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DIVISION OF HIGHWAYS
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DATE PRINTED TERMS OF SALE SHIP VIA F.O.B. FREIGHT TERMS 05/30/2010 BID OPENING DATE: 06/16/2010 **BID OPENING TIME** 01:30PM CAT LINE QUANTITY UOP ITEM NUMBER UNIT PRICE AMOUNT 0001 TΝ 915-28-07-001 SODIUM CHLORIDE OPEN END CONTRACT TO PROVIDE ALL LABOR, MATERIALS, AND EQUIPMENT FOR THE SUPPLY OF SODIUM CHLORIDE TO THE WEST VIRGINIA DIVISION OF HIGHWAYS AND THE WEST VIRGINIA PARKWAY AUTHORITY AT THE LOCATIONS LISTED IN THE ATTACHED SPECIFICATIONS. PURCHASING CARD ACCEPTANCE: THE STATE OF WEST VIRGINIA CURRENTLY UTILIZES A VISA PURCHASING CARD PROGRAM WHICH IS ISSUED THROUGH A BANK. THE SUCCESSFUL VENDOR MUST ACCEPT THE STATE OF WEST VIRGINIA VISA PURCHASING CARD FOR PAYMENT OF ALL ORDERS PLACED BY ANY STATE AGENCY AS A CONDITION OF AWARD. EXHIBIT 3 LIFE OF CONTRACT: THIS CONTRACT BECOMES EFFECTIVE ON ····· AND EXTENDS FOR A PERIOD OF ONE (1) YEAR OR UNTIL SUCH "REASONABLE TIME" THEREAFTER AS IS NECESSARY TO OBTAIN A NEW CONTRACT OR RENEW THE RECEIVED ORIGINAL CONTRACT. THE "REASONABLE TIME" PERIOD SHALL NOT EXCEED TWELVE (12) MONTHS. DURING THIS "REASONABLE TIME" THE VENDOR MAY TERMINATE THIS CONTRACT FOR ANY 200 JUN 15 P 1:08 GIVING THE DIRECTOR OF PURCHASING 30 DAYS REASON UPON WRITTEN NOTICE. CHASING DIVISION STATE OF WV

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SEE REVERSE SIDE FOR TERMS AND CONDITIONS

(866)334-2464

June 14, 2010

ADDRESS CHANGES TO BE NOTED ABOVE

# GENERAL TERMS & CONDITIONS REQUEST FOR QUOTATION (RFQ) AND REQUEST FOR PROPOSAL (RFP)

- 1. Awards will be made in the best interest of the State of West Virginia.
- 2. The State may accept or reject in part, or in whole, any bid.
- 3. Prior to any award, the apparent successful vendor must be properly registered with the Purchasing Division and have paid the required \$125 fee.
- 4. All services performed or goods delivered under State Purchase Order/Contracts are to be continued for the term of the Purchase Order/Contracts, contingent upon funds being appropriated by the Legislature or otherwise being made available. In the event funds are not appropriated or otherwise available for these services or goods this Purchase Order/Contract becomes void and of no effect after June 30
- 5. Payment may only be made after the delivery and acceptance of goods or services.
- 6. Interest may be paid for late payment in accordance with the West Virginia Code
- 7. Vendor preference will be granted upon written request in accordance with the West Virginia Code.
- 8. The State of West Virginia is exempt from federal and state taxes and will not pay or reimburse such taxes.
- 9. The Director of Purchasing may cancel any Purchase Order/Contract upon 30 days written notice to the seller.
- 10. The laws of the State of West Virginia and the Legislative Rules of the Purchasing Division shall govern the purchasing process.
- 11. Any reference to automatic renewal is hereby deleted. The Contract may be renewed only upon mutual written agreement of the parties
- 12. BANKRUPTCY: In the event the vendor/contractor files for bankruptcy protection, the State may deem this contract null and void, and terminate such contract without further order.
- 13. HIPAA BUSINESS ASSOCIATE ADDENDUM: The West Virginia State Government HIPAA Business Associate Addendum (BAA), approved by the Attorney General, is available online at www.state.wv.us/admin/purchase/vrc/hipaa.htm and is hereby made part of the agreement. Provided that the Agency meets the definition of a Cover Entity (45 CFR §160.103) and will be disclosing Protected Health Information (45 CFR §160.103) to the vendor.
- 14. CONFIDENTIALITY: The vendor agrees that he or she will not disclose to anyone, directly or indirectly, any such personally identifiable information or other confidential information gained from the agency, unless the individual who is the subject of the information consents to the disclosure in writing or the disclosure is made pursuant to the agency's policies, procedures, and rules. Vendor further agrees to comply with the Confidentiality Policies and Information Security Accountability Requirements, set forth in http://www.state.wv.us/admin/purchase/privacy/noticeConfidentiality.pdf
- 15. LICENSING: Vendors must be licensed and in good standing in accordance with any and all state and local laws and requirements by any state or local agency of West Virginia, including, but not limited to, the West Virginia Secretary of State's Office, the West Virginia Tax Department, and the West Virginia Insurance Commission. The vendor must provide all necessary releases to obtain information to enable the director or spending unit to verify that the vendor is licensed and in good standing with the above entities.
- 16. ANTITRUST: In submitting a bid to any agency for the State of West Virginia, the bidder offers and agrees that if the bid is accepted the bidder will convey, sell, assign or transfer to the State of West Virginia all rights, title and interest in and to all causes of action it may now or hereafter acquire under the antitrust laws of the United States and the State of West Virginia for price fixing and/or unreasonable restraints of trade relating to the particular commodities or services purchased or acquired by the State of West Virginia. Such assignment shall be made and become effective at the time the purchasing agency tenders the initial payment to the bidder.

I certify that this bid is made without prior understanding, agreement, or connection with any corporation, firm, limited liability company, partnership, or person or entity submitting a bid for the same material, supplies, equipment or services and is in all respects fair and without collusion or Fraud. I further certify that I am authorized to sign the certification on behalf of the bidder or this bid.

#### INSTRUCTIONS TO BIDDERS

- 1. Use the quotation forms provided by the Purchasing Division. Complete all sections of the quotation form.
- 2. Items offered must be in compliance with the specifications. Any deviation from the specifications must be clearly indicated by the bidder. Alternates offered by the bidder as **EQUAL** to the specifications must be clearly defined. A bidder offering an alternate should attach complete specifications and literature to the bid. The Purchasing Division may waive minor deviations to specifications.
- 3. Unit prices shall prevail in case of discrepancy All quotations are considered F.O.B. destination unless alternate shipping terms are clearly identified in the quotation.
- 4. All quotations must be delivered by the bidder to the office listed below prior to the date and time of the bid opening. Failure of the bidder to deliver the quotations on time will result in bid disqualifications: Department of Administration, Purchasing Division, 2019 Washington Street East, P.O. Box 50130, Charleston, WV 25305-0130
- 5. Communication during the solicitation, bid, evaluation or award periods, except through the Purchasing Division, is strictly prohibited (W.Va. C.S.R. §148-1-6.6).



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#### 1. SPECIFICATIONS

The following sections of the West Virginia Department of Transportation, Division of Highways Standard Specifications Roads and Bridges, adopted 2000 as modified by the current Supplemental Specifications shall apply to the administration of this contract: Sections 101, 102.4, 102.5, 105.1, 105.3, 105.4, 105.10, 105.11, 105.12, 105.13, 106.3, 106.4, 106.5, 106.6, 106.7, 106.9, 107.1, 107.2, 107.3, 107.14, 107.19, 107.20, 108.8, 109.1, 109.2 and 109.20.

The requirements of the West Virginia Department of Transportation, Division of Highways, Standard Specifications Section 109.20, PRICE ADJUSTMENT FOR LOAD LIMIT VIOLATIONS shall apply to all material supplied under this contract. This will include material loaded by the vendor into Division of Highways owned and/or rented trucks.

The terms "Contractor" and "Vendor" used in the above specifications of this contract are interchangeable. Contractor shall mean Vendor and Vendor shall mean Contractor.

West Virginia Department of Transportation, Division of Highways' Standard Specifications Roads and Bridges, adopted 2000 as modified by the current Supplemental Specifications may be obtained from:

West Virginia Division of Highways Engineering Division, Technical Division Building 5, Room A-650 1900 Kanawha Blvd., East Charleston, West Virginia 25305 Phone: 304-558-2885

Sodium Chloride shall conform to the requirements of ASTM D632-83 and Type I, Grade 1 and shall be delivered in bulk.

#### 2. ACCEPTANCE AND DELIVERY GUARANTEE

The Division of Highways guarantees acceptance of eighty-five (85) percent of the total estimated quantity awarded to an individual vendor. However, conditions may dictate adjustment of the actual quantities delivered to specified sites.

The Vendor shall guarantee delivery, as requested by the Division of Highways, of one hundred and ten percent (110%) of the total estimated award quantity stated in this contract. Quantities purchased  $F_*O_*B_*$  Vendor's Storage Site will not be included in the acceptance and delivery guarantee. All guaranteed deliveries shall be completed prior to March 15, 2011.

Bidder agrees, by execution of this bid, that the guaranteed accepted quantity (eighty-five percent (85%) of total estimated needs) shall be delivered to Division of Highways storage sites or in a Department of Environmental Protection approved stockpile(s) by February 1, 2011

#### 3. BIDDING INSTRUCTIONS

The purpose of this contract is to provide for the delivery of Sodium Chloride to the various locations listed in the bidding schedule. Actual quantities to be delivered to each location will be specified in State Contract Purchase Orders (SCO), which will be issued by the Department of Highways at the time delivery is required.

Bidders submitting bids for a specific county shall bid all of that county's locations - one unit price - for the county sites listed on the attached Bid Schedules. This shall apply to the listed Interstate and Corridor sites as well.

Any qualification of bids or any modification of the specifications or conditions governing the bids may be cause for their rejection.

#### 4. CONTRACT AWARD

All qualified Vendors who submit a valid bid for "FOB Vendor's Storage Site" will be awarded a contract for this item (see Section 11).

Qualified Vendors who submit a valid bid for "FOB Division's Storage Site" will be awarded a contract for those locations for which their bid is low.

In the event a Vendor fails to conform to the requirements set out in this contract document, the State Contract Purchase Order or the governing specifications, the Purchase Order Contract may be canceled and re-awarded to the next low bidder.

#### 5. DELIVERY

State Contract Purchase Orders (SCO) for delivery to individual Division of Highways Storage Sites will be issued to the Vendor awarded a contract for the county locations (see Bid Schedule).

From December 1, 2010 through March 31, 2011 delivery shall be made within seven (7) calendar days after vendor is notified by the Division of Highways

Original delivery tickets for each delivered load to the Division's storage sites must be signed and retained by a DOH employee at the delivery location.

In the event the Vendor to which the SCO is issued is unable to comply with the specified delivery schedule the Division may, at its option, cancel all or part of the SCO and obtain the required quantity of Sodium Chloride from the most economical available source.

#### 6. SAMPLING AND TESTING

Upon award of contract, the Vendor shall provide the Division with the proposed source of supply. Acceptance shall be based on suppliers' certification of quality and gradation. This information shall be directed to:

West Virginia Division of Highways Materials Division 190 Dry Branch Road Charleston, West Virginia 25306 Phone Number 304-558-3175

The Division may conduct sampling and testing to verify material quality or gradation.

#### 7. WEIGHING MATERIALS DELIVERED BY TRUCK

Material delivered by truck shall be weighed in accordance with Section 308.5 of the West Virginia Department of Transportation, Division of Highways Standard Specifications Roads and Bridges, Adopted 2000 as modified by the current Supplemental Specifications.

#### 8. SUPPLYING OTHER ORGANIZATIONAL ENTITIES

In accordance with Chapter 5A, Article 3, Section 9 of the Code of West Virginia the commodities or services contracted for herein shall be available to all local governmental bodies in accordance with the same prices, terms and conditions afforded to the State of West Virginia

In the event any Vendor does not wish to extend the above prices, terms and conditions of his bid and subsequent contract to all political sub-divisions of the State, he must so indicate in a clear and unambiguous manner in his bid. This indication does not prejudice the award of the contract. If a Vendor does not indicate his refusal to extend the prices, terms and conditions of his bid to other entities of the State he is bound to extend them upon issuance of a purchase order by these entities.

Other organizational entities using this provision of the contract shall do so without any involvement of the Division of Highways. That is, the entity shall make its own purchase arrangements with the Vendor and shall make its own arrangements for payment.

#### 9 VENDOR'S INVOICES

Vendor's are encouraged to utilize a paperless invoice process submitting the following information via e-mail to the DOH ordering locations:

- a) All weight ticket numbers for material delivered during the invoicing period
- b) Division of Highways' State Contract Purchase Order (SCO) number, and this contract number.
- c) Total quantity and unit price with the total cost of each type of material furnished. (Total quantity invoiced shall be scale weights (supported by weight tickets).

 $\overline{\text{NOTE}}$ : Under no circumstance will the West Virginia Division of Highways accept, or pay for, quantities of materials in excess of the quantity stated on the State Contract Purchase Order.

#### BID SCHEDULE (Continued)

Delivery: F.O.B. Division's Storage Site

SODIUM CHLORIDE

(DOH CLASSIFICATION 011-010-000001)

DISTRICT 3

| COUNTY    | DELIVERY SITE            | ESTIMATED<br>NEEDS (TONS) | County Bid<br>Price<br>(PER TON) |
|-----------|--------------------------|---------------------------|----------------------------------|
| Calhoun   | Millstone                | 1500                      | \$71.89                          |
| Pleasants | Belmont                  | 2000                      | \$67.23                          |
| Ritchie   | APD 50 @ Ellenboro       | 2500                      |                                  |
| Ritchie   | Ellenboro                | 3000                      |                                  |
| Ritchie   | Corridor D @ Nutter Farm | 800                       |                                  |
|           |                          |                           | \$68.48                          |
| Roane     | Lefthand @ WV 36         | 750                       |                                  |
| Roane     | Amber Hill @ US 119      | 400                       |                                  |
| Roane     | Spencer                  | 1500                      | \$74.59                          |

NOTE: Vendor should type Bid Schedule

The "Bid Schedule" is available for download on Purchasing's Web site at www.state.wv.us/admin/purchase

#### 10. BID SCHEDULE

Delivery: F.O.B.Division's Storage Site

SODIUM CHLORIDE

(DOH CLASSIFICATION 011-010-000001)

| COUNTY     | DELIVERY SITE       | ESTIMATED<br>NEEDS (TONS) | County Bid<br>Price<br>(PER TON) |
|------------|---------------------|---------------------------|----------------------------------|
| Doddridge  | Smithburg           | 1700                      | <u>\$70.56</u>                   |
| Harrison   | Gore                | 4000                      |                                  |
| Harrison   | Saltwell            | 1000                      |                                  |
| Harrison   | I-79 @ Lost Creek   | 2500                      |                                  |
| APD 50     | Tunnel Hill         | 2500                      | \$73.04                          |
| Marion     | Fairmont            | 2000                      |                                  |
| Marion     | Mannington          | 1200                      |                                  |
|            |                     |                           | \$74.72                          |
| Monongalia | I-79 @ Goshen Rd.   | 2500                      |                                  |
| Monongalia | Ridgedale           | 3700                      |                                  |
| Monongalia | Pentress            | 1600                      | \$75.37                          |
| Preston    | Bruceton Mills      | 10500                     |                                  |
| Preston    | Albright            | 2500                      |                                  |
| Preston    | Bruceton            | 1600                      |                                  |
| Preston    | Terra Alta          | 1200                      |                                  |
| Preston    | Fellowsville        | 1400                      |                                  |
| Preston    | Aurora              | 2000                      |                                  |
| I-68       | Cooper's Rock       | 4000                      | \$79.02                          |
| Iaylor     | Fetterman/Prunytown | 2500                      | \$78 <b>.</b> 50                 |

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## 10 BID SCHEDULE

Delivery: F.O.B. Division's Storage Site

SODIUM CHLORIDE

(DOH CLASSIFICATION 011-010-000001)

| COUNTY  | DELIVERY SITE         | ESIIMATED<br>NEEDS (TONS) | County Bid<br>Price<br>(PER TON) |
|---------|-----------------------|---------------------------|----------------------------------|
|         |                       |                           |                                  |
| Grant   | Petersburg            | 1000                      |                                  |
| Grant   | Mt. Storm             | 2000                      |                                  |
|         |                       |                           | \$83.10                          |
|         |                       |                           |                                  |
| Mineral | New Creek             | 900                       |                                  |
| Mineral | Sky Line              | 1000                      |                                  |
| Mineral | Short Gap             | 750                       |                                  |
| Mineral | District Headquarters | 500                       | \$83.57                          |

# 10 BID SCHEDULE (Continued)

Delivery: F.O.B. Division's Storage Site

#### SODIUM CHLORIDE

(DOH CLASSIFICATION 011-010-000001)

| COUNTY     | DELIVERY SITE         | ESTIMATED<br>NEEDS (TONS) | County Bid<br>Price<br>(PER TON) |
|------------|-----------------------|---------------------------|----------------------------------|
| Fayette    | Oak Hill              | 1000                      |                                  |
| Fayette    | Corridor L @ Oak Hill | 1000                      |                                  |
| Fayette    | Lookout               | 2000                      |                                  |
| Fayette    | Falls View            | 500                       | NO BID                           |
| Greenbrier | Lewisburg             | 1200                      |                                  |
| Greenbrier | Crawley               | 2000                      |                                  |
| Greenbrier | I-64 @ Harts Run      | 1500                      | NO BID                           |
| Monroe     | Union                 | 1000                      |                                  |
| Monroe     | Peterstown            | 400                       | ND BID                           |
| Nicholas   | Summersville          | 2000                      |                                  |
| Nicholas   | Curtin                | 1200                      |                                  |
| Nicholas   | Corridor L @ Muddlety | 2000                      | \$84.41                          |
| Summers    | Hinton                | 2000                      | NO_BID                           |

## BID SCHEDULE (Continued)

Delivery: F O B. Division's Storage Site

SODIUM CHLORIDE

(DOH CLASSIFICATION 011-010-000001)

| COUNTY  | DELIVERY SITE     | ESTIMATED<br>NEEDS (TONS) | County Bid<br>Price<br>(PER TON) |
|---------|-------------------|---------------------------|----------------------------------|
|         |                   |                           |                                  |
| Mercer  | Princeton @ WV 20 | 3500                      |                                  |
| Mercer  | Flat Top          | 900                       |                                  |
| Mercer  | I-77 @ Princeton  | 2000                      | NO BID                           |
|         |                   |                           |                                  |
| Raleigh | Skelton           | 3000                      |                                  |
| Raleigh | Bolt              | 1500                      |                                  |
| Raleigh | I-64 @ Bragg      | 3000                      | NO BID                           |
|         |                   |                           | NO 010                           |
| Wyoming | Pineville         | 2500                      |                                  |
| Wyoming | Still Run         | 950                       |                                  |
| Wyoming | Hanover           | 500                       | NO BID                           |

# 10. BID SCHEDULE (Continued)

Delivery: F.O.B. Division's Storage Site

SODIUM CHLORIDE

(DOH CLASSIFICATION 011-010-000001)

## WV Turnpike

| COUNIŸ  | DELIVERY SITE | ESTIMATED<br>NEEDS (TONS) | County Bid<br>Price<br>(PER TON) |
|---------|---------------|---------------------------|----------------------------------|
| Mercer  | Princeton     | 1500                      | \$87.89                          |
| Raleigh | Beckley       | 8500                      |                                  |
| Raleigh | Ghent         | 5000                      | \$83.98                          |

## BIDDING FOR VENDORS STORAGE LOT

11 Bidding F.O.B. Vendor's Storage Site

| ocation of Storage Site | Bid Price (\$/Ton)<br>F.O.B. Vendor's<br>Storage Site (Note 1 |
|-------------------------|---|
| Aliquippa, PA           | \$68.00   |
| Baltimore, MD           | \$68.00   |
| Willow Island, UV       | \$68.00   |
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Note 1: Bid price shall include cost of vendor Loading Division trucks

# State of West Virginia

# VENDOR PREFERENCE CERTIFICATE

Certification and application\* is hereby made for Preference in accordance with **West Virginia Code**, §5A-3-37 (Does not apply to construction contracts) **West Virginia Code**, §5A-3-37 provides an opportunity for qualifying vendors to request (at the time of bid) preference for their residency status. Such preference is an evaluation method only and will be applied only to the cost bid in accordance with the **West Virginia Code**. This certificate for application is to be used to request such preference. The Purchasing Division will make the determination of the Resident Vendor Preference if applicable.

| 1                    | Application is made for 2.5% resident vendor preference for the reason checked:  Bidder is an individual resident vendor and has resided continuously in West Virginia for four (4) years immediately preceding the date of this certification; or,  |
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|                      | Bidder is a partnership, association or corporation resident vendor and has maintained its headquarters or principal place of business continuously in West Virginia for four (4) years immediately preceding the date of this certification; or 80% of the ownership interest of Bidder is held by another individual, partnership association or corporation resident vendor who has maintained its headquarters or principal place of business continuously in West Virginia for four (4) years immediately preceding the date of this certification; or,   |
|                      | Bidder is a nonresident vendor which has an affiliate or subsidiary which employs a minimum of one hundred state residents and which has maintained its headquarters or principal place of business within West Virginia continuously for the four (4) years immediately preceding the date of this certification; or,   |
| 2                    | Application is made for 2.5% resident vendor preference for the reason checked: Bidder is a resident vendor who certifies that, during the life of the contract, on average at least 75% of the employees working on the project being bid are residents of West Virginia who have resided in the state continuously for the two years immediately preceding submission of this bid; or,   |
| 3                    | Application is made for 2.5% resident vendor preference for the reason checked: Bidder is a nonresident vendor employing a minimum of one hundred state residents or is a nonresident vendor with an affiliate or subsidiary which maintains its headquarters or principal place of business within West Virginia employing a minimum of one hundred state residents who certifies that, during the life of the contract, on average at least 75% of the employees or Bidder's affiliate's or subsidiary's employees are residents of West Virginia who have resided in the state continuously for the two years immediately preceding submission of this bid; or, |
| 4.                   | Application is made for 5% resident vendor preference for the reason checked:  Bidder meets either the requirement of both subdivisions (1) and (2) or subdivision (1) and (3) as stated above; or,  |
| 5                    | Application is made for 3.5% resident vendor preference who is a veteran for the reason checked: Bidder is an individual resident vendor who is a veteran of the United States armed forces, the reserves or the National Guard and has resided in West Virginia continuously for the four years immediately preceding the date on which the bid is submitted; or,   |
| 6                    | Application is made for 3 5% resident vendor preference who is a veteran for the reason checked: Bidder is a resident vendor who is a veteran of the United States armed forces, the reserves or the National Guard, if for purposes of producing or distributing the commodities or completing the project which is the subject of the vendor's bid and continuously over the entire term of the project, on average at least seventy-five percent of the vendor's employees are residents of West Virginia who have resided in the state continuously for the two immediately preceding years  |
| requirer against     | inderstands if the Secretary of Revenue determines that a Bidder receiving preference has failed to continue to meet the nents for such preference, the Secretary may order the Director of Purchasing to: (a) reject the bid; or (b) assess a penalty such Bidder in an amount not to exceed 5% of the bid amount and that such penalty will be paid to the contracting agency cted from any unpaid balance on the contract or purchase order   |
| authoriz<br>the requ | nission of this certificate, Bidder agrees to disclose any reasonably requested information to the Purchasing Division and<br>es the Department of Revenue to disclose to the Director of Purchasing appropriate information verifying that Bidder has paid<br>ired business taxes, provided that such information does not contain the amounts of taxes paid nor any other information<br>by the Tax Commissioner to be confidential  |
| and acc              | benalty of law for false swearing (West Virginia Code, §61-5-3), Bidder hereby certifies that this certificate is true curate in all respects; and that if a contract is issued to Bidder and if anything contained within this certificate is during the term of the contract, Bidder will notify the Purchasing Division in writing immediately.   |
| Bidder:              | Mid - Atlantic Salt, L.L.C. Signed:  |

Title:

Vice President

June 14, 2010

Date:

<sup>&</sup>quot;Check any combination of preference consideration(s) indicated above, which you are entitled to receive

| RFQ No | 66900031 |
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# STATE OF WEST VIRGINIA Purchasing Division

# PURCHASING AFFIDAVIT

West Virginia Code §5A-3-10a states: No contract or renewal of any contract may be awarded by the state or any of its political subdivisions to any vendor or prospective vendor when the vendor or prospective vendor or a related party to the vendor or prospective vendor is a debtor and the debt owned is an amount greater than one thousand dollars in the aggregate

#### **DEFINITIONS:**

"Debt" means any assessment, premium, penalty, fine, tax or other amount of money owed to the state or any of its political subdivisions because of a judgment, fine, permit violation, license assessment, defaulted workers' compensation premium penalty or other assessment presently delinquent or due and required to be paid to the state or any of its political subdivisions including any interest or additional penalties accrued thereon

Debtor' means any individual, corporation, partnership, association, Limited Liability Company or any other form or business association owing a debt to the state or any of its political subdivisions. "Political subdivision" means any county commission; municipality; county board of education; any instrumentality established by a county or municipality; any separate corporation or instrumentality established by one or more counties or municipalities, as permitted by law; or any public body charged by law with the performance of a government function or whose jurisdiction is coextensive with one or more counties or municipalities. "Related party means a party, whether an individual corporation partnership association, limited liability company or any other form or business association or other entity whatsoever related to any vendor by blood, marriage, ownership or contract through which the party has a relationship of ownership or other interest with the vendor so that the party will actually or by effect receive or control a portion of the benefit, profit or other consideration from performance of a vendor contract with the party receiving an amount that meets or exceed five percent of the total contract amount.

**EXCEPTION:** The prohibition of this section does not apply where a vendor has contested any tax administered pursuant to chapter eleven of this code, workers' compensation premium, permit fee or environmental fee or assessment and the matter has not become final or where the vendor has entered into a payment plan or agreement and the vendor is not in default of any of the provisions of such plan or agreement

Under penalty of law for false swearing (West Virginia Code §61-5-3) it is hereby certified that the vendor affirms and acknowledges the information in this affidavit and is in compliance with the requirements as stated

# Vendor's Name: Mid - Atlantic Salt, L.L.C. Authorized Signature: Date: June 14, 2010 State of Perpoylusive County of Detlete to-wit: Taken, subscribed, and sworn to before me this Widay of December, 2020 My Commission expires Quie Zasa 2010 20 AFFIX SEAL HERE NOTORY PUBLIC Date: June 14, 2010

COMMONWEALTH OF PENNSYLVANIA

WITNESS THE FOLLOWING SIGNATURE

Notaria! Seal
Diané Lynn Geibel, Notary Public
Butter Twp., Butter County
My Commission Expires June 28, 2010
Member Pennsylvania Association of Notaries