memorial Day, 4th of July, Labor Day, Thanksgiving, the day after Thanksgiving and Christmas Day (collectively, "RicoH Holidays"). Travel and labor-time for the service calls after Normal Business Hours, on weekends and on Ricoh Holidays, if and when available and only in the event and to the extent that Ricoh agrees to provide such non-standard coverage, will be charged at overtime rates in effect at the time the service call is made. Customer is responsible for disconnecting, repairing and re-connecting unauthorized attachments or components.
- Reconditioning.** Reconditioning and similar major overhauls of Serviced Products may be covered by applicable manufacturer warranties, but are not covered by this Agreement or any Order. If Ricoh determines that such actions may be necessary as a result of normal wear and tear of materials and age factors caused by normal usage in order to keep the Serviced Products in working condition, Ricoh will submit to Customer an estimate of the needed repairs and the cost for such repairs (which costs will be in addition to the Service Charges payable under the Order).
- Engineering Changes.** Engineering changes, determined applicable by Ricoh, will be controlled and installed by Ricoh. Engineering changes which provide additional capabilities to the Ricoh Equipment (defined below) covered herein will be made at Customer's request at Ricoh's applicable time and material rates then in effect.
- Term.** Each Order shall become effective on the effective date of the Order and shall continue for the term identified in the Order. At the expiration of the initial term or any extended term of the Order, it will automatically, subject to applicable law and without further action required by either party, renew for an additional twelve (12) month period, provided that Customer is not then in default. The contracted rate will be adjusted to Ricoh's then-prevailing rates, to be reflected in an automatic increase as of the renewal date, and Customer expressly consents to such adjustment without additional notice.

6. **Early Termination.** Customer may terminate any Order under this Agreement prior to its maturity so long as Customer is not then in default and provides Ricoh at least thirty (30) days prior written notice. As set forth in the WSCA Contract 3091, Section 5.4.2.3, termination charges of the Service contract will not exceed 4 times the monthly base or 25% of the remaining term whichever is less. For the purposes herein, the "Monthly Service Charge" shall equal (i) the base monthly Service Charge set forth in this Order; or (ii) in the event this Order does not contain a base monthly Service Charge, the average monthly Order charges for the six (6) month period prior to the date of Customer's termination. If such termination date occurs less than six (6) months after the effective date of the Order, the Monthly Service Charge will be equal to the average monthly Order charges for the number of months the Order was in effect.
7. **Service Charges.** (a) Service charges ("Service Charges") will be set forth on an Order and will be payable by the Customer in advance. Service Charges will not include any charges for repairs or Service that are otherwise covered by the applicable manufacturer's limited warranty during the period covered by any such warranty, to the extent Ricoh has agreed with such manufacturer not to charge a customer for any such charges. Customer acknowledges and agrees that: (i) alterations, attachments, specification changes, or use by Customer of sub-standard supplies that cause excessive service calls may require an increase in Service Charges; (ii) the transfer of the Serviced Products from the location indicated on the applicable Order may result in an increase of Service Charges or the termination of the Order; and (iii) the Toner Inclusive Program (if applicable) is based on manufacturer supply consumption rates. Delivery of supplies will not exceed agreed upon usage. Consumption of covered supply products varying significantly from expected usage may result in additional charges for supplies. Customer agrees to pay when due, all taxes, where applicable, related to an Order, excluding taxes on the income of Ricoh. Customer shall be responsible for any costs related to freight (including fuel surcharges, which may be imposed from time to time), postage/mailling expense (meter rentals) and/or administrative and processing fees and, to the extent Ricoh pays such costs, Customer shall immediately reimburse Ricoh.
8. **Use Of Recommended Supplies; Meter Readings.** (a) It is not a condition of this Agreement that Customer use only Ricoh-provided supplies. If Customer uses other than manufacturer-recommended supplies, including paper, developer, toner, and fuser oil, and if such supplies are defective or not acceptable for use on the Serviced Product or cause abnormally frequent service calls or service problems, then Ricoh may, at its option, assess a surcharge or terminate the applicable Order with respect to such Serviced Product. If so terminated, Customer will be offered Service on a "Per Call" basis at Ricoh's then-prevailing time and material rates.
- (b) If Ricoh determines that Customer has used more supplies than the manufacturer's recommended specifications as provided by Ricoh, Customer will pay reasonable charges for those excess supplies and/or Ricoh may refuse Customer additional supply shipments. Customer agrees to provide Ricoh true and accurate meter readings monthly and in any reasonable manner requested by Ricoh, whether via telephone, email or otherwise. If accurate meter readings are not provided on a timely basis, Ricoh reserves the right to estimate the meter readings from previous meter readings and Customer agrees to pay Service Charges based on such estimated meter reads. Appropriate adjustments will be made to subsequent billing cycles following receipt of actual and accurate meter readings.
- (c) As part of its Services, Ricoh may, at its discretion and dependent upon device capabilities, provide remote meter reading and equipment monitoring services using its @Remote solution. This may allow for automated meter reading and submission, automatic placement of low toner alerts, automatic placement of service calls in the event of a critical Product failure and may enable firmware upgrades. The meter count and other information collected by @Remote ("Data") is sent via the internet to remote servers some of which may be located outside the U.S. @Remote cannot and does not collect Customer document content or user information. Ricoh uses reasonably available technology to maintain the security of the Data; however, Customer acknowledges that no one can guaranty security of information maintained on computers and on the internet. Ricoh retains full rights to the Data (but not Customer documents or information), which it or its authorized third parties may use to service the Serviced Products. Ricoh may also use the Data for its normal business purposes including product development and marketing research, however, the Data will not be provided to market research consultants in a form that personally identifies the Customer. Ricoh may dispose of the Data at any time and without notice. The @Remote technology is the confidential and proprietary information of Ricoh and/or its licensors protected by copyright, trade secret and other laws and treaties. Ricoh retains full title, ownership and all intellectual property rights in and to @Remote. In the event Customer does not rely on automatic meter reading devices or equipment monitoring services; Ricoh reserves the right to assess a surcharge for manual meter reads in addition to the Service Charges.
9. **Basic Connectivity Services.** If any software, system support or related connectivity Services are specifically set forth on an Order and accepted by Ricoh, Ricoh shall provide any such Services at the Customer's location set forth in the Order, as applicable, or on a remote basis. Customer shall provide Ricoh with such access to its facilities, networks and systems as may be reasonably necessary for Ricoh to perform such Services. Customer acknowledges that Ricoh's performance of any such Services is dependent upon Customer's timely and effective performance of its responsibilities as set forth in the Order, as applicable. Unless connectivity Services are specifically identified in the Order as part of the Services to be performed by Ricoh, Ricoh shall have no obligation to perform and no responsibility for the connection of any hardware or software to any Customer network or system.
10. **IT Services and Professional Services.** Customer may acquire connectivity, IT and professional services from Ricoh by executing and delivering to Ricoh an Order for acceptance and by executing a Statement of Work ("SOW") setting forth the specific services to be provided. The applicable Order applies to Ricoh IT Services or other professional services (the "ITS/PS Services"). Ricoh shall provide any such ITS/PS Services at the Customer's location(s) or on a remote basis as set forth in the SOW. Customer shall provide Ricoh with such access to its facilities, networks and systems as may be reasonably necessary for Ricoh to perform such ITS/PS Services. Customer acknowledges that Ricoh's performance of any such ITS/PS Services are dependent upon Customer's timely and effective performance of its responsibilities as set forth in the SOW. Estimated delivery and/or service schedules contained in any Order or SOW are non-binding estimates. Intellectual property rights, if any, arising from the ITS/PS Services provided under any SOW shall remain the property of Ricoh.
11. **Customer Obligations.** Customer agrees to provide a proper place for the use of the Serviced Products, including but not limited to, electric service, as specified by the manufacturer. Customer will provide adequate facilities (at no charge) for use by Ricoh representatives in

connection with the Service of the Serviced Products hereunder within a reasonable distance of the Serviced Products. Customer agrees to provide such access to its facilities, networks and systems as may be reasonably necessary for Ricoh to perform its Services, including but not limited to "360 degree" service access to the Serviced Products. Customer will provide a key operator for the Serviced Products and will make operators available for instruction in use and care of the Serviced Products. Unless otherwise agreed upon by Ricoh in writing or designated in the applicable Order, all supplies for use with the Serviced Products will be provided by Customer and will be available "on site" for servicing. Customer agrees that any systems utilizing similar supplies must be covered under similar inclusive service programs.

12. **Insurance.** At all times during the term of this Agreement, each party agrees to obtain and maintain in effect the following policies of insurance written as primary coverage and not contributing with or in excess of any coverage which each party may carry. These policies will be issued by an insurance carrier with a Best's rating of at least A, VII, which affords the following coverages through self insurance or otherwise: (a) Workers' Compensation Insurance for all such party's employees, including coverage under the applicable state and federal laws where the work will be performed. Each party shall also require that all of its subcontractors maintain similar Workers' Compensation coverage. (b) Employer's Liability Insurance, typically coverage B of the Workers' Compensation policy, with limits of a minimum of: (i) \$1,000,000 for each accident for bodily injury by accident, (ii) \$1,000,000 for bodily injury by disease, and (iii) \$1,000,000 for each employee for bodily injury by disease. Each party shall also require that all of its subcontractors maintain similar Employer's Liability coverage. (c) Commercial General Liability Insurance that includes the other party as an additional insured. Limits shall be a minimum of: \$1,000,000 per occurrence for bodily injury and property damage and (ii) \$2,000,000 annual aggregate. Coverage shall include those perils generally associated with a commercial general liability policy and specifically include contractual liability coverage. Coverage shall contain no exclusions for cross liability between insureds. Each party shall also require that all of its subcontractors maintain similar general liability insurance. Customer shall provide satisfactory evidence of above coverage and failure to provide or request satisfactory evidence of said coverage does not represent a waiver of the requirements for insurance coverage noted above.

13. **Indemnification.** Each party ("Indemnifying Party") shall indemnify, defend and hold harmless the other ("Indemnified Party") from all third-party claims incurred by the Indemnified Party arising out of the death or bodily injury of any agent, employee, or business invitee of the Indemnified Party, or the damage, loss, or destruction of any tangible property of the Indemnified Party, up to a maximum of \$1,000,000, to the extent caused by the negligent acts or omissions or willful misconduct of the Indemnifying Party, its employees, or agents. Without intending to create any limitation relating to the survival of any other provisions of this Agreement, Ricoh and Customer agree that the terms of this paragraph shall survive the expiration or earlier termination of this Agreement. Each party shall promptly notify the other in the event of the threat or initiation of any claim, demand, action or proceeding to which the indemnification obligations set forth in this Section may apply.

The following terms shall apply to all Product sale transactions:

14. **Order, Delivery and Acceptance.** In order to purchase Products from Ricoh hereunder, Customer will either (i) execute an Order (in a form to be provided and executed by Ricoh) referencing this Agreement, or (ii) issue a valid and signed purchase order to Ricoh (each referred to in this Agreement as an "Order"). Each Order must identify the Products, the Product delivery location and the applicable Product charges. Ricoh will not be obligated to sell or deliver Products or Services for which such information is not provided in an Order accepted by Ricoh. Unless otherwise agreed upon by both parties in writing, (a) delivery of Products to common carrier or, in the case of an arranged delivery by a local Ricoh installation vehicle, actual delivery by such vehicle to Customer shipping point, shall constitute delivery to Customer, and (b) Customer shall be responsible for all installation, transportation and rigging expenses. Customer agrees to confirm delivery of all Products covered by each Order when the same is delivered by signing a delivery and acceptance certificate or written delivery acknowledgement. Unless otherwise agreed upon by both parties in writing, signing the delivery and acceptance certificate constitutes Acceptance of the Product(s) and allows Ricoh to invoice for the Product(s). Orders shall not be cancelable by Customer following acceptance by Ricoh. Ricoh reserves the right to make Product deliveries in installments. All such installments shall be separately invoiced and paid for when due, without regard to subsequent deliveries. Delay in delivery of any installment shall not relieve Customer of its obligation to accept remaining installments and remit payments as invoiced by Ricoh. Ricoh reserves the right at any time to revoke any credit extended to Customer because of Customer's failure to pay for any Products when due or for any other credit reason.

15. **Returns; Damaged Products.** No Products may be returned without Ricoh's prior written consent. Only consumable goods invoiced within sixty (60) days will be considered for return. On authorized returns, Customer agrees to pay a restocking charge equivalent to thirty percent (30%) of the purchase price. Products returned without written authorization from Ricoh may not be accepted by Ricoh and is the sole responsibility of Customer. All nonsaleable merchandise (that has been opened or partially used) will be deducted from any credit due to Customer. All claims for damaged Products or delay in delivery shall be deemed waived unless made in writing and delivered to Ricoh within five (5) days after receipt of Products.

The following terms shall apply to all transactions:

16. **Warranty.** Ricoh agrees to perform its Services in a professional manner, consistent with applicable industry standards. For any Products manufactured by Ricoh ("Ricoh Equipment"), Ricoh further warrants that, at the time of delivery and for a period of ninety (90) days thereafter the Ricoh Equipment will be in good working order and will be free from any defects in material and workmanship. Ricoh's obligations under this warranty are limited solely to the repair or replacement (at Ricoh's option) of parts proven to be defective upon inspection. The foregoing warranty shall not apply (a) if the Ricoh Equipment is installed, wired, modified, altered, moved or serviced by anyone other than Ricoh, or, (b) if the Ricoh Equipment is installed, stored and utilized and/or maintained in a manner not consistent with Ricoh specifications or (c) if a defective or improper non-Ricoh accessory or supply or part is attached to or used in the Ricoh Equipment, or (d) if the Ricoh Equipment is relocated to any place where Ricoh services are not available. CUSTOMER ACKNOWLEDGES THAT THE LIMITED WARRANTY CONTAINED HEREIN DOES NOT ASSURE UNINTERRUPTED OPERATION AND USE OF THE RICOH EQUIPMENT. In connection with any other Product sale, Ricoh shall

transfer to Customer any Product warranties made by the applicable Product manufacturer, to the extent transferable and without recourse. Physical or electronic copies of any applicable Product warranty will be delivered by Ricoh to Customer only upon Customer's specific written request. EXCEPT AS EXPRESSLY SET FORTH IN THIS AGREEMENT, RICOH DISCLAIMS ALL WARRANTIES AND REPRESENTATIONS, EXPRESS OR IMPLIED, OF ANY NATURE WHATSOEVER, INCLUDING BUT NOT LIMITED TO, ANY IMPLIED WARRANTIES OF MERCHANTABILITY, FITNESS FOR USE, OR FITNESS FOR A PARTICULAR PURPOSE. RICOH SHALL NOT BE RESPONSIBLE AND SHALL HAVE NO LIABILITY FOR LOST PROFITS, LOSS OF REVENUE, OR ANY SPECIAL, EXEMPLARY, INDIRECT, INCIDENTAL OR CONSEQUENTIAL DAMAGES, INCLUDING BUT NOT LIMITED TO DAMAGES ARISING OUT OF OR IN ANY MANNER CONNECTED WITH THIS AGREEMENT, OR THE SUBJECT MATTER HEREOF, OR THE USE OR PERFORMANCE OF THE RICOH EQUIPMENT OR THE LOSS OF USE OF THE RICOH EQUIPMENT, REGARDLESS OF THE FORM OF ACTION AND WHETHER OR NOT SUCH PARTY HAS BEEN INFORMED OF, OR OTHERWISE MIGHT HAVE ANTICIPATED THE POSSIBILITY OF SUCH DAMAGES. RICOH'S TOTAL AGGREGATE LIABILITY TO CUSTOMER, IF ANY, UNDER THIS AGREEMENT, SHALL IN NO EVENT EXCEED THE TOTAL FEES PAID TO RICOH THEREUNDER DURING THE ONE-YEAR PERIOD PRECEDING THE DATE ON WHICH THE CLAIM AROSE. IN NO EVENT SHALL RICOH BE LIABLE TO CUSTOMER FOR ANY DAMAGES RESULTING FROM OR RELATED TO ANY FAILURE OF ANY SOFTWARE PROVIDED HEREUNDER, INCLUDING, BUT NOT LIMITED TO, LOSS OF DATA, OR DELAY OF DELIVERY OF SERVICES UNDER THIS AGREEMENT. RICOH ASSUMES NO OBLIGATION TO PROVIDE OR INSTALL ANY ANTI-VIRUS OR SIMILAR SOFTWARE AND THE SCOPE OF SERVICES CONTEMPLATED HEREBY DOES NOT INCLUDE ANY SUCH SERVICES. Customer must comply with any applicable license agreement or license terms relating to intangible property or associated services included in any Products, such as periodic software licenses and/or prepaid data base subscription rights ("Software License"), whether pursuant to written, click-through, shrink-wrap or other agreements for such purpose, with the third party supplier of the software ("Software Supplier"). Ricoh has no right, title or interest in any third-party software. Customer is solely responsible for entering into Software Licenses with the applicable Software Supplier.

17. **Data Management.** The parties acknowledge and agree that Ricoh shall have no obligation to remove, delete, preserve, maintain or otherwise safeguard any information, images or content retained by or resident in any Serviced Products, whether through a digital storage device, hard drive or other electronic medium ("Data Management Services"). If desired, Customer may engage Ricoh to perform Data Management Services at then-prevailing rates. Customer acknowledges that Customer is responsible for ensuring its own compliance with legal requirements in connection with data retention and protection and that Ricoh does not provide legal advice or represent that the Serviced Products will guarantee compliance with such requirements. The selection, use and design of any Data Management Services, and any decisions arising with respect to the deletion or storage of data, as well as the loss of any data resulting therefrom, shall be the sole and exclusive responsibility of Customer.

18. **Payment; Risk of Loss; Taxes.** Payment terms are net thirty (30) days. If invoices are unpaid and overdue past 45 days, Customer agrees to pay Ricoh a late charge of one (1%) per month on any unpaid amounts or the maximum allowed by law, whichever is less, and in addition shall pay Ricoh all costs and expenses of collection, or in the enforcement of Ricoh's rights hereunder, including, but not limited to, reasonable internal and external legal costs, whether or not suit is brought. All remedies hereunder or at law are cumulative; provided, however, that the sole remedy of Customer for any Services not performed in accordance with the Service terms set forth in this Agreement shall be the prompt and proper re-performance of such Services at no additional charge. Unless otherwise agreed upon by both parties in writing, Customer assumes all risk of theft, loss or damage, no matter how occasioned, to all Products covered by this Agreement following delivery by Ricoh to common carrier or, in the case of an arranged delivery by a local Ricoh installation vehicle, delivery by such vehicle to Customer shipping point. Except to the extent of any applicable and validated exemption, Customer agrees to pay any applicable taxes that are levied on or payable as a result of the use, sale, possession or ownership of the Products and/or Services covered hereunder, other than income taxes of Ricoh.

19. **Default.** In addition to any other rights or remedies which either party may have under this Agreement or at law or equity, either party shall have the right to cancel the Services provided under this Agreement immediately: (i) if the other party fails to pay any fees or charges or any other payments required under this Agreement when due and payable, and such failure continues for a period of ten (10) days after being notified in writing of such failure; or (ii) if the other party fails to perform or observe any other material covenant or condition of this Agreement, and such failure or breach shall continue un-remedied for a period of thirty (30) days after such party is notified in writing of such failure or breach; or (iii) if the other party becomes insolvent, dissolves, or assigns its assets for the benefit of its creditors, or files or has filed against it any bankruptcy or reorganization proceeding. Except as expressly permitted by this Agreement, no refund or credit will be given for any early termination of this Agreement or any renewal thereof. If Customer defaults in its obligations hereunder, Ricoh may, in addition to any other remedies available at law or equity, require Customer to immediately pay to Ricoh all past due payments under all Orders, and the early termination fee described in the Early Termination Section above.

20. **Confidentiality; Non-Solicitation; Independent Contractors.** Except for the purposes set forth in the applicable Order, Ricoh shall not use or disclose any proprietary or confidential Customer data derived from its Services hereunder; provided, however, that Ricoh may use general statistics relating to the Service engagement so long as it does not disclose the identity of Customer or make any reference to any information from which the identity of Customer may be reasonably ascertained. Customer agrees that during the term of the Services and for a period of one (1) year after termination thereof, it shall not directly or indirectly solicit, hire, or otherwise retain as an employee or independent contractor any employee of Ricoh that is or was involved with or part of the Services. The relationship of the parties is that of independent contractors.

21. **Assignment; Force Majeure.** Customer shall neither assign any right or interest arising under this Agreement nor delegate any obligations hereunder without the prior written consent of Ricoh. Any such attempted assignment or delegation shall be void. Ricoh shall not be liable for failure to deliver or delays in delivery of Products or Services occasioned by causes beyond Ricoh's control, including without limitation strikes, lockout, fires, embargoes, war or other outbreak of hostilities, inability to obtain materials or shipping space, receipt of orders in excess of Ricoh's or its

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supplier's then-scheduled production capacity, machinery breakdowns, delays of carrier or suppliers, governmental acts and regulations, unavailability of Services, personnel or materials or other causes beyond Ricoh's control.

22. **Governing Law: Entire Agreement.** This Agreement shall be governed by and construed and interpreted in accordance with the laws of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania without regard to its conflict of laws principles. The parties hereto also agree to submit to the non-exclusive jurisdiction of the courts of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania to resolve any action under this Agreement. The Uniform Computer Information Transactions Act shall not apply to this Agreement. This Agreement constitutes the entire agreement between the parties with respect to the subject matter contained in this Agreement; supersedes all proposals, oral and written, and all other communications between the parties relating to the Products; and may not be amended except in writing signed by an officer or authorized representative of Ricoh. Customer agrees and acknowledges that it has not relied on any representation, warranty or provision not explicitly contained in this Agreement, whether in writing, electronically communicated or in oral form. Any and all representations, promises, warranties, or statements, including but not limited to, statements or representations made in sales presentations or sales proposals, by any Ricoh agent, employee or representative that differ in any way from the terms of this Agreement shall be given no force or effect. This Agreement shall be governed solely by these terms and conditions, notwithstanding the inclusion of any additional or different terms and conditions in any order document of any kind issued by Customer at any time. Purchase Orders issued by Customer for Products and/or Services from Ricoh, even if they do not expressly reference or incorporate this Agreement, shall be subject to this Agreement and service only to identify the Products and/or Service ordered and shall not be deemed to alter or otherwise modify the terms and conditions of this Agreement. The delay or failure of either party to enforce at any time any of the provisions of this Agreement shall in no way be construed to be a waiver of such provision or affect the right of such party thereafter to enforce each and every provision of this Agreement. If any provision of this Agreement is held to be invalid or unenforceable, this Agreement shall be construed as though it did not contain the particular provision held to be invalid or unenforceable. Ricoh may accept or reject any order in the exercise of its discretion and may rely upon each order submitted by Customer as a binding commitment. No local, general or trade custom or usage or course of prior dealings between the parties shall be relevant to supplement or explain any term used herein. This Agreement may be executed in one or more counterparts which, taken together, shall constitute one and the same original document. Any notices required under this Agreement should be sent to: 3920 Arkwright Road Macon, GA 31210 Attn: Quality Assurance.

CUSTOMER

By: _____
Name: _____
Title: _____
Date: _____

RICOH USA, INC.

By: _____
Name: _____
Title: _____
Date: _____



Ricoh USA, Inc.
70 Valley Stream Parkway
Malvern, PA 19355

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Number: _____

CUSTOMER INFORMATION

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| Full Legal Name | | | | |
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| City | State | Zip | Contact | Telephone Number |
| Facsimile Number | | | E-mail Address | |

This Master Lease Agreement ("Lease Agreement") has been written in clear, easy to understand English. When we use the words "you", "your" or "Customer" in this Lease Agreement, we mean you, our customer, as indicated above. When we use the words "we", "us" or "our" in this Lease Agreement, we mean Ricoh USA, Inc. ("Ricoh") or, if we assign this Lease Agreement or any Schedules executed in accordance with this Lease Agreement, pursuant to Section 13 below, the Assignee (as defined below). Our corporate office is located at 70 Valley Stream Parkway, Malvern, PA 19355.

- 1. Agreement.** We agree to lease or rent, as specified in any equipment schedule executed by you and us and incorporating the terms of this Lease Agreement by reference (a "Schedule"), to you, and you agree to lease or rent, as applicable, from us, subject to the terms of this Lease Agreement and such Schedule, the personal and intangible property described in such Schedule. The personal and intangible property described on a Schedule (together with all attachments, replacements, parts, substitutions, additions, repairs, and accessories incorporated in or affixed to the property and any license or subscription rights associated with the property) will be collectively referred to as "Product." The manufacturer of the tangible Product shall be referred to as the "Manufacturer." To the extent the Product includes intangible property or associated services such as periodic software licenses and prepaid data base subscription rights, such intangible property shall be referred to as the "Software."
- 2. Schedules; Delivery and Acceptance.** Each Schedule that incorporates this Lease Agreement shall be governed by the terms and conditions of this Lease Agreement, as well as by the terms and conditions set forth in such individual Schedule. Each Schedule shall constitute a complete agreement separate and distinct from this Lease Agreement and any other Schedule. In the event of a conflict between the terms of this Lease Agreement and any Schedule, the terms of such Schedule shall govern and control, but only with respect to the Product subject to such Schedule. The termination of this Lease Agreement will not affect any Schedule executed prior to the effective date of such termination. When you receive the Product, you agree to inspect it to determine it is in good working order. Scheduled Payments (as specified in the applicable Schedule) will begin on the Product delivery and acceptance date ("Effective Date"). You agree to sign and return to us a delivery and acceptance certificate (which, at our request, may be done electronically) within three (3) business days after any Product is installed.
- 3. Term; Payments.** The first scheduled Payment (as specified in the applicable Schedule) ("Payment") will be due on the Effective Date or such later date as we may designate. The remaining Payments will be due on the same day of each subsequent month, unless otherwise specified on the applicable Schedule. If any Payment or other amount payable under any Schedule is not received within ten (10) days of its due date, you will pay to us, in addition to that Payment, a one-time late charge of 5% of the overdue Payment (but in no event greater than the maximum amount allowed by applicable law). You also agree to pay all shipping and delivery costs associated with the ownership or use of the Product, which amounts may be included in your Payment or billed separately. You agree to pay \$25.00 for each check returned for insufficient funds or for any other reason. You also agree that, except as set forth in Section 18 below, THIS IS AN UNCONDITIONAL, NON-CANCELABLE AGREEMENT FOR THE MINIMUM TERM INDICATED ON ANY SCHEDULE TO THIS LEASE AGREEMENT. All Payments to us are "net" and unconditional and are not subject to set off, defense, counterclaim or reduction for any reason. You agree that you will remit payments to us in the form of company checks (or personal checks in the case of sole proprietorships), direct debit or wires only. You also agree that cash and cash equivalents are not acceptable forms of payment for this Lease Agreement or any Schedule and that you will not remit such forms of payment to us. Payment in any other form may delay processing or be returned to you. Furthermore, only you or your authorized agent as approved by us will remit payments to us.
- 4. Product Location; Use and Repair.** You will keep and use the Product only at the Product Location shown in the applicable Schedule. You will not move the Product from the location specified in the applicable Schedule or make any alterations, additions or replacements to the Product without our prior written consent, which consent will not be unreasonably withheld. At your own cost and expense, you will keep the Product eligible for any Manufacturer's certification as to maintenance and in compliance with applicable laws and in good condition, except for ordinary wear and tear. You shall engage Ricoh, its subsidiaries or affiliates, or an independent third party (the "Servicer") to provide maintenance and support services pursuant to a separate agreement for such purpose ("Maintenance Agreement"). All alterations, additions or replacements will become part of the Product and our property at no cost or expense to us. We may inspect the Product at any reasonable time.
- 5. Taxes and Fees.** In addition to the payments under this Lease Agreement, you agree to pay all taxes, assessments, fees and charges governmentally imposed upon our purchase, ownership, possession, leasing, renting, operation, control or use of the Product. If we are required to file and pay property tax, you agree, at our discretion, to either: (a) reimburse us for all personal property and other similar taxes and governmental charges associated with the ownership, possession or use of the Product when billed by the jurisdictions; or (b) remit to us each billing period our estimate of the pro-rated equivalent of such taxes and governmental charges. In the event that the billing period sums include a separately stated estimate of personal property and other similar taxes, you acknowledge and agree that such amount represents our estimate of such taxes that will be payable with respect to the Product during the term of the applicable Schedule. As compensation for our internal and external costs in the administration of taxes related to each unit of Product, you agree to pay us a "Property Tax Administrative Fee" in an amount not to exceed the greater of 10% of the invoiced property tax amount or \$10 each time such tax is invoiced during the term of the applicable Schedule, not to exceed the maximum amount permitted by applicable law. The Property Tax Administrative Fee, at our sole discretion, may be increased by an amount not exceeding 10% thereof for each subsequent year during the term of the applicable Schedule to reflect our increased cost of administration and we will notify you of any such increase by indicating such increased amount in the relevant invoice or in such other manner as we may deem appropriate. If we are required to pay upfront sales or use tax and you opt to pay such tax over the term of the lease and not as a lump sum at lease

inception, then you agree to pay us a "Sales Tax Administrative Fee" equal to 3.5% of the total tax due per year. Sales and use tax, if applicable, will be charged until a valid sales and use tax exemption certificate is provided to us.

6. **Warranties.** We transfer to you, without recourse, for the term of each Schedule, any written warranties made by the Manufacturer or Software Supplier (as defined in Section 10 of this Lease Agreement) with respect to the Product leased or rented pursuant to such Schedule. YOU ACKNOWLEDGE THAT YOU HAVE SELECTED THE PRODUCT BASED ON YOUR OWN JUDGMENT AND YOU HEREBY AFFIRMATIVELY DISCLAIM RELIANCE ON ANY ORAL REPRESENTATION CONCERNING THE PRODUCT MADE TO YOU. However, if you enter into a Maintenance Agreement with Servicer with respect to any Product, no provision, clause or paragraph of this Lease Agreement shall alter, restrict, diminish or waive the rights, remedies or benefits that you may have against Servicer under such Maintenance Agreement. WE MAKE NO WARRANTY, EXPRESS OR IMPLIED, AS TO ANY MATTER WHATSOEVER, INCLUDING, BUT NOT LIMITED TO, ~~THE IMPLIED WARRANTIES OF MERCHANTABILITY OR FITNESS FOR A PARTICULAR PURPOSE.~~ AS TO US AND OUR ASSIGNEE, YOU LEASE OR RENT THE PRODUCT "AS-IS." The only warranties, express or implied, made to you are the warranties (if any) made by the Manufacturer and/or Servicer to you in any documents, other than this Lease Agreement, executed by and between the Manufacturer and/or Servicer and you. YOU AGREE THAT, NOTWITHSTANDING ANYTHING TO THE CONTRARY, WE ARE NOT RESPONSIBLE FOR, AND YOU WILL NOT MAKE ANY CLAIM AGAINST US FOR, ANY CONSEQUENTIAL, SPECIAL, OR INDIRECT DAMAGES.
7. **Loss or Damage.** You are responsible for any theft of, destruction of, or damage to the Product (collectively, "Loss") from any cause at all, whether or not insured, from the time of Product delivery to you until it is delivered to us at the end of the term of the Schedule. You are required to make all Payments even if there is a Loss. You must notify us in writing immediately of any Loss. Then, at our option, you will either (a) repair the Product so that it is in good condition and working order, eligible for any Manufacturer's certification, (b) pay us the amounts specified in Section 12 below, or (c) replace the Product with equipment of like age and capacity from Ricoh.
8. **Indemnity, Liability and Insurance.** (a) To the extent not prohibited by applicable law, you agree to indemnify us, defend us and hold us harmless from all claims arising out of the death or bodily injury of any person or the damage, loss or destruction of any tangible property caused by or to the Product, except to the extent caused by our gross negligence or willful misconduct. (b) You agree to maintain insurance to cover the Product for all types of loss, including, without limitation, theft, in an amount not less than the full replacement value and you will name us as an additional insured and loss payee on your insurance policy. In addition, you agree to maintain comprehensive public liability insurance, which, upon our request, shall be in an amount acceptable to us and shall name us as an additional insured. Such insurance will provide that we will be given thirty (30) days advance notice of any cancellation. Upon our request, you agree to provide us with evidence of such insurance in a form reasonably satisfactory to us. If you fail to maintain such insurance or to provide us with evidence of such insurance, we may (but are not obligated to) obtain insurance in such amounts and against such risks as we deem necessary to protect our interest in the Product. Such insurance obtained by us will not insure you against any claim, liability or loss related to your interest in the Product and may be cancelled by us at any time. You agree to pay us an additional amount each month to reimburse us for the insurance premium and an administrative fee, on which we or our affiliates may earn a profit. In the event of loss or damage to the Product, you agree to remain responsible for the Payment obligations under this Lease Agreement until the Payment obligations are fully satisfied.
9. **Title; Recording.** We are the owner of and will hold title to the Product (except for any Software). You will keep the Product free of all liens and encumbrances. Except as reflected on any Schedule, you agree that this Lease Agreement is a true lease. However, if any Schedule is deemed to be intended for security, you hereby grant to us a purchase money security interest in the Product covered by the applicable Schedule (including any replacements, substitutions, additions, attachments and proceeds) as security for the payment of the amounts under each Schedule. You authorize us to file a copy of this Lease Agreement and/or any Schedule as a financing statement, and you agree to promptly execute and deliver to us any financing statements covering the Product that we may reasonably require; provided, however, that you hereby authorize us to file any such financing statement without your authentication to the extent permitted by applicable law.
10. **Software or Intangibles.** To the extent that the Product includes Software, you understand and agree that we have no right, title or interest in the Software, and you will comply throughout the term of this Lease Agreement with any license and/or other agreement ("Software License") entered into with the supplier of the Software ("Software Supplier"). You are responsible for entering into any Software License with the Software Supplier no later than the Effective Date.
11. **Default.** Each of the following is a "Default" under this Lease Agreement and all Schedules: (a) you fail to pay any Payment or any other amount within thirty (30) days of its due date, (b) any representation or warranty made by you in this Lease Agreement is false or incorrect and/or you do not perform any of your other obligations under this Lease Agreement or any Schedule and/or under any other agreement with us or with any of our affiliates and this failure continues for thirty (30) days after we have notified you of it, (c) a petition is filed by or against you or any guarantor under any bankruptcy or insolvency law or a trustee, receiver or liquidator is appointed for you, any guarantor or any substantial part of your assets, (d) you or any guarantor makes an assignment for the benefit of creditors, (e) any guarantor dies, stops doing business as a going concern or transfers all or substantially all of such guarantor's assets, or (f) you stop doing business as a going concern or transfer all or substantially all of your assets.
12. **Remedies.** If a Default occurs, we may do one or more of the following: (a) we may cancel or terminate this Lease Agreement and/or any or all Schedules, and/or any or all other agreements that we have entered into with you; (b) we may require you to immediately pay to us, as compensation for loss of our bargain and not as a penalty, a sum equal to: (i) all past due Payments and all other amounts then due and payable under this Lease Agreement or any Schedule; and (ii) the present value of all unpaid Payments for the remainder of the term of each Schedule plus the present value of our anticipated value of the Product at the end of the initial term of any Schedule (or any renewal of such Schedule), each discounted at a rate equal to 3% per year to the date of default, and we may charge you interest on all amounts due us from the date of default until paid at the rate of 1.5% per month, but in no event more than the maximum rate permitted by applicable law. We agree to apply the net proceeds (as specified below in this Section) of any disposition of the Product to the amounts that you owe us; (c) we may require you to deliver the Product to us as set forth in Section 14; (d) we or our representative may peacefully repossess the Product without court order and you will not make any claims against us for damages or trespass or any other reason; (e) we may exercise any and all other rights or remedies available to a lender, secured party or lessor under the Uniform Commercial Code ("UCC"), including, without limitation, those set forth in Article 2A of the UCC, and at law or in equity; (f) we may immediately terminate your right to use the Software including the disabling (on-site or by remote communication) of any Software; (g) we may demand the immediate return and obtain possession of the Software and re-license the Software at a public or private sale; (h) we may cause the Software Supplier to terminate the Software License, support and other services under the Software License, and/or (i) at our option, we may sell, re-lease, or otherwise dispose of the Product under such terms and conditions as may be acceptable to us in our discretion. You agree to pay all of our costs of enforcing our rights against you, including reasonable attorneys' fees, and all costs related to the sale or disposition of the Product including, without limitation, incidental damages expended in the repossession, repair, preparation, and advertisement for sale or lease or other disposition of the Product. If we take possession of the Product (or any Software, if applicable), we may sell or otherwise dispose of it with or without notice, at a public or private disposition, and to apply the net proceeds (after we have deducted all costs, including reasonable attorneys' fees) to the amounts that you owe us. You agree that, if notice of sale is required by law to be given, five (5) days' notice shall constitute reasonable notice. You will remain responsible for any deficiency that is due after we have applied any such net proceeds.
13. **Ownership of Product; Assignment.** YOU HAVE NO RIGHT TO SELL, TRANSFER, ENCUMBER, SUBLET OR ASSIGN THE PRODUCT OR THIS LEASE AGREEMENT OR ANY SCHEDULE WITHOUT OUR PRIOR WRITTEN CONSENT (which consent shall not be unreasonably withheld). You agree that we may sell or assign all or a portion of our interests in the Product and/or this Lease Agreement or any Schedule without notice to you even if less than all the Payments have been assigned. In that event, the assignee (the "Assignee") will have such rights as we assign to them but none of our obligations (we will keep those obligations) and the rights of the Assignee will not be subject to any claims, defenses or set offs that you may have against us. No assignment to an Assignee will release Ricoh from any obligations Ricoh may have to you hereunder. The Maintenance Agreement you have entered into with a Servicer will remain in full force and effect with Servicer and will not be affected by any such assignment. You acknowledge that the Assignee did not manufacture or design the Product and that you have selected the Manufacturer, Servicer and the Product based on your own judgment.

14. Renewal; Return of Product. AFTER THE MINIMUM TERM OR ANY EXTENSION OF ANY SCHEDULE TO THIS LEASE AGREEMENT, SUCH SCHEDULE WILL IMMEDIATELY TERMINATE. Notwithstanding the foregoing, you may extend the original term of any Schedule by issuance of an acceptable Customer Purchase Order pursuant to the extension options outlined in the applicable State Participating Addendum to WSCA Master Contract 3091 prior to the expiration of the original term of such Schedule. Notwithstanding the foregoing, nothing herein is intended to provide, nor shall be interpreted as providing, (a) you with a legally enforceable option to extend or renew the terms of this Lease Agreement or any Schedule, or (b) us with a legally enforceable option to compel any such extension or renewal. At the end of or upon termination of each Schedule, you will immediately return the Product subject to such expired Schedule to us (or our designee), to the location designated by us, in as good condition as when you received it, except for ordinary wear and tear. You must pay additional monthly Payments at the same rate as then in effect under a Schedule, until the Product is returned by you and is received in good condition and working order by us or our designees. Notwithstanding anything to the contrary set forth in this Lease Agreement, the parties acknowledge and agree that we shall have no obligation to remove, delete, preserve, maintain or otherwise safeguard any information, images or content retained by or resident in any Products leased by you hereunder, whether through a digital storage device, hard drive or other electronic medium ("Data Management Services"). If desired, you may engage Ricoh to perform Data Management Services at then-prevailing rates. You acknowledge that you are responsible for ensuring your own compliance with legal requirements in connection with data retention and protection and that we do not provide legal advice or represent that the Products will guarantee compliance with such requirements. The selection, use and design of any Data Management Services, and any decisions arising with respect to the deletion or storage of data, as well as the loss of any data resulting therefrom, shall be your sole and exclusive responsibility.
15. Miscellaneous. It is the intent of the parties that this Lease Agreement and any Schedule shall be deemed and constitute a "finance lease" as defined under and governed by Article 2A of the UCC. ORAL AGREEMENTS OR COMMITMENTS TO LOAN MONEY, EXTEND CREDIT OR TO FORBEAR FROM ENFORCING REPAYMENT OF A DEBT INCLUDING PROMISES TO EXTEND OR RENEW SUCH DEBT ARE NOT ENFORCEABLE. YOU AGREE THAT THE TERMS AND CONDITIONS CONTAINED IN THIS LEASE AGREEMENT AND IN EACH SCHEDULE MAKE UP THE ENTIRE AGREEMENT BETWEEN US REGARDING THE LEASING OR RENTAL OF THE PRODUCT AND SUPERSEDE ALL PRIOR WRITTEN OR ORAL COMMUNICATIONS, UNDERSTANDINGS OR AGREEMENTS BETWEEN THE PARTIES RELATING TO THE SUBJECT MATTER CONTAINED HEREIN, INCLUDING, WITHOUT LIMITATION, PURCHASE ORDERS. Any purchase order, or other ordering documents, will not modify or affect this Lease Agreement or any Schedule, nor have any other legal effect and shall serve only the purpose of identifying the equipment ordered. You authorize us to supply any missing "configure to order" number ("CTO"), other equipment identification numbers (including, without limitation, serial numbers), agreement/schedule identification numbers and/or dates in this Lease Agreement or any Schedule. You acknowledge that you have not been induced to enter into this Lease Agreement by any representation or warranty not expressly set forth in this Lease Agreement. Neither this Lease Agreement nor any Schedule is binding on us until we sign it. Any change in any of the terms and conditions of this Lease Agreement or any Schedule must be in writing and signed by us. If we delay or fail to enforce any of its rights under this Lease Agreement with respect to any or all Schedules, we will still be able to enforce those rights at a later time. All notices shall be given in writing and sent either (a) by certified mail or recognized overnight delivery service, postage prepaid, addressed to the party receiving the notice at the address shown on the front of this Lease Agreement, or (b) by facsimile transmission, with oral confirmation, to the facsimile number shown below such party's signature on this Lease Agreement. Either party may change its address or facsimile number by giving written notice of such change to the other party. Notices shall be effective on the date sent. Each of our respective rights and indemnities will survive the termination of this Lease Agreement and each Schedule. If more than one customer has signed this Lease Agreement or any Schedule, each customer agrees that its liability is joint and several. It is the express intent of the parties not to violate any applicable usury laws or to exceed the maximum amount of time price differential or interest, as applicable, permitted to be charged or collected by applicable law, and any such excess payment will be applied to payments in the order of maturity, and any remaining excess will be refunded to you. We make no representation or warranty of any kind, express or implied, with respect to the legal, tax or accounting treatment of this Lease Agreement and any Schedule and you acknowledge that we are an independent contractor and not your fiduciary. You will obtain your own legal, tax and accounting advice related to this Lease Agreement or any Schedule and make your own determination of the proper accounting treatment of this Lease Agreement or any Schedule. We may receive compensation from the Manufacturer or supplier of the Product in order to enable us to reduce the cost of leasing or renting the Product to you under this Lease Agreement or any Schedule below what we otherwise would charge. If we received such compensation, the reduction in the cost of leasing or renting the Product is reflected in the Minimum Payment specified in the applicable Schedule. You authorize us, our agent and/or our Assignee to obtain credit reports and make credit inquiries regarding you and your financial condition and to provide your information, including payment history, to our Assignee and third parties having an economic interest in this Lease Agreement, any Schedule or the Product. You agree to provide updated annual and/or quarterly financial statements to us upon request.
16. Governing Law; Jurisdiction; Waiver of Trial By Jury and Certain Rights and Remedies Under The Uniform Commercial Code. YOU AGREE THAT THIS LEASE AGREEMENT AND ANY SCHEDULE WILL BE GOVERNED UNDER THE LAW FOR THE COMMONWEALTH OF PENNSYLVANIA. YOU ALSO CONSENT TO THE VENUE AND NON-EXCLUSIVE JURISDICTION OF ANY COURT LOCATED IN EACH OF THE COMMONWEALTH OF PENNSYLVANIA AND THE STATE WHERE YOUR PRINCIPAL PLACE OF BUSINESS OR RESIDENCE IS LOCATED TO RESOLVE ANY CONFLICT UNDER THIS LEASE AGREEMENT. THE PARTIES TO THIS LEASE AGREEMENT EACH WAIVE THE RIGHT TO TRIAL BY JURY IN THE EVENT OF A LAWSUIT. TO THE EXTENT PERMITTED BY APPLICABLE LAW, YOU WAIVE ANY AND ALL RIGHTS AND REMEDIES CONFERRED UPON A CUSTOMER OR LESSEE BY ARTICLE 2A OF THE UCC THAT YOU MAY HAVE AGAINST US (BUT NOT AGAINST THE MANUFACTURER OF THE PRODUCT). TO HELP THE GOVERNMENT FIGHT THE FUNDING OF TERRORISM AND MONEY LAUNDERING ACTIVITIES, FEDERAL LAW REQUIRES ALL FINANCIAL INSTITUTIONS TO OBTAIN, VERIFY AND RECORD INFORMATION THAT IDENTIFIES EACH PERSON WHO OPENS AN ACCOUNT. WHAT THIS MEANS FOR YOU: WHEN YOU OPEN AN ACCOUNT, WE WILL ASK FOR YOUR NAME, ADDRESS AND OTHER INFORMATION THAT WILL ALLOW US TO IDENTIFY YOU. WE MAY ASK TO SEE IDENTIFYING DOCUMENTS.
17. Counterparts; Facsimiles. Each Schedule may be executed in counterparts. The counterpart which has our original signature and/or is in our possession or control shall constitute chattel paper as that term is defined in the UCC and shall constitute the original agreement for all purposes, including, without limitation, (a) any hearing, trial or proceeding with respect to such Schedule, and (b) any determination as to which version of such Schedule constitutes the single true original item of chattel paper under the UCC. If you sign and transmit a Schedule to us by facsimile or other electronic transmission, the facsimile or such electronic transmission of such Schedule, upon execution by us (manually or electronically, as applicable), shall be binding upon the parties. You agree that the facsimile or other electronic transmission of a Schedule containing your facsimile or other electronically transmitted signature, which is manually or electronically signed by us, shall constitute the original agreement for all purposes, including, without limitation, those outlined above in this Section. You agree to deliver to us upon our request the counterpart of such Schedule containing your original manual signature.
18. State and Local Government Provisions. If the Customer is a State or political subdivision of a State, as those terms are defined in Section 103 of the Internal Revenue Code, the following additional terms and conditions shall apply:
- (a) Essentiality. During the term of this Lease Agreement and any Schedule, the Product will be used solely for the purpose of performing one or more governmental or proprietary functions consistent with the permissible scope of your authority. You represent and warrant that the use of the Product is essential to performing such governmental or proprietary functions.
 - (b) Non-Appropriation/Non-Substitution. (i) If all of the following shall occur: (A) your governing body fails to appropriate sufficient monies in any fiscal period for rentals and other payments coming due under a Schedule to this Lease Agreement in the next succeeding fiscal period for any equipment which will perform services and functions which in whole or in part are essentially the same services and functions performed by the Product covered by any such Schedule, (B) other funds are not available for such payments, and (C) the non-appropriation of funds did not result from any act or failure to act on your part, then a "Non-Appropriation" shall be deemed to have occurred. (ii) If a Non-Appropriation occurs, then: (A) you must give us immediate notice of such Non-Appropriation and provide written notice of such

failure by your governing body at least sixty (60) days prior to the end of the then current fiscal year or if Non-Appropriation has not occurred by such date, immediately upon Non-Appropriation, (B) no later than the last day of the fiscal year for which appropriations were made for the rental due under any Schedule to this Lease Agreement (the "Return Date"), you shall return to us all, but not less than all, of the Product covered by such Schedule to this Lease Agreement, at your sole expense, in accordance with the terms hereof; and (C) any Schedule to this Lease Agreement shall terminate on the Return Date without penalty or expense to you and you shall not be obligated to pay the rentals beyond such fiscal year, provided that (x) you shall pay any and all rentals and other payments due up through the end of the last day of the fiscal year for which appropriations were made and (y) you shall pay month-to-month rent at the rate set forth in any such Schedule for each month or part thereof that you fail to return the Product as required herein. (iii) Upon any such Non-Appropriation, upon our request, you will provide, upon our request, an opinion of independent counsel (who shall be reasonably acceptable to us), in form reasonably acceptable to us, confirming the Non-Appropriation and providing reasonably sufficient proof of such Non-Appropriation.

- (c) **Funding Intent.** You represent and warrant to us that you presently intend to continue this Lease Agreement and any Schedule hereto for the entire term of such Schedule and to pay all rentals relating to such Schedule and to do all things lawfully within your power to obtain and maintain funds from which the rentals and all other payments owing under such Schedule may be made. The parties acknowledge that appropriation for rentals is a governmental function to which you cannot contractually commit yourself in advance and this Lease Agreement shall not constitute such a commitment. To the extent permitted by law, the person or entity in charge of preparing your budget will include in the budget request for each fiscal year during the term of each Schedule, respectively, to this Lease Agreement an amount equal to the rentals (to be used for such rentals) to become due in such fiscal year, and will use all reasonable and lawful means available to secure the appropriation of money for such fiscal year sufficient to pay all rentals coming due during such fiscal year.
- (d) **Authority and Authorization.** (i) You represent and warrant to us that: (A) you are a State or political subdivision of a State, as those terms are defined in Section 103 of the Internal Revenue Code; (B) you have the power and authority to enter into this Lease Agreement and all Schedules to this Lease Agreement; (C) this Lease Agreement and all Schedules to this Lease Agreement have been duly authorized, executed and delivered by you and constitute valid, legal and binding agreement(s) enforceable against you in accordance with their terms; and (D) no further approval, consent or withholding of objections is required from any governmental authority with respect to this Lease Agreement or any Schedule to this Lease Agreement. (ii) If and to the extent required by us, you agree to provide us with an opinion of independent counsel (who shall be reasonably acceptable to us) confirming the foregoing and other related matters, in form and substance acceptable to us. (iii) You agree to take all required actions and to file all necessary forms, including IRS Forms 8038-G or 8038-GC, as applicable, to preserve the tax exempt status of this Lease Agreement and all Schedules thereto. (iv) You agree to provide us with any other documents that we may reasonably request in connection with the foregoing and this Lease Agreement.
- (e) **Assignment.** You agree to acknowledge any assignment to the Assignee in writing, if so requested, and, if applicable, to keep a complete and accurate record of all such assignments in a manner that complies with Section 149(a) of the Internal Revenue Code and the regulations promulgated thereunder.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the parties have executed this Lease Agreement as of the dates set forth below.

THE PERSON SIGNING THIS LEASE AGREEMENT ON BEHALF OF THE CUSTOMER REPRESENTS THAT HE/SHE HAS THE AUTHORITY TO DO SO.

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| <p>CUSTOMER</p> <p>By: X _____ <i>Authorized Signer Signature</i></p> <p>Printed Name: _____</p> <p>Title: _____ Date: _____</p> <p>Facsimile Number: _____</p> | <p>Accepted by: RICOH USA, INC.</p> <p>By: _____ <i>Authorized Signer Signature</i></p> <p>Printed Name: _____</p> <p>Title: _____ Date: _____</p> <p>Facsimile Number: _____</p> |
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