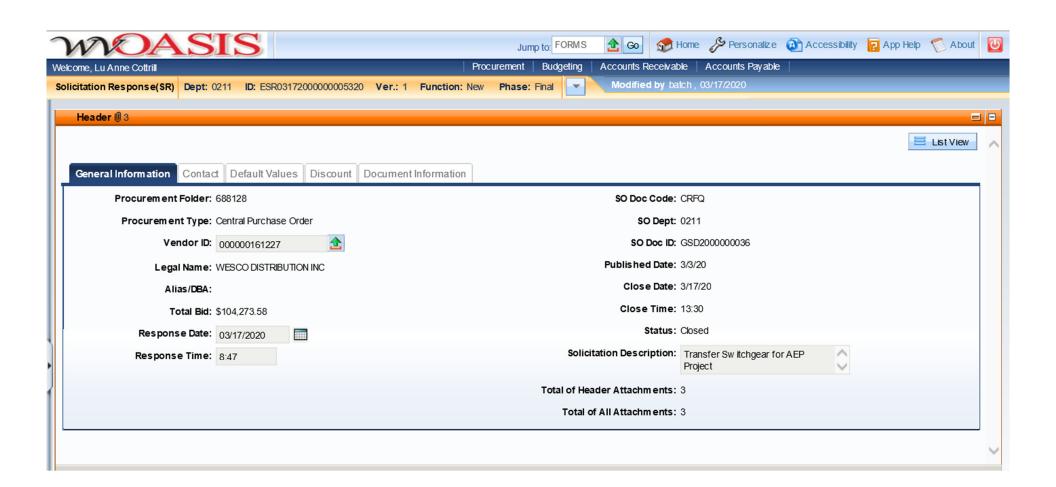


2019 Washington Street, East Charleston, WV 25305 Telephone: 304-558-2306 General Fax: 304-558-6026

Bid Fax: 304-558-3970

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State of West Virginia Solicitation Response

Proc Folder: 688128

Solicitation Description: Transfer Switchgear for AEP Project

Proc Type: Central Purchase Order

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VENDOR

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WESCO DISTRIBUTION INC

Solicitation Number: CRFQ 0211 GSD2000000036

Total Bid: \$104,273.58 **Response Date:** 2020-03-17 **Response Time:** 08:47:09

Comments:

FOR INFORMATION CONTACT THE BUYER

Melissa Pettrey (304) 558-0094 melissa.k.pettrey@wv.gov

Signature on File FEIN # DATE

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1	Line	Comm Ln Desc	Qty	Unit Issue	Unit Price	Ln Total Or Contract Amount
	1	Medium voltage switchgear	1.00000	EA	\$104,273.580000	\$104,273.58
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Comm Code	Manufacturer	Specification	Model #	
39121115				
Extended Descrip	otion: Medium voltage s	witchgear		



Detail Bill of Material

Negotiation No: BL720304X0K1 0000

Project Name: WESCO - WV MVS ATS General Order No: Alternate No:

Item No.	Qty	Product	Description
	1	Medium Voltage Switches	Outdoor, 15kV Max, 13.8kV system, 3 wires, 800A, Silver-Plated
			Copper bus, 3 Structures

Qty List of Materials

- ATC-900
- CN-55 (AC best source selector) 1
- Outdoor Enclosure 3
- 3 Copper silver plated bus
- 3 800A Copper silver plated main bus
- 2 15kV Switch 600A, 61kA mom, 61kA fc
- Cable Entrance Section
- Freight on Board
- 2 Set of Current Limiting E Rated, HLE 250E fuses
- Visual blown fuse indication
- Spare set of Current Limiting E Rated, HLE 250E fuses 2
- 2 Motor Operator
- 2 Vertical barrier
- 2 Set(s) of 12KV Station class surge arrestor
- 6 Voltage transformer
- 5KVA Control power transformer 2
- 2 2 Space heaters per Structure
- **Total Freight Price**

Eaton Selling Policy 25-000 applies.

All orders must be released for manufacture within 90 days of date of order entry. If approval drawings are required, drawings must be returned approved for release within 60 days of mailing. If drawings are not returned accordingly, and/or if shipment is delayed for any reason, the price of the order will increase by 1.0% per month or fraction thereof for the time the shipment is delayed.

General Information

Switchgear Design Type

Design Type: MVS

Switchgear Rating

 Voltage Class:
 15

 System Voltage:
 13.8

 Symm Short Circuit:
 40

 BIL:
 95 KV

 Number of Wires:
 3

 System Ground
 Solid

 3rd Party Cert:
 NA

Bus Specifications

Bus Material: Silver-Plated Copper Ground Bus Material: Cu
Bus Bracing, kA RMS Sym: 40
Main Bus Amps: 800
Bus Curport les: Polyactor Simond

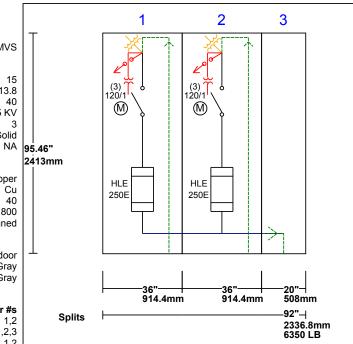
Bus Support Ins: Polyester Finned

Enclosure Info:

: Outdoor Int. Color: ANSI-61 Light Gray Ext. Color: ANSI-61 Light Gray

Structure Modifications

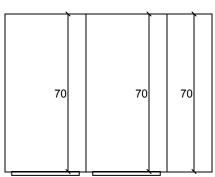
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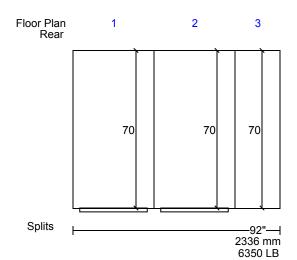


Structure		1	2	3	
Structure Depth		70	70	70	
Switch Rating	J	600	600		
Momentary R	ating	61	61		
NP Integ. Rat	ing	40	40	40	
	Class	Current Limiting-E	Current Limiting-E		
FUSE OR	Туре	HLE	HLE		
VCB	Amps	250E	250E		
	Spare	1 Set	1 Set		
	Size				
CABLE IN	#/PH				
	Term Type				
	Size				
CABLE OUT	#/PH				
	Term Type	None	None	None	
(Qty) CT Rati	0				
(Qty) VT Ratio	0	(3) 120/1	(3) 120/1		
CPT Rating (I	kVA)	5	5		
SURGE	KV	12.0	12.0		
ARREST	TYPE	Station	Station		
	QTY				
KEY	SCHEME				
INTER- LOCK inter-	LO				
changes	LD				
	LC				

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Quotation

UNLESS THERE ARE DIFFERENT OR ADDITIONAL TERMS AND CONDITIONS CONTAINED IN A MASTER AGREEMENT THAT MODIFY WESCO'S STANDARD TERMS, BUYER AGREES THAT THIS QUOTE AND ANY RESULTING PURCHASE ORDER WILL BE GOVERNED BY WESCO'S TERMS AND CONDITIONS AVAILABLE AT HTTP://WWW.WESCO.COM/TERMS_AND_CONDITIONS_OF_SALE.PDF, WHICH TERMS ARE INCORPORATED HEREIN BY REFERENCE AND MADE PART HEREOF. PLEASE CONTACT

THE SELLER IDENTIFIED ON THIS QUOTE IF YOU REQUIRE A PRINTED COPY.

To: STATE OF WV

SOLICITATION # GSD2000000036

MV SWITCH GEAR

BECKLEY WV 258019767 Date: 03/17/20

Branch: 1721

Project Number: MV SWITCHGEAR

Project Name GSD200000036

Quoted To:

Date of Your 03/17/20 Inquiry:

When ordering please refer to Quotation Number:

139650

Item	Quantity	Catalog Number and Description	Unit Price	U/M	Total Price	Rate of Cash Discount	Shipping Time (Weeks)	Customer Delivery Date
10	1	EAT***MV SWITCHGEAR	52136.790	E	52136.79	0.00		08/07/20
		SOLICITATION						
		# GSD200000036						
20	1	EAT***MV SWITCHGEAR	52136.790	E	52136.79	0.00		08/07/20
		SOLICITATION #						
		GSD200000036						
		APX 18-20 WEEKS ARO						
		REF NEG# BL720304X0K1-0						
		SUB-TOTAL			104273.58			
		TOTAL			104273.58			

F.O.B. Point of Shipment. The prices stated in this offer shall, unless renewed, automatically expire fifteen days (15) from the date of this offer. Prices quoted are subject to adjustment should Duty and Tariff rates change from time of bid/quotation to time of order. WESCO reserves the right to adjust its pricing for Goods affected directly or indirectly by changing duties/tariffs/trade agreements and significant currency fluctuations.

Per:

1. WESCO'S Terms and Conditions Control the Agreement.

A. These terms and conditions are incorporated into and made a part of the agreement or proposal ("Agreement") by WESCO Distribution, Inc. and any of its domestic subsidiaries, unincorporated divisions or affiliates ("WESCO") to self to the named Buyer the goods referenced on the face of this document ("Goods") and services (including, without limitation, any material management, assembly and kitting services, and engineering and design services (including, without limitation) with the proformed by WESCO or a subcontractor)) referenced on the face of this document ("Services"). The Agreement expressly limits Buyer's acceptance to these terms and conditions. Buyer may reject the Agreement by not ordering receiving any Goods or Services. The Agreement does not constitute an acceptance by WESCO of any offer or counteroffer of Buyer, and WESCO hereby rejects any additional, different, or inconsistent terms, conditions or limitations contained in or incorporated by reference in any forms, purchase orders or other documents of Buyer that already have been or hereafter may be presented to WESCO with respect to the Agreement.

B. If Buyer has submitted or will submit additional and/or different terms and conditions to WESCO, or submit a counteroffer to WESCO. WESCO's absequent performance will not be construed as either acceptance of Buyer's and the construction of the processing of the processing

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2. Prices.

A. Unless otherwise agreed to by WESCO in writing, WESCO's prices for the Goods and Services will be the prices stated on the face of this document or WESCO's standard prices for such Goods and Services as of the date hereof, provided that, where standard prices for Goods in the quantities ordered as calculated by WESCO extend beyond two decimal places, WESCO shall round such prices for Goods to the nearest two decimal places for purposes of determining Buyer's payment obligation with respect to such Goods; provided, however, that WESCO may change the price for the Goods and Services in accordance with any change to its standard pricing for such Goods and Services prior to the date of shipment of Goods or performance of Services, as the case may be.

B. The prices of any and all Goods and Services shall be confidential, and Buyer shall not disclose such prices to any unrelated third party. WESCO and Buyer acknowledge and agree that money damages for any and all breaches of Buyer's obligation not to disclose the price of any Goods or Services is both incalculable and insufficient and that any such breach would irreparably harm WESCO. Therefore, in the event of an actual or prospective breach of the obligation of Buyer not to disclose the prices of any Goods and Services, WESCO shall be entitled to a permanent and/or a preliminary injunction to prevent or remedy such breach and shall have the right to specific enforcement of this Agreement against Buyer in addition to any other remedies to which WESCO may be entitled at law or in equity.

3. <u>Specifications</u>. Unless WESCO has expressly agreed otherwise in writing, it is Buyer's responsibility to ensure that the Goods and Services are the ones that it has requested and that all specifications and quantities are correct. WESCO HEREBY EXPRESSLY DISCLAIMS ANY AND ALL REPRESENTATIONS AND WARRANTIES THAT GOODS AND SERVICES CONFORM TO ANY SPECIFICATIONS, DRAWINGS, DESIGNS, OR SAMPLES.

 Shipment of Goods: Performance of Services.
 A. Shipment of all Goods shall be made F.O.B. point of shipment (Ex Works WESCO's facility per INCOTERMS) 2000 for international shipments). Buyer shall bear the risk of loss and damage to Goods after delivery to the point of

 Any shipping dates for Goods or performance dates for Services given in advance of actual shipment of Goods B. Any simpling detes for cloops or performance bates for services given in advance of actual shipment of Goods and performance of Services are WESCO's best estimates for informational purposes only, and deliveries of Goods and performance of Services will be made subject to prior orders on file with WESCO. Unless otherwise agreed to by WESCO in writing, WESCO may, in its sole discretion, use any commercial carriers for shipment of the Goods. WESCO will use its reasonable efforts to comply with Buyer's requests as to method and route of transportation, but WESCO reserves the right to use an alternate method or route of transportation, whether or not at a higher rate. C. Unless otherwise agreed to by WESCO in writing, Buyer will pay all insurance costs in connection with delivery of the Goods, if any, and be responsible for filing and pursuing claims with carriers for loss of, or damage to, Goods in transit.

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D. Buyer is responsible for obtaining at its sole cost and expense any and all necessary licenses and permits for the Goods and Services, including, without limitation, any licenses and permits for transportation.

E. If Buyer is unable to receive the Goods when they are tendered, Buyer will be liable to WESCO for any losses, damages, or additional expenses incurred or suffered by WESCO as a result of Buyer's inability to receive the Goods.

F. Buyer immediately will inspect all Goods upon its receipt of them and will be deemed to accept the Goods upon receipt. Any claims for shortages or discrepancies will be waived by Buyer unless made in writing to WESCO within fixed date of receipt of the Goods. five days of receipt of the Goods.

G. WESCO may cancel in whole or in part any order for Goods or Services under the Agreement at any time.
 H. Until Buyer has fully and finally paid all amounts owed to WESCO for any Goods, Buyer shall hold such Goods in trust for WESCO, and WESCO may repossess them if Buyer fails to pay for them in a timely fashion.

5. Payment.

A. All payments for Goods and Services must be made in United States currency unless specified in writing by WESCO. Payments for Goods and Services will be made by such means as WESCO may specify, such as by check.

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 WESCO shall have the right to offset any and all amounts due and owing from WESCO to Buyer under this Agreement, including, without limitation, any chargebacks or rebates, against any amounts due and owing from Buyer to WESCO under this Agreement.

D. If Buyer defaults in payment, Buyer will be liable for all collection costs incurred by WESCO including, but not

limited to, attorneys' and collection agency fees, and all related disbursements.

E. If Buyer does not pay when payment is due, past due amounts are subject to service charges of one and a half percent (1 ½%) per month or the maximum percentage rate permitted by law, whichever is less.

6. Taxes. The purchase price of the Goods and Services does not include transportation taxes and sales, use on the process price of the Goods and Services does not include transportation taxes and sales, use, excise, import or any similar tax or other governmental charge arising pursuant to or in connection with the sale, purchase, processing, delivery, storage, use, consumption, performance or transportation of the Goods and Services. Buyer is responsible for payment of any transportation taxes, and any present or future sales, use, excise, import or any similar tax or other governmental charge applicable to the Agreement and to the sale and/or furnishing of the

7. Cancellation. Buyer may cancel its order for Goods and/or Services, but only if WESCO agrees to such cancellation in writing and only after Buyer pays reasonable charges for expenses already incurred and commitments made by WESCO in connection with the placement of such order(s).

8. Discialmer of Warranties. WESCO HEREBY EXPRESSLY DISCLAIMS AND EXCLUDES ANY AND ALL REPRESENTATIONS AND WARRANTIES, WHETHER WRITTEN OR ORAL, WHETHER EXPRESS OR IMPLIED, WHETHER ARISING BY CONTRACT, AT LAW, IN EQUITY, BY STRICT LIABILITY OR OTHERWISE, WITH RESPECT TO THE GOODS AND SERVICES, INCLUDING, BUT NOT LIMITED TO, ANY WARRANTY OF MERCHANTABILITY, ANY WARRANY AGAINST DEFECTS IN DESIGN, MATERIALS AND WORKMANSHIP, ANY WARRANTY OF FITNESS FOR A PARTICULAR PURPOSE, ANY WARRANTY AGAINST REDHIBITORY DEFECTS, ANY WARRANTY OF GOOD TITLE, AND ANY WARRANTY AGAINST INFRINGEMENT OF THIRD PARTY INTELLECTUAL PROPERTY, INCLUDING, WITHOUT LIMITATION, ANY PATENTS, TRADEMARKS, OR COPVINIGNTS. WESCO, Sell Indusery, If given proper widthen period for the given of transfer of lighted that the citizent of the control of the proper of the property of them of the property of the property of them. COPYRIGHTS. WESCO shall, however, if given prompt written notice by Buyer of any claim of alleged patent, trademark or copyright infringement with respect to any Goods use its reasonable efforts to secure for Buyer such indemnity rights as the manufacturer may offer with respect to such Goods.

9. Exclusive Remedy. Buyer's EXCLUSIVE remedy against WESCO for any claim for, or arising out of, any Good tendered to Buyer is the repair or replacement of the Good, or alternatively, at WESCO's sole election, a refund of the purchase price of the Good. Buyer's EXCLUSIVE remedy against WESCO arising out of any defect in, or in connection with, any Service provided hereunder is the re-performance of that Service or, at WESCO's sole election, a refund of the purchase price of the Service. These remedies only will only be available to Buyer for one year after the Good is tendered or Service is provided to Buyer, and WESCO's obligations under this Section will be void unless Buyer provides WESCO with notice of the defect in the Good or Service within 30 days of discovery of the defect. Any Good returned to WESCO's remair replacement or refund under this Section of will be returned by Burger in the service. Good returned to WESCO for repair, replacement or refund under this Section 9 will be returned by Buyer in accordance with WESCO's return material authorization procedures then in effect.

10. <u>Limitation of Liability</u>. NOTWITHSTANDING ANYTHING ELSE CONTAINED HEREIN TO THE CONTRARY, IN NO EVENT WILL: (A) WESCO BE LIABLE TO BUYER FOR ANY CIRCUMSTANTIAL, CONSEQUENTIAL,

CONTINGENT, EXEMPLARY, INCIDENTAL, INDIRECT, LIQUIDATED, MATERIAL, PUNITIVE, SPECIAL, SPECULATIVE OR OTHER DAMAGES, INCLUDING, WITHOUT LIMITATION, DAMAGES FOR LOST PROFITS, SALES OR REVENUES, COST OF REPLACEMENT GOODS, LOST BUSINESS OR BUSINESS INTERRUPTIONS, OR ATTORNEYS FEES OR COURT COSTS ARISING IN ANY MANNER PURSUANT TO OR IN CONNECTION WITH THE AGREEMENT, THE GOODS OR THE SERVICES (EVEN IF WESCO IS MADE AWARE OF THE POTENTIAL FOR SUCH DAMAGES); AND (8) WESCO'S TOTAL LIABILITY RELATED TO ANY GOOD OR SERVICE EXCEED THE PURCHASE PRICE OF SUCH GOOD OR SERVICE.

11. Indemnification.

A. Upon prompt notice by Buyer of any claim of U.S. patent, copyright, or trademark infringement with respect to any Goods or Services, WESCO will use its reasonable efforts to secure for Buyer such indemnify rights as the manufacturer may customarily give with respect to such Goods. This Section 11 sets forth Buyer's sole and exclusive remedy against WESCO regarding the infringement by any Goods or Services of any third party intellectual property rights, including, without the infringement by any Goods or Services of any third party intellectual property rights, including, without limitation, any patents or trademarks.

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B. Buyer will indemnity, defend and hold harmless WESCO, its shareholders, officers, directors, employees, agents and representatives from and against all losses, damages, liabilities, costs, and expenses including, but not limited to, property damage, loss of profits or revenue, loss of use of any property, cost of capital, cost of purchased or replacement power or temporary equipment, personal or bodily injury, or death ("Losses"), that may arise pursuant to or in connection with the Agreement, the Goods, or the Services (including, without limitation, Losses arising in connection with the performance of Services on Buyer's premises by WESCO's employees, representatives, agents, or subcontractors), regardless of whether such Losses are suffered directly by Buyer or arise pursuant to or in connection with a third-party suit, claim, counterclaim, demand, judgment or other action (each a "Claim") and regardless of whether or not WESCO or any third-party lp surportionately negligent with respect to such Losses and/or Claim, provided that Buyer need not indemnify WESCO for WESCO's obligation, if any, to Buyer under Section 9 above. For the avoidance of doubt and without limitation, this indemnification obligation requires Buyer to pay any judgments against WESCO or any other Indemnified party in connection with any Claim, and any reasonable attorneys fees and disbursements incurred by WESCO or any other indemnified party in connection with any Claim, and any reasonable attorneys fees and disbursements incurred by WESCO or any other indemnified party in connection with any Claim, and any reasonable attorneys fees and disbursements incurred by WESCO or any other indemnified party in whether the sole and exclusive right to conduct the defense of any Claim. WESCO or any other indemnified made against WESCO, Buyer or any third party.

12. Product Suitability. Goods sold by WESCO are designed to meet stated U.S. safety standards and regulations. Pactuate Surface solutions solution was offered to meet stated U.S. safety standards and regulations. Because local safety standards and regulations may vary significantly, WESCO cannot guarantee that the Goods meet all applicable requirements in each locality. Buyer assumes responsibility for compliance with such safety standards and regulations in the localities in which the Goods will be shipped, sold and used. Before purchase and use of any Goods, Buyer should review the product application, and national and local codes and regulations, and verify that the use and installation of the Goods will be seen buyer the second solutions. installation of the Goods will comply with them.

13. Ownership. WESCO shall have and retain all right, title, and interest in and to any and all trade secrets, technical data, sales service and product plans, methodologies, techniques, designs, molds, tools, samples, systems, know-how, expertise and other proprietary information that it may use pursuant to or in connection with any Services, and Buyer shall not obtain a license to, or any other property rights in, any such WESCO property pursuant to or in connection with this Agreement. connection with this Agreement.

14. Export Controls: Availability: Laws.

A Certain Goods may be subject to export controls under the laws, regulations and/or directives of the United States and various other countries. Buyer must comply with such laws and regulations and not export, re-export or transfer these Goods to any country to which such export, re-export, or transfer is forbidden or without first obtaining all required authorizations or licenses.

B. Due to government regulations and product availability, not all goods sold by WESCO may be available in

area.

C. Buyer hereby warrants and represents that it will comply with any and all Laws with respect to the purchase, use, and operation of any and all Goods and Services. For purposes hereof, "Laws" means any international, multinational, national, foreign, federal, state, municipal, local (or other political subdivision) or administrative laws, constitutions, statutes, codes, ordinances, rules, regulations, requirements, standards, policies or guidances having the force of law, treaties, judgments or orders of any kind or nature whatsoever, including, without limitation, any judgment or principle

15. Interpretation of the Agreement. None of WESCO's or Buyer's shareholders, directors, officers, partners, managers, employees, agents or representatives have any authority to orally modify or alter in any way the terms and conditions of the Agreement. The terms, conditions, and limitations set forth in the Agreement can be modified, altered, or added to only by a subsequent written instrument signed by an authorized representative of WESCO or by language included on the face hereof. Regardless of how many times Buyer purchases, or has purchased, goods and services from WESCO by whatever means, each time Buyer accepts the Agreement, Buyer and WESCO enter into a separate agreement that will be interpreted without reference to any other agreement between Buyer and WESCO, or what Buyer may claim to be a course of dealing or course of performance that has arisen between Buyer and WESCO. No inconsistent usage of trade or industry custom, if any, prior to, contemporaneous with or subsequent to the making of the Agreement will valve, vary, serve to explain or serve to interpret any of the terms, conditions and limitations of the Agreement. The Agreement is the sole and exclusive agreement with respect to the matters discussed herein and the provision of Goods and Services hereunder, (except for any contemporaneous writing agreed to in writing by WESCO expressly modifying the terms and conditions hereof, which is hereby incorporated herein by reference and made a part hereof) and supersedes all prior and contemporaneous agreements and understandings, negotiations, inducements, representations or conditions, whether oral or written, whether express or implied, with respect to such matters. Failure by WESCO to enforce any of the terms, conditions of the Agreement, will not constitute a waiver of those terms, conditions or limitations of the Agreement, and the failure of WESCO to exercise any right (whether provided by the Agreement, law, equity, or otherwise) arising from Buyer's default under the Agreement will not co 15. Interpretation of the Agreement. None of WESCO's or Buyer's shareholders, directors, officers, partners,

16. Force Maleure. WESCO will not be liable for its failure to perform under the Agreement (including, without limitation, the failure to deliver any Goods or perform any Services) due to circumstances beyond its control, including, without limitation, fire, flood, earthquake, pestilence or similar catastrophe; war, act of terrorism, or strike; lack or failure of transportation facilities, shortage of suitable parts, materials or labor; any existing or future law, rule, regulation, decree, treaty, proclamation, or order of any governmental agency; inability to secure fuel, materials, supplies, equipment or power at reasonable prices or in sufficient amounts; act of God or the public enemy, or any other event or cause beyond WESCO's reasonable control, including, without limitation, any delay caused by Buyer (sech, a "Force Majeure Event"). If any Force Majeure Event prevents WESCO's performance of any of its obligations under the Agreement, WESCO will have the right to (a) change, terminate or cancet the Agreement, or (b) omit during the period of the Force Majeure Event all or any portion of the quantity of the Goods deliverable during that period, whereupon the total quantity deliverable under the Agreement will be reduced by the quantity ornited. If WESCO is unable to supply the total demands for any Goods to be delivered under the Agreement due to a Force Majeure Event, WESCO will have the right to allocate its available supply among its customers in whatever manner WESCO derns to be fair and equitable. In no event will WESCO be obligated to purchase materials from other than its regular sources of supply in order to enable it to supply Goods to Buyer under the Agreement. No change, cancellation or proration by WESCO will be deemed to be a breach of any clause, provision, term, condition, or covenant of the Agreement.

17. Choice of Law: Choice of Venue. The negotiation, execution, performance, termination, interpretation and construction of the Agreement will be governed by the law of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, except for Pennsylvania's choice of law rules, and expressly excluding the United Nations Convention on Contracts for the International Sale of Goods. If either WESCO or Buyer brings a lawsuit or any other action sing out of the Agreement against the other party, such party must file its lawsuit or other action in a state or federal court located in Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania. WESCO and Buyer expressly submit to the exclusive jurisdiction of those courts and consent to venue in those courts, and WESCO and Buyer consent to extra-territorial service of process on WESCO and Buyer. In the event of litigation pertaining to any matter covered by the Agreement, each of WESCO and Buyer hereby agree to waive any right that if may have to a jury trial of any or all issues that may be rised in such litigation. Nothing contained in the Agreement will be construed to limit or waive any rights of WESCO under applicable United States federal, state, or local laws. Any provision of the Agreement held to be invalid, illegal or unenforceable will be ineffective to the extent of such invalidity, illegality or unenforceability without affecting the validity, legality and enforceability of the remaining provisions hereof.

18. <u>Binding Authority.</u> Any director, officer, employee, representative, or agent of Buyer signing or otherwise entering into this Agreement hereby represents and warrants that he or she is duly authorized to execute and enter into this Agreement on behalf of Buyer.