



State of West Virginia
 Department of Administration
 Purchasing Division
 2019 Washington Street East
 Post Office Box 50130
 Charleston, WV 25305-0130

Request for Quotation

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<p>FINANCING FOR SOFTWARE LICENSES</p> <p>REQUEST FOR QUOTATION (RFQ)</p> <p>THE WEST VIRGINIA STATE PURCHASING DIVISION FOR THE AGENCY, THE WEST VIRGINIA OFFICE OF TECHNOLOGY, IS SOLICITING BIDS TO PROVIDE FINANCING SERVICES FOR WAKE UP, NIGHT WATCHMAN, AND NOMAD ENTERPRISE APPLICATION SOFTWARE LICENSES PER THE ATTACHED SPECIFICATIONS.</p> <p>TECHNICAL QUESTIONS CONCERNING THIS SOLICITATION MUST BE SUBMITTED IN WRITING TO KRISTA FERRELL IN THE WEST VIRGINIA PURCHASING DIVISION VIA FAX AT 304-558-4115 OR VIA EMAIL AT KRISTA.S.FERRELL@WV.GOV. DEADLINE FOR ALL TECHNICAL QUESTIONS IS FRIDAY, JANUARY 16, 2009 AT THE CLOSE OF BUSINESS. ALL TECHNICAL QUESTIONS RECEIVED, IF ANY, WILL BE ADDRESSED BY ADDENDUM AFTER THE DEADLINE.</p> <p>QUESTIONS CONCERNING THE ACTUAL PROCESS BY WHICH A VENDOR MAY SUBMIT A BID TO THE STATE OF WEST VIRGINIA ARE NOT CONSIDERED TO BE TECHNICAL QUESTIONS AND MAY BE SUBMITTED AT ANY TIME PRIOR TO THE BID OPENING AND IN ANY FORMAT.</p> <p>NOTICE</p> <p>A SIGNED BID MUST BE SUBMITTED TO:</p>						

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**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. All quotations are governed by the *West Virginia Code* and the *Legislative Rules* of the Purchasing Division.
4. Prior to any award, the apparent successful vendor must be properly registered with the Purchasing Division and have paid the required \$125 fee.
5. 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.
6. Payment may only be made after the delivery and acceptance of goods or services.
7. Interest may be paid for late payment in accordance with the *West Virginia Code*.
8. Vendor preference will be granted upon written request in accordance with the *West Virginia Code*.
9. The State of West Virginia is exempt from federal and state taxes and will not pay or reimburse such taxes.
10. The Director of Purchasing may cancel any Purchase Order/Contract upon 30 days written notice to the seller.
11. The laws of the State of West Virginia and the *Legislative Rules* of the Purchasing Division shall govern all rights and duties under the Contract, including without limitation the validity of this Purchase Order/Contract.
12. Any reference to automatic renewal is hereby deleted. The Contract may be renewed only upon mutual written agreement of the parties.
13. **BANKRUPTCY:** In the event the vendor/contractor files for bankruptcy protection, this Contract may be deemed null and void, and terminated without further order.
14. **HIPAA BUSINESS ASSOCIATE ADDENDUM:** The West Virginia State Government HIPAA Business Associate Addendum (BAA), approved by the Attorney General, and available online at the Purchasing Division's web site (<http://www.state.wv.us/admin/purchase/vrc/hipaa.htm>) 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.
15. **WEST VIRGINIA ALCOHOL & DRUG-FREE WORKPLACE ACT:** If this Contract constitutes a public improvement construction contract as set forth in Article 1D, Chapter 21 of the West Virginia Code ("The West Virginia Alcohol and Drug-Free Workplace Act"), then the following language shall hereby become part of this Contract: "The contractor and its subcontractors shall implement and maintain a written drug-free workplace policy in compliance with the West Virginia Alcohol and Drug-Free Workplace Act, as set forth in Article 1D, Chapter 21 of the West Virginia Code. The contractor and its subcontractors shall provide a sworn statement in writing, under the penalties of perjury, that they maintain a valid drug-free work place policy in compliance with the West Virginia and Drug-Free Workplace Act. It is understood and agreed that this Contract shall be cancelled by the awarding authority if the Contractor: 1) Fails to implement its drug-free workplace policy; 2) Fails to provide information regarding implementation of the contractor's drug-free workplace policy at the request of the public authority; or 3) Provides to the public authority false information regarding the contractor's drug-free workplace policy."

INSTRUCTIONS TO BIDDERS

1. Use the quotation forms provided by the Purchasing Division.
2. **SPECIFICATIONS:** 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. Complete all sections of the quotation form.
4. Unit prices shall prevail in case of discrepancy.
5. All quotations are considered F.O.B. destination unless alternate shipping terms are clearly identified in the quotation.
6. **BID SUBMISSION:** 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



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<p>DEPARTMENT OF ADMINISTRATION PURCHASING DIVISION BUILDING 15 2019 WASHINGTON STREET, EAST CHARLESTON, WV 25305-0130</p> <p>THE BID SHOULD CONTAIN THIS INFORMATION ON THE FACE OF THE ENVELOPE OR THE BID MAY NOT BE CONSIDERED:</p> <p>SEALED BID</p> <p>BUYER: KRISTA FERRELL-FILE 21</p> <p>RFQ. NO.: ISCJ0070</p> <p>BID OPENING DATE: 01/28/2009</p> <p>BID OPENING TIME: 1:30 PM</p> <p>PLEASE PROVIDE A FAX NUMBER IN CASE IT IS NECESSARY TO CONTACT YOU REGARDING YOUR BID:</p> <p>-----</p> <p>CONTACT PERSON (PLEASE PRINT CLEARLY):</p> <p>-----</p>						

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Request for Quotation
ISCJ0070
Financing for Computer Power Management Software

The Acquisition and Contract Administration Section of the Purchasing Division, on behalf of the WV Office of Technology, is soliciting quotes to provide financing for Wake Up, Night Watchman and Nomad Enterprise (or equivalents) application software licenses that will provide for the robust administration of personal computer power management for all designated devices on the target Microsoft Active Directory Domain structure. The State is moving toward Agile IT strategy, to facilitate long-term power management sustainability. Green IT and management system efficiency, including improved deployment processes are keys to this strategy. The Governor has an objective to reduce CO2 emissions, by introducing PC power management and reducing server requirements across management infrastructure. The second requirement is to improve the efficiency of infrastructure management, by allowing roaming users to obtain important distributions. Improvement in network efficiency is also a requirement, to better utilize limited connections and bandwidth due to the rising cost and limitation in availability of these resources.

The procurement for the software will be made through another Request for Quotation ISCJ0060 that is yet to be awarded but the bidding process closes on Thursday November 20, 2008. We anticipate the software procurement to be made in one lump sum and should not require multiple financing release orders.

This agreement shall be governed by the terms of the attached State Financing Agreement. A fully executed copy of which shall be added by change order and made a part hereof. The amount to be financed shall not exceed \$500,000 and could be less, which shall be paid over a four (4) year period in monthly installments. The due date for such payments shall be mutually agreed upon between the State and the vendor. The vendor will be required to use the attached State financing agreements.

RFQ ISCJ0070
COST BID FORM

The vendor hereby agreed to provide financing for a sum not to exceed \$500,000 which sum shall be expended over a four (4) year period with payments being made monthly.

Interest Rate _____%

STATE OF WEST VIRGINIA
LEASE PURCHASE AGREEMENT

THIS LEASE PURCHASE AGREEMENT, Made this ____ day of _____, _____, by and between _____, a corporation duly organized and existing under the laws of the State of _____, ("Lessor"), and _____ OF THE DEPARTMENT OF _____, STATE OF WEST VIRGINIA ("Lessee").

The parties hereto do mutually covenant and agree as follows:

1. **Lease:** Pursuant to the provisions of Chapter 5A of the West Virginia Code, the Purchasing Division of the Department of Administration of the State of West Virginia, on behalf of the Lessee, a body politic duly organized and existing under the laws of the State of West Virginia, agrees to lease from Lessor the items of equipment specified in Exhibit A attached hereto ("Equipment"), and Lessor, as specified above, agrees to lease to Lessee the Equipment in accordance with the terms and conditions of this Lease Purchase Agreement ("Lease"). Upon execution, this Lease is binding on and enforceable against Lessor and Lessee in accordance with its terms.

2. **Covenants of Lessor:** Lessor, and any assignee of Lessor, shall allow Lessee to quietly have, hold and enjoy the Equipment, without suit, trouble or hindrance from Lessor during the term of this Lease, except as expressly set forth in this Lease.

3. **Covenants of Lessee:** Lessee is authorized under the Constitution and laws of the State of West Virginia to enter into this Lease. No approval, consent or withholding of objection is required from any governmental authority not a signatory to this Lease with respect to the performance or obligations of Lessee under this Lease. This Lease will not violate any judgment, law or regulation applicable to Lessee or result in any breach of, or constitute a default under, or result in the creation of any lien or encumbrance upon the assets of the Lessee or on the Equipment pursuant to, any other instrument to which Lessee is a party.

4. **Equipment Delivery and Acceptance:** Lessee shall accept the Equipment when and if delivered and placed in good working order in accordance with the Purchase Order for such item of Equipment and hereby authorize the Lessor to add to this Lease the serial number of each item of Equipment so delivered. Lessee shall have sixty (60) days from date of delivery to accept the Equipment and deliver an Equipment Acceptance Certificate, as shown in Exhibit C, or to have the Equipment returned. Notice of any Equipment defects shall be given to Lessor within thirty (30) days of delivery, unless not discovered at that time by reasonable efforts.

Lessor agrees to pay the invoices for the accepted Equipment within seven (7) days of receipt of the Equipment Acceptance Certificate, but shall not be liable for the specific performance of the Lease or for damages, if for any reason, the supplier delays or fails to fill the order. Any delay in such delivery shall not affect the validity of this Lease.

In the event any portion of the Equipment is not accepted or the cost of the Equipment is less than the funding under this Lease, then the amount of the funding remaining shall be applied as a partial prepayment.

5. **Term:** The term of this Lease shall commence on the date of execution of this Lease and shall terminate upon the first to occur:

- (a) the payment of the purchase option price;
- (b) the payment of all lease payments;
- (c) an event of non-appropriation; or
- (d) an event of default.

6. **Event of Non-Appropriation:** An event of non-appropriation shall be deemed to have occurred if:

- (a) sufficient funds are not appropriated for lease payments in any fiscal year; and
- (b) a Lessee shall have at such time no funds duly authorized or otherwise available for the lease payments.

Upon the occurrence of an event of non-appropriation, this Lease shall terminate without penalty at the end of the then current fiscal year and the lease and other payments shall be canceled. Lessee agrees to return the Equipment to Lessor, together with a release of Lessee's title and interest therein. It is the intention of the parties that any transfer of title to Lessor pursuant to this Section shall occur automatically without the necessity of any bill of sale, certificate of title or other instrument of conveyance. Lessee agrees, nevertheless, to execute and deliver any such instruments as Lessor may reasonably request to evidence such transfer. Lessee agrees to provide written notice of an event of non-appropriation to Lessor as soon as Lessee determines that such an event exists.

7. **Warranties/Guarantees:** Lessee acknowledges that it has selected the Equipment financed under this Lease and that Lessor is not the manufacturer or dealer in the Equipment herein leased. As Lessor is not the manufacturer or dealer in the Equipment, Lessor makes, and has made, no representations or warranties whatsoever as to the existence or availability of warranties by the vendor of any item(s) of Equipment. Lessor hereby assigns to each Lessee for and during the lease term all manufacturers' warranties or guarantees, expressed or implied, issued on or applicable to the Equipment acquired by that Lessee, if any.

LESSOR MAKES NO WARRANTY OR REPRESENTATION, EITHER EXPRESS OR IMPLIED, AS TO THE VALUE, DESIGN, CONDITION, MERCHANTABILITY OR FITNESS FOR PARTICULAR PURPOSE OR FITNESS FOR USE OF THE EQUIPMENT, OR WARRANTY WITH RESPECT THERETO. IN NO EVENT SHALL LESSOR BE LIABLE FOR ANY INCIDENTAL, INDIRECT, SPECIAL OR CONSEQUENTIAL DAMAGE IN CONNECTION WITH OR ARISING OUT OF THIS LEASE OR THE EXISTENCE, FURNISHING, FUNCTIONING OR LESSEES' USE OF ANY ITEM(S) OF EQUIPMENT PROVIDED IN THIS LEASE. HOWEVER, LESSOR AGREES TO BE LIABLE FOR ANY LOSS TO PERSONAL PROPERTY OR INJURY TO PERSONS CAUSED BY THE NEGLIGENCE OF LESSOR.

8. **Lease Payments:** Lessee agrees to pay to Lessor lease payments, comprised of the principal and interest, in the amounts set forth in the payment schedule attached hereto as Exhibit B.

All payments shall be made in arrears for the preceding period, and shall be absolute and unconditional in all events, without abatement, diminution, deduction, set-off or defense, for any reason, including without limitation any failure of the Equipment to be delivered or installed, any defects, malfunctions, breakdowns or infirmities in the Equipment or any accident, condemnation or unforeseen circumstances, except as expressly provided in Section 6 of this Lease, provided with respect to any item of Equipment Lessor has provided the funds to finance such item of Equipment and no payment with respect to such item of Equipment has been withheld from a vendor. Lessor shall provide invoices to Lessee in a timely manner. Interest for late payments shall be in accordance with West Virginia law.

The obligation of Lessee to pay lease payments hereunder is a current expense of that Lessee and not a debt in contravention of any applicable constitutional or statutory limitation or requirement, nor shall anything contained herein constitute a pledge of the general tax revenues, funds or monies.

Lessee reasonably believes that sufficient funds can be obtained to make all lease payments during the term of this Lease and hereby covenants that it will use its best efforts to obtain, maintain and properly request funds from which the lease payments may be made, including making provisions for such payments to the extent necessary in each budget submitted for the purpose of obtaining funding, using its best efforts to have such portion of the budget approved. Lessee intends to make lease payments for the full term of this Lease and represents that the Equipment will be used for one or more authorized governmental or proprietary functions essential to their proper, efficient and economic operation.

9. **Use and Maintenance:** Lessee agrees to comply with all federal, state and local laws, ordinances, and regulations applicable to the possession, use or maintenance of the Equipment.

Lessee will not use, operate or maintain the Equipment improperly, carelessly, or in violation of any applicable law. Lessee will, at its expense, maintain, preserve and keep the Equipment in good repair, working order and condition.

Material alterations, modifications, additions or attachments to the Equipment must have the written approval of the Lessor, which consent shall not be unreasonably withheld, and such action shall be performed at the sole expense of Lessee. All alterations, modifications, additions or attachments shall not reduce the value or usefulness of the Equipment.

During the term of this Lease, Lessor and its officers, employees or agents shall have the right at all reasonable times during business hours of Lessee to enter into and upon the property of Lessee for the purpose of inspecting the Equipment.

10. **Insurance and Loss of Equipment:** Lessee is self-insured through the West Virginia Board of Risk and Insurance Management and will protect the interests of the Lessor and Lessee against Equipment losses or damage. Lessee is also self-insured against liability related to the Equipment. In the event of any loss, damage, injury or accident involving the Equipment, Lessee shall promptly provide Lessor with written notice thereof and make available to Lessor all information and documentation thereof.

If any Equipment or any portion thereof is destroyed, in whole or in part, or is damaged by fire or other casualty, or if title to, or the temporary use of, the Equipment or any part thereof is taken under the exercise of the power of eminent domain, Lessee and Lessor will cause the net proceeds of any insurance claim or condemnation award to be applied either to the prompt repair, restoration, modification or replacement of the Equipment or, at Lessee's option, to the payment of the appropriate portion of the purchase option price.

Any balance of the net proceeds remaining after such work or purchase has been completed shall be paid to the Lessee. Net proceeds shall mean the amount remaining from the gross proceeds of any insurance claim or condemnation award after deducting all expenses incurred in the collection of such claims or award. If the net proceeds are insufficient to pay in full the cost of any repair, restoration, modification or replacement, Lessee shall either (a) complete the work and pay any cost in excess of the amount of net proceeds, or (b) Lessee shall pay to Lessor the purchase option price. The amount of the net proceeds in excess of the then applicable purchase option price, if any, may be retained by Lessee.

In the event the purchase option payment for any item(s) of Equipment is paid in accordance with this section, Lessor agrees to release any security interest on that item(s) of Equipment.

- 11. Title to Leased Equipment: During the term of this Lease, title to the Equipment shall vest in the Lessee so long as Lessee shall not be in default or this Lease shall not have been terminated as to such Equipment. To secure all obligations hereunder, Lessee hereby grants to Lessor a security interest in any and all right, title and interest of Lessee in the Equipment. Lessee shall promptly discharge any mechanics', materialmen's or other liens placed on the Equipment.

Lessor shall convey all of the Lessor's right and interest in and to the Equipment to Lessee upon payment of all the lease payments required in accordance with the payment schedule through the maximum lease term for such Equipment or the purchase option price set forth in the payment schedule, if the Lessee is not on such date in default as to any terms of this Lease.

- 12. Taxes and Other Charges: Lessee represents that it is exempt from federal, state and local taxation, and as such, shall not be liable or responsible for the payment or reimbursement of any tax of any type incurred in connection with this Lease, nor will it file any tax returns or reports on behalf of Lessor or its assignees.

As title to the Equipment shall vest in the Lessee during the term of this Lease, Lessee represents that, to the best of its knowledge, no personal property taxes nor licensing or titling fees based upon the use, possession or acquisition of the Equipment are due under the current laws of West Virginia. In the event the use, possession or acquisition of the Equipment should become subject to taxation, Lessee agrees to provide reasonable assistance to Lessor in its endeavors to have such taxes waived or decreased.

It is the intention of the Lessor and Lessee that the interest portion of the lease payments made under this Lease be and remain exempt from federal income taxation. Lessee covenants that it will take any and all action reasonably necessary to maintain the exemption from federal income taxation of the interest portion of the lease payments, and that it will not perform any act or enter into any agreement or use or permit the use of the Equipment or any portion thereof in a manner that shall have the effect of terminating or denying the exemption from federal income taxation of the interest portion of the lease payments, including, without limitation, leasing all or any portion of the Equipment or contracting with a third party for the use or operation of all or any portion of the Equipment if entering into such lease or contract would have such effect.

- 13. Assignment: This Lease, and the obligation of Lessee to make payments hereunder, may be sold, assigned or otherwise disposed of in whole or in part to one or more successors, grantors, holders, assignees or subassignees by Lessor only upon the written consent of Lessee. Upon any sale, disposition, assignment or reassignment, Lessee shall be provided with an executed, duplicate original counterpart of the document(s) by which the same is made and shall be informed of the effective date of and modifications to such sale, disposition, assignment or reassignment. During the term of this Lease, Lessee and the Escrow Agent, if any, shall each keep a complete and accurate register of all such assignments in form necessary to comply with Section 148(a) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986, as amended.

Lessee agrees to make all payments to the assignee designated in the assignment, notwithstanding any claim, defense, set-off or counterclaim whatsoever, whether arising from a breach of this Lease or otherwise (except a breach by Lessor), that Lessee may from time to time have against Lessor or any provider of the Equipment. Lessee agrees to execute all documents, including notices of assignment, chattel mortgages or financing statements, which may be reasonably requested by Lessor or assignee to protect its interests in the Equipment and in this Lease.

Lessor hereby covenants not to sell or offer to sell this Lease through, nor shall this Lease be sold through, (1) a certificate of participation program, whereby one or more interests are created in the Lease, the Equipment or the lease payments; or (2) other similar instruments, agreements, securitizations and obligations through a pool, trust, limited partnership, or other entity.

Lessor shall be the initial registrar and, as such, shall maintain the books for the registration and transfer of this Lease. Each transferee of Lessor, by acceptance of this Lease, agrees to act as the successor registrar if so appointed in writing by the Lessee. The transfer of this Lease may be registered, upon presentation and surrender of this Lease at the office of the registrar designated for such purpose, together with the assignment. The registrar shall maintain a book-entry system by which a record of the names and addresses of all holders of this Lease, or interests therein, is kept. The Lessee or the registrar may require the person requesting any transfer to reimburse it for any tax or other governmental charge payable in connection therewith.

This Lease and the interest of the Lessee in the Equipment may not be sold, assigned or encumbered by Lessee without the prior written consent of Lessor, except that Lessee shall have the right to assign or lease the Equipment, in whole or in part, to other agencies of the State of West Virginia for governmental use only.

During the term of this Lease, Lessee shall keep a complete and accurate record of all assignments and other transfers in form and substance necessary to comply with Section 148(a) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986, as amended. Prior to assignment of Lessor's interest herein, Lessor will cause written notice of such requested assignment to be sent to the Lessee, requesting approval. Upon receipt of an approved notice of assignment, Lessee shall (i) acknowledge the same in writing to Lessor, and (ii) record the assignment in Lessee's book entry system as that term is defined in Section 148(a) of the Internal Revenue Code. Upon assignment of Lessee's interest herein, Lessee will cause written notice of such assignment to be sent to Lessor disclosing the name and address of assignee. Lessee shall initiate any required change order to effectuate an approved assignment.

14. **Indemnification:** The laws and Constitution of West Virginia prohibit Lessee from protecting, holding harmless or indemnifying Lessor from and against any liability, obligations, losses, claims or damages whatsoever. Therefore, Lessee only agrees to be responsible for its own actions under this Lease.
15. **Personal Property:** The Equipment is and shall at all times during the lease term be and remain, personal property.
16. **Option to Purchase:** Lessee shall be entitled to purchase the Equipment as follows:
- (a) upon payment of all lease and other payments required under this Lease; or
 - (b) upon written notice delivered to Lessor by Lessee at least thirty (30) days before the proposed date for payment, and upon the payment on such date of the purchase option price.

As used herein, purchase option price means the amount equal to the outstanding principal, as set forth in the payment schedule, plus any unpaid interest that has accrued on such principal to the date of payment of the purchase option price, provided that any other sum due under this Lease has or is being paid, payable at the option of Lessee for the purpose of purchasing the Equipment.

Lessee may, at Lessee's option, make partial prepayments of a portion of the purchase option price upon written notice delivered at least thirty (30) days in advance of the proposed date for payment and upon payment on such date of the partial prepayment, being an amount equal to a portion of the outstanding principal set forth in the payment schedule and any unpaid interest that has accrued on such portion of the outstanding principal to the date of payment of the partial prepayment. As provided herein, if any portion of the Equipment is not accepted or the cost of the Equipment is less than the funding under this Lease, then the amount of the funding remaining shall be applied as a partial prepayment.

A revised payment schedule reflecting all partial prepayments, consistent with the financing structure contemplated herein, to reflect such partial prepayment shall be attached to this Lease as a change order. Partial prepayments shall entitle Lessee to a release of any security interest on the item(s) of Equipment prepaid in full.

17. **Event of Default:** The following constitute an "Event of Default" under this Lease:
- (a) failure by Lessee to pay any lease payment or other payment required to be paid within forty-five (45) days of when due; or
 - (b) failure by Lessee to maintain insurance on the Equipment in accordance with this Lease; or
 - (c) failure by Lessee to observe and perform any other covenant, condition or agreement on its part to be observed or performed for a period of thirty (30) days after written notice is given to the Lessee by Lessor, specifying such failure and requesting that it be remedied, provided that if the failure stated in such notice cannot be corrected within such thirty (30) day period, the Lessor will not unreasonably withhold its consent to an extension of such time if corrective action is instituted by Lessee within the applicable period and diligently pursued until the default is corrected; or
 - (d) initiation by or against Lessee of a proceeding under any federal or state bankruptcy or insolvency laws.
- An event of non-appropriation shall not be deemed an event of default.

18. **Remedies on Default:** Upon the occurrence of an event of default as specified in this Lease, Lessor shall provide written notification of default which Lessee must remedy within thirty (30) days from the date of notice of default, or Lessor shall have the right, at its option, without any further demand or notice, to pursue any one or more of the following remedial steps:
- (a) Terminate this agreement and retake possession of the Equipment and sell, lease, sublease or make other disposition of the Equipment in a reasonable and commercial manner.
 - (b) Declare an amount equal to all payments due during the fiscal year in which the default occurred to be immediately due and payable, whereupon the same shall become immediately due and payable; or

- (c) Proceed by appropriate court action to enforce performance by Lessee of the applicable covenants of this Lease or to recover for the breach thereof.

All of Lessee's right, title and interest in any Equipment the possession of which is retaken by Lessor upon the occurrence of an event of default shall terminate immediately upon such repossession. Lessee agrees to return the Equipment to Lessor, together with a release of all Lessee's title and interest therein. It is the intent of the parties hereto that any transfer of title to Lessor shall occur automatically without the necessity of any bill of sale, certificate of title or other instrument of conveyance. Lessee agrees, nevertheless, to execute and deliver any such instruments as Lessor may reasonably request to evidence such transfer.

No remedy herein conferred upon or reserved to Lessor is intended to be exclusive and every such remedy shall be cumulative and shall be in addition to every other remedy given under this Lease or now hereafter existing at law or in equity.

- 19. **Force Majeure:** If by reason of force majeure, Lessor or Lessee is unable, in whole or in part, to carry out its obligations under this Lease, Lessor or Lessee, as the case may be, shall not be deemed in default during the continuance of such inability. The term "force majeure" as used herein shall mean, without limitation, the following: acts of God; strikes; lockouts or other industrial disturbances; acts of public enemies; orders or restraints of any kind of the government of the United States of America or the State of West Virginia or any of their departments, agencies or officials, or any civil or military authority; insurrections; riots; landslides; earthquakes; fires; storms; droughts; floods; or explosions.
- 20. **Notices:** All notices to be given under this Lease shall be made in writing and mailed to the other party at its address set forth in Exhibit D or at such address as the party may provide in writing from time to time. Any such notice shall be deemed to have been received five (5) days subsequent to mailing.
- 21. **Binding Effect:** This Lease shall inure to the benefit of and shall be binding upon Lessor and Lessee and their respective successors and assigns.
- 22. **Severability:** In the event any provision of this Lease shall be held invalid, prohibited or unenforceable by any court of competent jurisdiction, such holding shall not invalidate or render unenforceable any other provision hereof.
- 23. **Amendments:** All amendments, modifications, alterations or changes to this Lease shall be in writing and signed by both parties.
- 24. **Execution in Counterparts:** This Lease may be executed in several counterparts. The parties hereto agree that multiple originals of this Lease have been executed.
- 25. **Section Headings:** All section headings contained herein are for convenience of reference only and are not intended to define or limit the scope of any provision of this Lease.
- 26. **Governing Law:** This Lease shall be governed by and construed in accordance with the laws of the State of West Virginia.
- 27. **Delivery of Related Documents:** Upon the request of one party, the other party will provide all documentation reasonably requested. In the event an Internal Revenue Service Form 8038-G or 8038-GC needs to be filed in connection with this transaction, Lessee will execute and file the form.
- 28. **Entire Agreement Waiver:** This Lease, together with any request for quotation, Purchase Order(s) and other attachments hereto, and other documents or instruments executed by Lessor, Purchasing and Lessee in connection herewith, constitute the entire agreement between the parties with respect to the Equipment. The waiver by one party of any breach of any term, covenant or condition hereto must be in writing and shall not operate as a waiver of any subsequent breach thereof.

WITNESS THE FOLLOWING SIGNATURES:

LESSOR: _____
 BY: _____
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Darrell V. McGraw, Jr.
Attorney General

BY: _____
Assistant Attorney General

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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**,
 _____ 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.

Bidder understands if the Secretary of Revenue determines that a Bidder receiving preference has failed to continue to meet the requirements for such preference, the Secretary may order the Director of Purchasing to: (a) reject the bid; or (b) assess a penalty against such Bidder in an amount not to exceed 5% of the bid amount and that such penalty will be paid to the contracting agency or deducted from any unpaid balance on the contract or purchase order.

By submission of this certificate, Bidder agrees to disclose any reasonably requested information to the Purchasing Division and authorizes the Department of Revenue to disclose to the Director of Purchasing appropriate information verifying that Bidder has paid the required business taxes, provided that such information does not contain the amounts of taxes paid nor any other information deemed by the Tax Commissioner to be confidential.

Under penalty of law for false swearing (West Virginia Code, §61-5-3), Bidder hereby certifies that this certificate is true and accurate in all respects; and that if a contract is issued to Bidder and if anything contained within this certificate changes during the term of the contract, Bidder will notify the Purchasing Division in writing immediately.

Bidder: _____ Signed: _____

Date: _____ Title: _____

*Check any combination of preference consideration(s) indicated above, which you are entitled to receive.

STATE OF WEST VIRGINIA
Purchasing Division**PURCHASING AFFIDAVIT****VENDOR OWING A DEBT TO THE STATE:**

West Virginia Code §5A-3-10a provides that: 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 owed is an amount greater than one thousand dollars in the aggregate.

PUBLIC IMPROVEMENT CONTRACTS & DRUG-FREE WORKPLACE ACT:

If this is a solicitation for a public improvement construction contract, the vendor, by its signature below, affirms that it has a written plan for a drug-free workplace policy in compliance with Article 1D, Chapter 21 of the **West Virginia Code**. The vendor **must** make said affirmation with its bid submission. Further, public improvement construction contract may not be awarded to a vendor who does not have a written plan for a drug-free workplace policy in compliance with Article 1D, Chapter 21 of the **West Virginia Code** and who has not submitted that plan to the appropriate contracting authority in timely fashion. For a vendor who is a subcontractor, compliance with Section 5, Article 1D, Chapter 21 of the **West Virginia Code** may take place before their work on the public improvement is begun.

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 materials, 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.

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, West Virginia Insurance Commission, or any other state agencies or political subdivision. Furthermore, 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.

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>.

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: _____

Authorized Signature: _____ Date: _____