

**ONSHORE WIND TERMS OF PURCHASE REV. A – U.S.**

**Revision Date: March 20, 2024**

**1. ACCEPTANCE OF TERMS.** Supplier agrees to be bound by and to comply with all terms set forth herein and on the purchase order (“PO”) to which these terms are attached or are incorporated by reference (each as amended or supplemented, and together with any specifications and other documents referred to herein or on the PO, collectively, this “Order”). It shall be the sole responsibility of the Supplier to ensure that it has received all documents incorporated by reference herein. **Acceptance of this Order is expressly limited to the terms of this Order.** Buyer hereby notifies Supplier that Buyer rejects any terms and conditions included with Supplier’s quotation, invoice or other document which are additional to or different than the terms of this Order, and none of such additional or different terms shall be part of this Order between Supplier and Buyer, unless specifically accepted by Buyer in writing and incorporated into this Order. This Order shall be irrevocably accepted by Supplier upon the earlier of: (a) Supplier’s issuing any acceptance or acknowledgement of this Order; or (b) Supplier’s commencement of the work called for by this Order in any manner. The terms set forth in this Order take precedence over any contradictory terms in any other document connected with this transaction unless such terms are: (i) part of a written agreement (“**Agreement**”), which has been negotiated between the parties and which the parties have expressly agreed may override these terms in the event of a conflict; or (ii) set forth on the PO to which these terms are attached. Any terms herein that do not contradict existing terms of an Agreement shall be considered additional terms. In the event these terms are part of an Agreement between the parties, the term “Order” used herein shall mean any PO issued under the Agreement.

**2. PRICES, PAYMENTS AND QUANTITIES.**

**2.1 Prices.** Unless otherwise stated in the Agreement and/or PO, prices are firm and includes all taxes, levies and other charges such as transport, delivery and packaging costs. The Buyer shall benefit from any general price reduction in the goods covered by the Agreement and/or PO that the Supplier may receive during the period between the conclusion of the Agreement/PO and the delivery of the goods.

- (a) **Value Added Tax (VAT).** Any value added tax that is recoverable by Buyer, state and local sales, use, excise and/or privilege taxes, if applicable, shall not be included in Supplier’s price but shall be separately identified on Supplier’s invoice and in accordance with applicable rules to enable Buyer to reclaim such tax.
- (b) **Withholding Tax (WHT).** Any tax that the Buyer is legally required to withhold for which the Supplier is responsible shall be deducted from payment to Supplier with a valid tax receipt in Supplier’s name. If Supplier is either exempt or eligible for a reduced rate of withholding tax, the Supplier shall provide to Buyer valid documentation (e.g. tax residency certificate) within thirty (30) days prior to payment being due. Supplier warrants the pricing for any goods or services shall not exceed the pricing for the same or comparable goods or services offered by Supplier to third parties.
- (c) Supplier shall promptly inform Buyer of any lower pricing levels for same or comparable goods or services, and the parties shall promptly make the appropriate price adjustment. In addition, the Parties agree that if Buyer receives from a third party a competitive offer (including, without limitation, a competitive offer to provide goods and/or services pursuant to one or more terms (including, without limitation, price, term, volume, quality, performance, freight and/or payment terms) that is more favorable to Buyer (the “**Favorable Terms**”) than the terms in effect under this Order or the PO, Buyer shall provide Supplier a written notice on Buyer letterhead signed by an authorized Buyer representative with sufficient information to allow the Supplier to provide Buyer with a competitive counter offer. There is no limit to the number of times that Buyer may exercise its rights under this Section during the term of this Agreement.

**2.2 Payment Terms.** Supplier shall submit an invoice for the goods and/or services delivered in accordance with the price and conditions outlined in Section 2.1. Supplier is required to submit all invoices pursuant to the instructions provided on the PO. An invoice will not be approved unless it has been properly submitted with the value of such invoice not exceeding the PO value. The invoice shall include: (i) Buyer’s PO number; (ii) separately identifiable goods and/or services provided by Supplier; (iii) reference information for any consigned goods; and (iv) separately identifiable discount, credit or rebates from the base price. No extra charges of any kind shall be allowed. Invoices must be issued within one hundred and twenty (120) days of Buyer’s receipt of the goods and/or Supplier’s completion of the service in accordance with this Order.

- (a) **Standard Terms.** Unless otherwise specified on the Agreement and/or PO, Buyer will apply standard payment terms at one hundred and fifty (150) days after the Payment Start Date, defined in 2.2(b). In addition, Supplier agrees that Buyer may adjust the applicable payment terms with prior written notice, provided the date Supplier receives such payment does not increase by more than five (5) business days.
- (b) **Payment Start Date.** Payment Start Date shall mean the date the goods are delivered and/or services have been fully performed or an earlier date as determined by Buyer in its sole discretion. Depending on the selected delivery/service location, the receipt date of the goods and/or services shall occur within 48 hours of: (i) physical receipt at Buyer’s docks; (ii) Buyer’s customer or location designated by Buyer’s customer; (iii) Buyer’s receipt of a third party written certification from third party of Supplier’s completion of the services.
- (c) **Batched Payments.** Buyer may choose to group all unpaid invoices, with the result that some invoices shall be paid earlier than their net dates and some invoices shall be paid later than their net dates either: (i) Monthly whereby invoices ranging from the sixteenth day of one month to the fifteenth day of the next month shall be initiated on the third day of the second month; (ii) Quarterly whereby invoices to be settled according to the following schedule:

<b><u>From</u></b>	<b><u>To</u></b>	<b><u>Settlement</u></b>
Feb-21	May-30	Apr-4
May-31	Aug-30	Jul-5
Aug-31	Nov-3	Oct-3
Nov-4	Feb-20	Jan-3

- (d) **Early Payment Discounts.** Unless otherwise set forth on the PO or the Agreement, Buyer shall be entitled, either directly or through a Buyer Affiliate, as defined in Section 2.2(e), to take an early payment reduction of 0.0333% of the gross invoice price for each day before the net date that payment is made. For example, an early payment reduction of 3.5% would correspond to a payment made one hundred and five (105) days earlier than the net date and an early payment reduction of 0.333% would correspond to a payment made ten (10) days earlier than the Net Date.
- (e) **Miscellaneous.** Buyer shall be entitled to reject Supplier’s invoice if it fails to comply with the requirements set forth herein or is otherwise inaccurate, and any resulting: (i) delay in Buyer’s payment; or (ii) nonpayment by Buyer shall be Supplier’s responsibility. Buyer may withhold total or partial payment until the goods/or services conform to the requirements of this Order. Buyer’s payment of an invoice shall not constitute its acceptance of the goods or services. Buyer shall be entitled at any time to set off any and all amounts owed by Supplier or a Supplier Affiliate to Buyer or a Buyer Affiliate on this Order or any other order. “**Affiliate**” shall for the purposes of this Order mean, with respect to either party, any entity, including, any individual,

corporation, company, partnership, limited liability company or group, that directly, or indirectly through one or more intermediaries, controls, is controlled by or is under common control with such party.

### 2.3 Quantities.

- (a) **General.** Buyer is not obligated to purchase any quantity of goods and/or services except for such quantity(ies) as may be specified by Buyer either: (i) on the PO; or (ii) on a separate written release issued by Buyer pursuant to this Order. Supplier shall not make material commitments or production arrangements in excess of Buyer's specified quantities and/or in advance of the time necessary to meet Buyer's delivery schedule. Goods delivered to Buyer in excess of the Buyer's specified quantities and/or in advance of schedule may be returned to Supplier at Supplier's risk, and Supplier shall be responsible for all related costs and expenses incurred by Buyer.
- (b) **Replacement Parts for Goods ("Parts").** Supplier shall continue to supply the Parts, also considered "goods", for a period of twenty (20) years after production of the goods ceases or upon Buyer's consent to an alternative replacement part that provides the same form, fit and function as the Part, unless specified otherwise by Buyer in writing. The prices for any Parts purchased in the first two (2) years of the twenty-year period shall not exceed those prices in effect at the time production of the goods ceases, and no set up charges shall be paid by Buyer. Thereafter, the prices for Parts shall be negotiated based on Supplier's actual cost of production of such Parts plus any special packaging costs. After the end of the twenty (20) year period, Supplier shall continue to maintain in good working condition all Supplier owned tooling required to produce the Parts and shall not dispose of such tooling without offering Buyer the right of first refusal to purchase the tooling.
- (c) **Obsolescence.** If Supplier plans to cease production of any goods Buyer purchases under this Order, Supplier shall provide Buyer with one calendar year notice of such event so that Buyer may request a "last-time" buy from Supplier. Notwithstanding and without prejudice to the provisions of Section 2.3(a), Supplier agrees that in the event it is no longer able to supply Parts or an alternate replacement part to Buyer, then the parties shall use good faith efforts to negotiate and enter into an agreement providing Buyer or its customers with access to the necessary drawings, Buyer's IP Rights (as defined in Section 5.1) and any other information reasonably necessary to enable Buyer and/or its customers to produce the relevant Part or alternate itself.

2.4 **Technical Specification.** Buyer may disclose to Supplier certain requirements that may be amended from time to time, and which may include information relating to materials, drawings, tooling, performance, weight, size, output, durability, ergonomics, and/or other requirements relating to this Order ("**Buyer's Specifications**"). Unless agreed to otherwise in writing between the parties, Supplier shall meet all requirements set forth in Buyer's Specifications. Supplier shall be liable for all costs and expenses resulting from the failure of Supplier to comply with any such Buyer specification. The goods covered by this Order are intended for the manufacture and sale of Buyer's established technologies in which Buyer has built a substantial and valuable reputation and any non-conformances in the goods hereunder may occasion special damages to Buyer. All rights and remedies of Buyer hereunder shall be in addition to any other remedies provided by law.

## 3. DELIVERY, FORCE MAJEURE, AND TITLE PASSAGE.

3.1 **Delivery.** The time of delivery is of the essence in this Order. Supplier is responsible for managing its supply chain including managing any and all of its sub-suppliers, regardless of whether the sub-supplier has been previously qualified by Buyer or if Buyer has requested Supplier source a material or part from a specific sub-supplier. Supplier shall deliver the goods and/or services on or before the date or dates provided on the PO. If Supplier for any reason anticipates difficulty in complying with any requirements of this Order, Supplier shall promptly notify Buyer in writing. Without limiting any other rights herein, if Buyer agrees to accept deliveries after the delivery date has passed, Buyer may require delivery by the fastest method and the total cost of such shipment and handling shall be borne by Supplier. All delivery designations are Incoterms® 2020. Buyer may specify contract of carriage in all cases. Unless otherwise set forth on the PO, all goods provided under this Order shall be delivered FCA Supplier's facility. In the event of a delay in the delivery of the goods and/or services, the Supplier shall be responsible for any and all incurred costs by the Buyer due to such delay. If the delay results in an impact to Buyer's facility or its' customer's project site, then Supplier shall compensate Buyer as follows up to the total PO price:

- (a) **Impact to Buyer's Facility:** If the delay causes a need for Buyer to stop the line at its facility, then Supplier shall compensate Buyer at a rate of \$17,800 USD/hour for the duration of the line being shut down.
- (b) **Impact to a Project Site:** If the delay results in a suspension to turbine installation or operation, then Supplier shall compensate Buyer at a rate of \$30,000 USD/hour for the duration of such impact.

The parties agree that the rates provided in (a) and (b) are a reasonable estimate of such damages Buyer shall suffer as a result of the delay based on circumstances existing at the time this Order was issued.

3.2 **Force Majeure.** Neither party shall be in default, or otherwise liable, for any delay lasting no greater than 60 days, in delivery or performance under this Order to the extent such delay is directly caused by a Force Majeure Event occurring after the issuance of this Order, as defined herein, which are unavoidable, outside of its control after the exercise of due diligence and prudence and without its fault or negligence. Such Force Majeure Event shall include, without limitation acts of God, acts (or failures to act) of governmental authorities, fires, lightning, severe weather conditions, earthquakes, strikes or other labor disturbances (except for strikes or labor disturbances isolated to the party claiming the Force Majeure Event), floods, war (declared or undeclared), epidemics, civil unrest, riots, public protests or other large public gatherings, delays in transportation or loss or damage to any goods during transportation, or carriage shortages or lack of available law enforcement escorts or other similar cause that are, in each case, beyond the control of either party and are without the fault or negligence of either party. For the avoidance of doubt, the following shall not be deemed Force Majeure Events: (i) market conditions and/or fluctuations, (ii) financial distress, (iii) insufficient money to perform this Order; (iv) shortage or increased cost of labor, parts, materials, equipment, or other resources by Supplier or its suppliers; (v) events involving a previous or existing condition at or before this Order date; and (vi) labor strike or other form of work stoppage by employees of Supplier or any of its suppliers. Subject to the party providing sufficient notice pursuant to Section 3.2(a), the delivery or performance date shall be extended solely to the extent caused by the Force Majeure Event and so long as the Force Majeure Event continues. Supplier at all times has the duty to mitigate such impacts. Buyer may terminate this Order pursuant to Section 11.2 if the Force Majeure Event lasts longer than sixty (60) days. In no event shall Supplier be entitled to any price adjustment, compensation or other financial relief under this Order as a result of any Force Majeure Event.

(a) **Force Majeure Notice.** The party claiming Force Majeure shall promptly (and no later than five (5) days) notify the other party of the Force Majeure circumstances, giving sufficient details of the event, and how the event has impacted the Supplier, along with the impacted PO numbers.

3.3 **Title.** Unless otherwise stated on the PO or in this Order:

- (a) title to goods shipped from the U.S. for delivery to all locations shall pass at: (i) Supplier's dock for goods shipped directly to a non-Buyer's facility; (ii) port of import for goods shipped to Buyer's non-U.S. facility; and (iii) Buyer's dock for goods shipped to Buyer's U.S. facility;
- (b) title to goods shipped from one country in the European Union ("EU") for delivery to another country within the EU, shall pass: (i) when the goods leave the territorial land, air or sea space of the EU source country for goods shipped directly to a non-Buyer's EU facility; and (ii) at Buyer's dock for goods shipped to Buyer's EU facility;

(c) title to goods shipped from the source country for delivery within the source country (excluding shipments within the U.S., which are governed by subsection (a) above) shall pass at: (i) Supplier's dock for goods shipped directly to a non-Buyer's facility; and (ii) Buyer's dock for goods shipped to Buyer's facility;

(d) title to goods shipped from outside the U.S. for delivery to a different country outside the U.S. (excluding shipments within the EU, which are governed by subsection (b) above) shall pass at: (i) the port of export after customs clearance for goods shipped directly to a non-Buyer's facility; and (ii) port of import if shipped to Buyer's facility; and

(e) title to goods shipped from outside the U.S. for delivery within the U.S. shall pass at: (i) the port of export after customs clearance for goods shipped directly to a non-Buyer's facility; and (ii) Buyer's dock if shipped to Buyer's facility. For this purpose, Buyer and Supplier acknowledge that the territorial seas of the U.S. extend to twelve (12) nautical miles from the baseline of the country determined in accordance with the 1982 United Nations Convention of the Law of the Sea. Risk of loss shall pass in accordance with the applicable Incoterm as set forth in Section 3.1.

#### **4. BUYER'S PROPERTY.**

All tangible and intangible property, including without limitation, information or data of any description, tools, materials, drawings, computer software, know how, documents, trademarks, copyrights, equipment or material: (a) furnished to Supplier by Buyer; (b) specifically paid for by Buyer; or (c) created with Buyer's IP Rights (defined in Section 5 below) shall be and remain Buyer's personal property (collectively, "**Buyer's Property**"). Such Buyer's Property furnished by Buyer to Supplier shall be accepted by Supplier "AS IS" with all faults and without any warranty whatsoever, express or implied, shall be used by Supplier at its own risk, and shall be subject to removal at Buyer's written request. Risk of loss with respect to all Buyer's Property shall be with Supplier until Buyer retains possession. Buyer's Property shall be returned to Buyer in the same condition as originally received, reasonable wear and tear excepted. In addition, Supplier shall: (i) keep Buyer's Property free of encumbrances and insured at its expense at an amount equal to the replacement cost thereof with loss payable to Buyer; (ii) plainly mark or otherwise adequately identify it is owned by Buyer; (iii) unless otherwise agreed to by Buyer in writing, store it separate and apart from Supplier's and third party owned property under Supplier's control; (iv) maintain it properly, and in compliance with any handling and storage requirements provided by Buyer, or that accompanied it when delivered to Supplier; (v) supervise its use; and (vi) use it only to meet Buyer's Orders without disclosing or otherwise reproducing it for any other purpose.

#### **5. INTELLECTUAL PROPERTY.**

5.1 *General.* The parties agree that each party exclusively owns all intellectual property it had prior to the commencement of this Order (collectively "**Background IP Rights**"). Buyer shall own exclusively all rights in ideas, discoveries, inventions, works of authorship, strategies, plans and data created in or resulting from Supplier's performance under this Order, including all patent rights, copyrights, moral rights, rights in proprietary information, database rights, trademark rights and other intellectual property rights (collectively, "**Buyer's IP Rights**"). All such intellectual property that is protectable by copyright shall be considered work(s) made for hire for Buyer (as the phrase "work(s) made for hire" is defined in the U.S. Copyright Act (17 U.S.C. § 101)) or Supplier shall give Buyer "first owner" status related to the work(s) under local copyright law where the work(s) was created. If by operation of Law (defined in Section 15.1) any such intellectual property is not owned in its entirety by Buyer automatically upon creation, then Supplier hereby transfers and assigns to Buyer, the entire right, title and interest throughout the world to such intellectual property. Supplier further agrees to enter into and execute any documents that may be required to transfer or assign ownership in and to any such intellectual property to Buyer. Should Supplier, without Buyer's prior written consent and authorization, design or manufacture for sale to any person or entity other than Buyer any goods substantially similar to, or which reasonably can substitute or repair, a Buyer good, Buyer, in any adjudication or otherwise, may require Supplier to establish by clear and convincing evidence that neither Supplier nor any of Supplier Personnel (defined in Section 12.1) used in whole or in part, directly or indirectly, any of Buyer's Property, as set forth herein, in such design or manufacture of such goods.

5.2 *License.* To the extent any of the work delivered under this Order contains any of Supplier's Background IP, Supplier grants to Buyer, its customers and all other users a non-exclusive worldwide, irrevocable, perpetual, transferable, royalty-free license, to make, use, sell, copy, distribute, prepare derivative works, publicly display or publicly perform load, install, execute, demonstrate, market, test, resell, sublicense and distribute such Supplier's Background IP as an integral part of the work performed under this Order, with the right to sublicense any or all of the foregoing. If such Embedded Software or any part thereof is owned by a third party, prior to delivery, Supplier shall obtain the Buyer-Required License from such third-party owner. "**Embedded Software**" means software necessary for operation of goods and embedded in and delivered as an integral part of goods.

5.3 Supplier also agrees to identify and inform Buyer of any third-party intellectual property that is embedded in the work performed under this Order and shall secure the necessary license to allow the use rights set forth in Section 5.2.

#### **6. CHANGES.**

6.1 *Buyer Changes.* Buyer may at any time make changes within the scope of this Order in any one or more of the following: (a) drawings, designs or specifications; (b) method of shipment or packing; (c) place and time of delivery; (d) amount of Buyer's Property; (e) quality; (f) quantity; or (g) scope or schedule of goods and/or services. Supplier shall not proceed to implement any change until such change is provided in writing by Buyer. If any changes cause a material increase or decrease in the cost or schedule of any work under this Order, an equitable adjustment shall be agreed to in writing to the Order price and/or delivery schedule as applicable. Supplier shall substantiate any price increases as a result of such Buyer change. Any Supplier claim for such adjustment shall be deemed waived unless asserted within thirty (30) days from Supplier's receipt of the change or suspension notification and may only include reasonable, direct costs that shall necessarily be incurred as a direct result of the change.

6.2 *Supplier Changes.* Supplier shall notify Buyer in writing in advance of any and all: (a) changes to the goods and/or services, their specifications and/or composition; (b) process changes; (c) plant and/or equipment/tooling changes or moves; (d) transfer of any work hereunder to another site; and/or (e) sub-supplier changes, and no such change shall occur unless Supplier has followed the appropriate process in submitting such change for review and Buyer has approved such change in writing. Supplier shall be responsible for obtaining, completing and submitting proper documentation regarding any and all changes, including complying with any written change procedures issued by Buyer.

#### **7. INSPECTION/TESTING AND QUALITY.**

7.1 *Inspection/Testing.* In order to assess Supplier's work quality and/or compliance with this Order, upon reasonable notice by Buyer all: (a) goods, materials and services related to the items purchased hereunder, including, raw materials, components, assemblies, work in process, tools and end products regardless if manufactured by Supplier or a sub-supplier, shall be subject to inspection and test by Buyer, its customer, representative or regulatory authorities at any time and at all places, including sites where the goods are made or located or the services are performed, whether at Supplier's premises or elsewhere; and (b) of Supplier's facilities, books and records relating to this Order shall be subject to inspection by Buyer or its designee. If specific Buyer and/or Buyer's customer tests, inspection and/or witness points are included in this Order, the goods shall not be shipped without an inspector's release or a written waiver of test/inspection/witness with respect to each such point; however, Buyer shall not be permitted to unreasonably delay shipment; and Supplier shall notify Buyer in writing at least twenty (20) days prior to each of Supplier's scheduled final and, if applicable, intermediate test/inspection/witness points. Supplier agrees to cooperate with such/audit inspection including, completing and returning questionnaires and making available its knowledgeable representatives. Buyer's failure

to inspect or reject or detect defects of any kind by inspection shall not relieve Supplier from its responsibilities and obligations under this Order. Supplier agrees to provide Buyer small business as well as minority and/or women owned business utilization and demographic data upon request.

7.2 **Quality.** Supplier shall comply with all requirements set forth in the Supplier Quality Requirements, P28A-WE-0004, as amended or supplemented, as well as the Advanced Product Quality Planning (“**APQP**”) that are defined in the Supplier Quality Requirements, P28A-WE-0004. Supplier shall complete training by an authorized APQP4Wind trainer within one calendar year from Buyer’s first issued Order. Supplier shall be responsible for the quality of all parts/materials provided by a sub-supplier, regardless of whether the sub-supplier has been previously qualified by Buyer or if Buyer has requested Supplier source a material or part from a specific sub-supplier. When requested by Buyer, Supplier shall promptly submit real-time production and process data (“**Quality Data**”) in the form and manner requested by Buyer. Supplier shall provide and maintain an inspection, testing and process control system (“**Supplier’s Quality System**”) covering the goods and services provided hereunder that is acceptable to Buyer and its customer, quality requirements in this Order and/or other quality requirements that are otherwise agreed to in writing by the parties (“**Quality Requirements**”). Acceptance of Supplier’s Quality System by Buyer does not alter Supplier’s obligations and/or liability under this Order, including, Supplier’s obligations regarding its sub-suppliers and subcontractors. If Supplier’s Quality System fails to comply with the terms of this Order, Buyer may require additional quality assurance measures at Supplier’s expense necessary to meet Buyer’s Quality Requirements and shall have the right to terminate this Order and all pending Orders pursuant to Section 11.2. Supplier shall keep complete records relating to Supplier’s Quality System, including all testing and inspection data and shall make such records available to Buyer and its customer for the longer of: (a) three (3) years after completion of this Order; (b) such period as set forth in the specifications applicable to this Order; and (c) such period as required by applicable Law. If Supplier is not the manufacturer of the goods, Supplier shall certify the traceability of the goods to the original equipment manufacturer on the certificate of conformance. If Supplier cannot certify traceability of the goods, Supplier shall not ship such goods to Buyer without obtaining Buyer’s written consent. Any review or approval of drawings by Buyer shall be for Supplier’s convenience and shall not relieve Supplier of its responsibility to meet all requirements of this Order.

7.3 **Product Recall.**

(a) If a retrofit or replacement is required by applicable Law, or Buyer or Supplier reasonably determines that a retrofit or replacement is advisable based on the fact that the goods create a potential safety hazard (a “**Recall**”), the parties shall promptly communicate such facts to each other. Supplier shall promptly develop a corrective action plan that complies with the requirements of the Supplier Quality Requirements, P28A-WE-0004, as amended or supplemented, and which shall include (i) confirmation of all Orders impacted by the Recall, (ii) all actions required to repair or replace the goods and any actions required by applicable Law, and (iii) a proposed schedule for such corrective actions (“**Corrective Action Plan**”) for Buyer’s review and approval. At Buyer’s election, Buyer may develop the Corrective Action Plan. Supplier and Buyer agree to cooperate and work together to ensure that the Corrective Action Plan is acceptable to both parties. In no event shall Buyer and Supplier’s failure to agree on the Corrective Action Plan delay the timely notification of a potential safety hazard to users of the goods or cause either party to be non-compliant with applicable Law.

(b) To the extent a Recall is determined to have been caused by a defect, non-conformance or non-compliance, which is the responsibility of Supplier, Supplier shall indemnify and hold harmless Buyer from all reasonable costs and expenses incurred in connection with any Recall or refund program, including all costs related to: (i) performing a root cause investigation; (ii) performing an inspection campaign; (iii) notifying Buyer’s customers; (iv) repairing, or where repair of the goods is impracticable or impossible, repurchasing or replacing the recalled goods; (v) packing and shipping the Recalled goods; and (vi) media notification. Buyer shall have the right to recover any and all customer penalties or liquidated damages incurred as a result of such Recall. Each party shall consult the other before making any statements to the public or a governmental agency relating to such Recall or potential safety hazards, except where such consultation would prevent timely notification required by Law.

7.4 **Serial Defect.** If during the warranties contained in Section 9, the same defect or non-conformity resulting from design, manufacturing or supply chain issues in substantially the same manner or affecting in substantially the same manner a part or component from the same manufacturer in ten percent (10%) or more of Supplier’s goods across all Orders, Buyer may investigate, engage a third party to investigate, or request Supplier to investigate the root cause of such defect or non-conformity, at Supplier’s cost and expense, to determine whether such defect or non-conformity is due to the same failure mode or cause (“**Serial Defect**”). In the instance Buyer performs the RCA (as defined in Section 9.3), it will provide a report with the results of such root cause investigation to Supplier. In the instance Supplier performs the RCA, it shall do so in accordance with Section 9.3 and keep Buyer reasonably informed as to the progress of such analysis and shall promptly provide (i) the full report along with its results and (ii) the Corrective Action Plan to Buyer for its review and approval. If a Serial Defect is determined to exist, Supplier shall repair or replace the defective or non-conforming part or component in accordance with the warranty provisions contained in Section 9. With respect to any additional parts or components that have not yet failed, Buyer may request Supplier replace such parts or components preventively. If such replacement is not possible or practical, then Supplier shall extend the Warranty Period for the part or component identified as having a Serial Defect for an additional thirty-six (36) months, unless a longer period is provided for in the PO, after expiration of the original Warranty Period (as defined in Section 9.2).

7.5 **Non-Conformances.** In the event Supplier provides goods and/or services that do not conform to Buyer’s requirements, specifications or other contractual requirements contained within this Order, then the Buyer shall be entitled to apply an administrative fee. The Supplier agrees to pay the following administrative fees for such non-conforming goods and/or services: (i) if the non-conformance is detected at a customer site or project site, the applicable administrative fee shall be between \$600-1200 USD; (ii) if the non-conformance is detected at Buyer’s manufacturing facility the applicable administrative fee shall be between \$400-900 USD, and (iii) if the non-conformance is detected by Buyer’s inspection at Supplier’s facility then the applicable administrative fee shall be up to \$600 USD. The fees shall be paid in US Dollars, excluding VAT. In Buyer’s sole discretion, Buyer may setoff, deduct or invoice Supplier for such administrative fee. The parties agree that the administrative fees set forth herein are assessed to capture the reasonable administrative costs incurred as a result of a non-conformance. The parties further agree that such administrative fees shall in no way limit any other right which Buyer may have under this Order or a PO.

7.6 **Cooperation.** If applicable, Supplier agrees to provide reasonable cooperation and assistance in connection with an audit or examination undertaken by the Internal Revenue Service or Buyer in connection with Buyer’s customer’s qualification of a domestic content bonus credit under Section 45(b)(9) or 48(a)(12) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986, as amended. Supplier agrees to retain all books and records relating to this Order as required by applicable law and for a period of six years following the PO issuance date.

8. **REJECTION.** If any of the goods and/or services furnished pursuant to this Order are found prior to the commencement of the Warranty Period to be defective or otherwise not in conformity with the requirements of this Order, then Buyer, at its option may reject and/or return at Supplier’s risk and expense all or any portion of such goods and/or services and/or rescind this Order without liability.

9. **WARRANTIES.**

9.1 Supplier warrants that all goods provided pursuant to this Order shall be: (a) free of all claims, liens, or encumbrances (other than liens arising through Buyer); (b) new and of merchantable quality, not used, rebuilt or made of refurbished material unless approved in writing by Buyer; (c) free from all defects in design, workmanship and material; (d) fit for the particular purpose for which they are intended; and (e) provided in strict accordance with all specifications, samples, drawings, designs, descriptions or other requirements approved or adopted by Buyer. Supplier further warrants that it shall perform the services and

work hereunder in a competent, safe, and professional manner in accordance with the highest standards and best practices of Supplier's industry, free from defects in design, material and workmanship and will be performed in accordance with the specifications, criteria, and instructions of Buyer.

9.2 The warranties set forth in Section 9.1 above, shall extend to the future performance of the goods and services and apply for a period of: (i) twenty-eight (28) months from the Date of Commercial Operation (defined below) or (ii) or forty-eight (48) months, plus delays such as those due to non-conforming goods and services, from the date of delivery of the goods or performance of the services, whichever period expires first (the "**Warranty Period**"). "**Date of Commercial Operation**" means the date on which the Turbine has successfully passed all performance and operational tests required by the end customer for commercial operation. The warranties shall apply to Buyer, its successors, assigns and the users of goods and services covered by this Order.

9.3 In the instance Supplier performs the root cause analysis ("**RCA**"), at Supplier's cost and expense, in compliance with the requirements of the Supplier Quality Requirements, P28A-WE-0004, as amended or supplemented, Supplier shall do so promptly after receipt of communication from Buyer of a potential warranty non-conformance during the Warranty Period. If Buyer disagrees with Supplier's RCA conclusion, then the parties may hire a neutral third-party expert to review to perform factual findings and draw its own conclusion based on such findings. The expert's written decision shall be binding upon both parties. If any of the goods and/or services are found to be defective or otherwise not in conformity with the warranties during the Warranty Period, Buyer, *at its option may*: (a) require that Supplier, at its expense, inspect, remove, reinstall, ship and repair or replace/re-perform nonconforming goods and/or services with goods and/or services that conform to this Order; (b) take such reasonable actions to cure all defects and/or bring the goods and/or services into conformity with this Order, in which event all related costs and expenses shall be for Supplier's account; and/or (c) reject and/or return at Supplier's risk and expense all or any portion of such goods and/or services. Supplier shall be responsible for all damages, cost and expenses emanating from the defective/nonconforming goods including without limitation, all installation, removal costs, collateral damage, and customer liquidated damages. Any repaired or replaced good, or part thereof, or re-performed services shall carry warranties on the same terms as set forth above, with the Warranty Period being the greater of the original unexpired warranty or twenty-four (24) months after repair or replacement. For any repairs or replacements, Supplier, at its cost and expense, shall perform any tests requested by Buyer to verify conformance to this Order.

9.4 (a) Cost Split During RCA Investigation. Buyer has the right to invoice Supplier for 50% of the related costs of actual failures incurred during the RCA process (the "**Interim Payment**"). The Interim Payment may include the cost to replace parts and materials, labor, and 3rd party services, as well as, stand-by or delay charges associated with bringing the goods and/or services in conformity with this Order. In the event the RCA concludes that the failure is caused by a warranty non-conformance, then Buyer shall retain the Interim Payment and Supplier shall owe Buyer the difference between the Interim Payment and the total related cost and expense incurred as a result of the non-conformance. In the event the RCA concludes that Supplier's goods and/or services conformed to the warranties, then Buyer shall reimburse Supplier the Interim Payment within 45 days from the conclusion of the RCA.

(b)Cost Sharing. In the event the RCA is inconclusive or indicates that the non-conforming goods or services are a result of both Buyer and Supplier actions or inactions, Supplier agrees to be liable and reimburse Buyer for up to 50% of all of Buyer's related cost and expense associated with bringing the goods and/or services in conformity with this Order.

**10. SUSPENSION.** Buyer may at any time and for any reason, by notice to Supplier, suspend performance of this Order, in whole or in part, for such time as it deems appropriate. Upon receiving notice of suspension, Supplier shall promptly suspend work to the extent specified, properly caring for and protecting all work in progress and materials, supplies and equipment Supplier has on hand for performance. Upon Buyer's request, Supplier shall promptly deliver to Buyer copies of any outstanding POs and subcontracts with any sub-suppliers for materials, equipment and/or services for the work and take such action relative to such POs and subcontracts to mitigate any impacts from the suspension or as Buyer may direct. Buyer may at any time withdraw the suspension as to all or part of the suspended work by written notice specifying the effective date and scope of withdrawal. Supplier shall resume diligent performance on the specified effective date of withdrawal. All claims for increase or decrease in the cost of or the time required for the performance of any work caused by suspension shall be pursued pursuant to, and consistent with, Section 6.1.

## **11. TERMINATION.**

11.1 *Termination for Convenience.* Buyer may terminate all or part of this Order for convenience at any time by written notice to Supplier. Upon such termination, Buyer and Supplier shall negotiate reasonable termination costs, which shall only include Supplier's reasonable, direct costs that have or shall necessarily be incurred as a direct result of such termination. Any Supplier claim for such costs shall include reasonable documentation supporting such claim and shall be deemed waived unless asserted within thirty (30) days from Supplier's receipt of Buyer's termination notice. The parties agree that if Buyer receives a third-party competitive offer that is more favorable to Buyer than the terms stated in this Order, then Supplier shall have fourteen (14) days to offer a competitive offer following receipt of Buyer's written notice. If Supplier does not provide a competitive offer within the required timeframe, then Buyer may terminate this Order without liability pursuant to this Section 11.1.

11.2 *Termination for Default.* Subject to Section 3.2, Buyer, without liability, may by written notice of default, terminate all or part of this Order if Supplier fails to comply with any term of this Order or fails to make progress which, in Buyer's reasonable judgment, endangers performance of this Order. Such termination shall become effective if Supplier does not cure such failure within ten (10) days of receiving Buyer's written notice of default; except that Buyer's termination for Supplier's breach of Sections 14, 15 or 16 shall become effective immediately upon Supplier's receipt of Buyer's written notice of default. Upon termination, Buyer may procure goods and/or services similar to those so terminated, and Supplier shall be liable to Buyer for any excess costs for such goods and/or services and other related costs. Supplier shall continue performance of this Order to the extent not terminated by Buyer.

11.3 *Termination for Insolvency.* If (a) Supplier dissolves or ceases to do business; (b) Supplier fails to pay its debts as they come due; or (c) Supplier or any other entity institutes insolvency, receivership, bankruptcy or any other proceeding for settlement of Supplier's debts, Buyer may immediately terminate this Order without liability, except for goods or services completed, delivered and accepted within a reasonable period after termination (which shall be paid for at the Order price).

11.4 *Supplier's Obligations on Termination.* Unless otherwise specified by Buyer, upon Supplier's receipt of a notice of termination of this Order, Supplier shall promptly: (a) stop work as directed in the notice; (b) place no further subcontracts/orders related to the terminated portion of this Order; (c) terminate, or if requested by Buyer assign, all subcontracts/orders to the extent they relate to work terminated; (d) make all commercially reasonable efforts to mitigate any expenses or cost incurred by Supplier including during any termination process; and (e) deliver all completed work, work in process, designs, drawings, specifications, documentation and material required and/or produced in connection with such work.

11.5 Termination or expiration of this Order for any reason whatsoever shall have no effect on the rights and licenses granted by Supplier to Buyer pursuant to Section 5.

## **12. INDEMNITY AND INSURANCE.**

12.1 *Indemnity.* Supplier shall defend, indemnify, release and hold Buyer and its Affiliates, and each of its and their directors, officers, managers, employees, agents, representatives, successors and assigns (collectively, the "**Indemnitees**") harmless from and against any and all claims, legal actions, demands,

settlements, losses, judgments, fines, penalties, damages, liabilities, costs and expenses of any nature whatsoever, including, all attorneys' fees (collectively, "Claims") arising from any act or omission of Supplier, its agents, employees or subcontractors (collectively, "Supplier Personnel"), except to the extent attributable to the sole and direct gross negligence of Buyer. In addition, Supplier shall indemnify, defend, release and hold the Indemnitees harmless from and against any Claims arising out of employment or labor claims or proceedings initiated by Supplier Personnel against or involving Buyer. Supplier further agrees to indemnify Buyer for any attorneys' fees or other cost Buyer incurs to enforce its rights hereunder.

**12.2 Insurance.** For the duration of this Order and for a period of six (6) years from the date of delivery of the goods or performance of the services, Supplier shall procure and maintain, through insurers with a minimum A.M. Best rating of A- VII or S&P A or the equivalent in those jurisdictions that do not recognize such rating classification and licensed in the jurisdiction where goods are sold and/or where services are performed, the following insurance: (a) Commercial General/Public Liability, on an occurrence form, in the minimum amount of USD \$5,000,000.00 per occurrence with coverage for: (i) bodily injury/property damage; (ii) personal/advertising injury; and (iii) products/completed operations liability, including coverage for contractual liability insuring the liabilities assumed in this Order, with all such coverages in this Section 12.2(a) applying on a primary basis, providing for cross liability, not being subject to any self-insured retention and being endorsed to name GE Vernova, LLC, its Affiliates (defined in Section 2.2(d)), directors, officers, agents and employees as additional insureds; (b) Business Automobile Liability Insurance covering all owned, hired and non-owned vehicles used in the performance of this Order in the amount of USD \$2,000,000.00 combined single limit each occurrence; (c) Employers' Liability in the amount of USD \$2,000,000.00 each accident, injury or disease; (d) Property Insurance on an "All-risk" basis covering the full replacement cost value of all of Buyer's Property in Supplier's care, custody or control, with such policy being endorsed to name Buyer as "Loss Payee" as its interests may appear; and (e) appropriate Workers' Compensation Insurance protecting Supplier from all claims under any applicable Workers' Compensation or Occupational Disease Act. Supplier shall obtain coverage similar to Workers' Compensation and Employers' Liability for each Supplier employee performing work under this Order outside of the U.S. To the extent that this Order is for professional services, Supplier shall maintain Professional/Errors and Omission Liability insurance in the minimum amount of \$5,000,000.00 per claim. If any insurance is on a claims-made basis, the retro date must precede the date of issuance of this Order. Insurance specified in sub-sections 12.2(c), (d) and (e) shall be endorsed to provide a waiver of subrogation in favor of Buyer, its Affiliates (defined in section 2.2(e)) and its and their respective employees for all losses and damages covered by the insurances required in such subsections. The application and payment of any self-insured retention or deductible on any policy carried by Supplier shall be the sole responsibility of Supplier. Should Buyer be called upon to satisfy any self-insured retention or deductible under Supplier's policies, Buyer may seek indemnification or reimbursement from Supplier where allowed by Law. If not previously provided in the existing calendar year, Supplier shall within twenty (20) days of acceptance of this Order provide Buyer with a certificate(s) of insurance evidencing that the required minimum insurance is in effect. The certificate(s) of insurance shall reference that the required coverage extensions are included on the required policies. Copies of endorsements evidencing the required additional insured status, waiver of subrogation provision and/or loss payee status shall be attached to the certificate(s) of insurance. Acceptance of such certificate(s), which are not compliant with the stipulated coverages, shall in no way whatsoever imply that Buyer has waived its insurance requirements, or any other obligations set forth herein. The above-referenced insurance limits in subsections (a), (b) and (c) can be met either via each policy or via a combination of these policies and an excess/umbrella liability insurance policy. Supplier shall promptly provide a letter of credit sufficient to Buyer if Supplier is unable to comply with the insurance requirements set forth herein. Supplier not adhering to these requirements shall be considered a material breach of this Order.

**13. ASSIGNMENT, SUBCONTRACTING AND CHANGE OF CONTROL.** Supplier may not assign, delegate, subcontract, or transfer (including by change of ownership or control, by operation of law or otherwise) this Order or any of its rights or obligations hereunder, including payment or the sale of assets required to support Supplier's obligations under this Order, without Buyer's prior written consent, such consent being contingent upon Buyer's qualifications review process. Should Buyer grant consent to Supplier's assignment, Supplier shall provide prompt written notice to Buyer of such assignment and ensure that such assignee shall be bound by the terms and conditions of this Order. Further, Supplier shall advise Buyer of any subcontractor or sub-supplier: (a) that have at its facility any parts, components, or goods with Buyer's or any of its Affiliates' name, logo or trademark (or that shall be responsible to affix the same); and/or (b) fifty percent (50%) or more of whose output from a specific location is purchased directly or indirectly by Buyer. Subject to the foregoing, this Order shall be binding upon and inure to the benefit of the parties, their respective successors and assigns.

**14. COMPLIANCE WITH GE VERNOVA POLICIES.** Supplier acknowledges that it has read and understands the *GE Vernova's Integrity Guide for Suppliers, Contractors and Consultants*, which may be updated or modified by Buyer from time to time (the "Guide"), and which is available to Supplier on the Supplier Portal. Supplier agrees to fully comply with the Guide with regard to provision of the goods and/or services. Supplier agrees not to pay, promise to pay, give or authorize the payment of any money or anything of value, directly or indirectly, to any person for the purpose of illegally or improperly inducing a decision or obtaining or retaining business in connection with this Order.

**14.1 Sustainability Requirements.** Supplier represents and warrants that it will conduct its business in accordance with the principles of sustainable development and agrees to participate and satisfy the requirements set forth in Buyer's Supply Chain Sustainability Program. Supplier shall undertake all reasonable measures to minimize its impact to the environment which shall include, but not be limited to, reduce waste, conserve resources, reduce carbon footprint and promote sustainable practices within its operations and organization. Supplier shall include language in its subcontracts relevant to this Order that impose obligations substantially similar to those set forth in this Section 14.1. Supplier further agrees to register within 10 days of acceptance of this Order, if currently not enrolled, with a Buyer approved provider of business sustainability ratings and shall provide Buyer its annual sustainability report generated from such provider within 100 days of acceptance of this Order. Buyer shall have the right to audit Supplier's adherence to the requirements of Section 14 and may terminate this Order in whole or in part pursuant to Section 11.2, if Supplier does not comply with the requirements as set forth herein.

**15. COMPLIANCE WITH LAWS.**

**15.1 General.** Supplier represents, warrants, certifies and covenants ("Covenants") that it shall comply with all laws, including applicable environmental laws, treaties, conventions, protocols, regulations, ordinances, codes, standards, directives, orders and rules issued by governmental agencies or authorities which are applicable to the activities relating to this Order (collectively, "Laws") and the Guide.

**15.2 Environment, Health and Safety.**

(a) **General.** Supplier Covenants that it shall take appropriate actions necessary to protect health, safety and the environment and has established effective requirements to ensure any suppliers it uses to perform the work called for under this Order shall be in compliance with Section 15 of this Order.

(b) **Material Content and Labeling.** Supplier Covenants that each chemical substance or hazardous material constituting or contained in the goods is suitable for use and transport and is properly packaged, marked, labeled, documented shipped and/or registered under applicable Law. Notwithstanding the foregoing, Supplier Covenants that none of the goods contains any of the following: (i) arsenic, asbestos, benzene, beryllium, carbon tetrachloride, cyanide, lead or lead compounds, cadmium or cadmium compounds, hexavalent chromium, mercury or mercury compounds, trichloroethylene, tetrachloroethylene, methyl chloroform, polychlorinated biphenyls ("PCBs"), polybrominated biphenyls ("PBBs"), polybrominated diphenyl ethers ("PBDEs"), per- and polyfluoroalkyl substances ("PFAS"), nanoscale materials; or (ii) any chemicals that are restricted or otherwise banned under the Montreal Protocol, the Stockholm Convention on Persistent Organic Pollutants, the US Toxic Substances Control Act, the European Union's Restrictions on Hazardous Substances and REACH legislation, and

other comparable chemical regulations unless Buyer expressly agrees in writing or required by Buyer's engineering drawings or written specifications. Upon request from Buyer, Supplier shall provide Buyer with safety data sheets, the chemical composition, including proportions, of any substance, preparation, mixture, alloy, article, or goods supplied under this Order and any other relevant information or data. Hazardous materials as used in this Order means any substance or material regulated on the basis of potential impact to safety, health or the environment pursuant to applicable Law.

15.3 **Subcontractor Flow-downs for U.S. Government Contracts.** Where the goods and/or services being procured by Buyer from Supplier are in support of a U.S. Government end customer or an end customer funded in whole or part by the U.S. Government, the following additional terms in the "GE Vernova Government Acquisition Appendix" which are available to Supplier on the Supplier Portal shall apply to this Order. Supplier acknowledges it has reviewed such appendix and agrees to comply with such terms if applicable and Covenants that it has not been declared ineligible to contract with the U.S. Government or an end customer funded in whole or part by the U.S. Government.

15.4 **Import & Export Compliance.**

(a) **General.** Supplier Covenants that it is knowledgeable regarding US, EU, UK and all other applicable export, export control, customs and import laws and shall comply with such laws and any instructions and/or policies provided by Buyer. This shall include securing all necessary clearance requirements, export and import licenses and exemptions from such licenses, and making all proper customs declarations and filings with and notifications to appropriate governmental bodies, including disclosures relating to the provision of services and the release or transfer of goods, hardware, software and technology to foreign destinations or nationals. Supplier Covenants that it shall not cause or permit any goods, technical data, software or the direct product thereof furnished by Buyer in connection with this Order to be exported, transshipped, re-exported or otherwise transferred except where expressly permitted by Law. Supplier Covenants that it is not suspended, debarred or declared ineligible to export by any government entity. In the event that Supplier is suspended, debarred or declared ineligible by any government entity, Buyer may terminate this Order immediately without liability to Buyer.

(b) **Trade Restrictions.**

(i) Supplier Covenants that it shall not sell, distribute, disclose, release, receive or otherwise transfer any item or technical data provided under this Order to or from any person or entity: (1) impacted by any government imposed economic sanction(s); or (2) identified in the U.S. Department of Treasury's SDN List, or the U.S. Department of Commerce's Entity List in Supplement No.4 to Part 774 of the Export Administration Regulations, as supplemented and amended, or any equivalent list maintained by the EU or a member state of the E. U., UK or any other relevant national government; or (iii) based in, or legal resident of, any country or region subject to comprehensive sanctions or embargoes by the US, the EU, UK or any other applicable jurisdiction.

(ii) Buyer may, from time to time and for business reasons, withdraw from and/or restrict its business dealings in certain jurisdictions, regions, territories and/or countries. Thus, subject to applicable Law, Supplier hereby agrees not to supply any goods to Buyer under this Order that are sourced directly or indirectly from any such jurisdiction, region, territory and/or country identified to Supplier by Buyer, which currently includes, Cuba, Iran, North Korea, Syria, the disputed region of Crimea, and non-Ukraine government controlled areas of Ukraine.

(c) **Trade Remedy Laws.** Supplier Covenants that no goods sold to Buyer hereunder are subject to antidumping or countervailing duties. Supplier Covenants that all sales made hereunder shall be made in circumstances that shall not give rise to the imposition of new antidumping or countervailing duties or other duties or tariffs including, in connection with a trade dispute or as a remedy in an "escape clause", under the Law of any countries to which the goods may be exported. In the event that any jurisdiction imposes such duties or tariffs on goods subject to this Order, Buyer may terminate this Order immediately upon written notice to Supplier without liability to Buyer.

(d) **Shipping/Documentation Requirements.** With each shipment, Supplier shall provide: (i) a packing list containing all information specified in Section 19 below, (ii) a commercial or pro forma invoice and (iii) all required security-related information needed for the import of the goods. The commercial/pro forma invoice shall include: contact names and telephone numbers of representatives of Buyer and Supplier who have knowledge of the transaction; Buyer's order number; order line item; part number; release number (in the case of a "blanket order"); detailed description of the merchandise; quantity; unit purchase price in the currency of the transaction; Incoterms® 2020 used in the transaction; the named place of delivery; and both (1) "country of origin" of the goods and (2) customs tariff numbers of the country of consignment, as each are determined under customs Law; the applicable national export control numbers; and if the goods are subject to U.S. export regulations, ECCN or ITAR classifications.

(e) **Preferential Trade Agreements/Duty Drawback.** If goods shall be delivered to a destination country having a trade preferential or customs union agreement ("Trade Agreement") with Supplier's country, Supplier shall cooperate with Buyer to review the eligibility of the goods for any special program for Buyer's benefit and provide Buyer with any required documentation, including declarations or certificates of origin to support the applicable special customs program or Trade Agreement to allow duty free or reduced duty for entry of goods into the destination country. If Supplier is the importer of record for any goods purchased hereunder, including any component parts thereof, upon Buyer's request, Supplier shall provide Buyer with all necessary customs documentation to enable Buyer to file for and obtain duty drawback. Supplier shall promptly notify Buyer of any known documentation errors and/or changes to the origin of goods. Supplier shall indemnify Buyer for any costs, fines, penalties or charges arising from Supplier's inaccurate documentation or untimely cooperation.

## 16. CONFIDENTIALITY, DATA PROTECTION AND PUBLICITY.

16.1 **Confidentiality.**

(a) "**Confidential Information**" for purposes of this Order shall mean: (i) the terms of this Order; (ii) all information and material disclosed or provided by Buyer to Supplier, including Buyer's Property; (iii) all information Supplier Personnel derive from Buyer's Property; (iv) any and all communications held between the parties relating to this Order; and (v) all of Buyer's IP Rights (defined in Section 5).

(b) Supplier shall: (i) use the Confidential Information only for the purposes of fulfilling Supplier's obligations under this Order; and (ii) without limiting the requirements under Section 16.2, use the same degree of care with the Confidential Information as with its own confidential information, which shall be at least a reasonable standard of care, to prevent disclosure of the Confidential Information, except to its officers, directors, managers, and employees (collectively, "**Authorized Parties**"), solely to the extent necessary to permit them to assist the Supplier in performing its obligations under this Order. Supplier agrees that prior to disclosing the Confidential Information to any Authorized Party, Supplier shall advise the Authorized Party of the confidential nature of the Confidential Information and ensure that such party has signed a confidentiality agreement no less restrictive than the terms of this Section. Supplier acknowledges the irreparable harm that shall result to Buyer if the Confidential Information is used or disclosed contrary to the provisions of this Section.

(c) The restrictions in this Section 16 regarding the Confidential Information shall be inoperative as to particular portions of the Confidential Information disclosed by Buyer to Supplier if such information: (i) is or becomes generally available to the public other than as a result of disclosure by Supplier; (ii) was available on a non-confidential basis prior to its disclosure to Supplier; (iii) is or becomes available to Supplier on a non-confidential basis from a source other than Buyer when such source is not, to the best of Supplier's knowledge, subject to a confidentiality obligation with Buyer; or (iv) was independently developed by Supplier, without reference to the Confidential Information, and Supplier can verify the development of such information by written documentation.

(d) Within thirty (30) days of completion or termination of this Order, Supplier shall return to Buyer or destroy (with such destruction certified in writing to Buyer) all Confidential Information, including any copies thereof. This Order shall not be considered complete until all obligations, including warranty obligations, have ended. No such return or destruction of the Confidential Information shall affect the confidentiality obligations of Supplier all of which shall continue in effect as provided for in this Order.

(e) Any knowledge or information, which Supplier disclosed or may hereafter disclose to Buyer and which in any way relates to the goods or services purchased under this Order (except to the extent deemed to be Buyer's Property as set forth in Section 4), shall not be deemed to be confidential or proprietary and shall be acquired by Buyer free from any restrictions (other than a claim for infringement) as part of the consideration for this Order, and notwithstanding any copyright or other notice thereon, Buyer shall have the right to use, copy, modify and disclose the same as it sees fit.

(f) Notwithstanding the foregoing, if Supplier is requested or required by interrogatories, subpoena or similar legal process, to disclose any Confidential Information, it agrees to provide Buyer with prompt written notice of each such request/requirement, to the extent practicable, so that Buyer may seek an appropriate protective order, waive compliance by Supplier with the provisions of this Section, or both. If, absent the entry of a protective order or receipt of a waiver, Supplier is, in the opinion of its counsel, legally compelled to disclose such Confidential Information, Supplier may disclose such Confidential Information to the persons and to the extent required without liability under this Order and shall use its best efforts to obtain confidential treatment for any Confidential Information so disclosed.

16.2 **Privacy and Data Protection.** Supplier agrees that GE Vernova Confidential Information shall be subject to the organizational, technical, and physical controls and other safeguards set out in the "*GE Vernova Privacy and Data Protection Appendix*" located on the Supplier Portal. If Supplier has access to GE Restricted Data, Sensitive Personal Information, Controlled Data or a GE Information System as defined in the *GE Vernova Privacy and Data Protection Appendix*, Supplier agrees to apply such additional safeguards and to grant Buyer such additional rights as are set out in the *GE Vernova Privacy and Data Protection Appendix* relating to such data. In addition, Supplier understands and agrees that Buyer may require Supplier to provide certain personal information of Supplier's representatives to facilitate the performance of this Order, and that information shall be processed and maintained by Buyer as set forth in the *GE Vernova Privacy and Data Protection Appendix*.

16.3 **Publicity.** Supplier shall not make any announcement, take or release any photographs (except for its internal operation purposes for the manufacture and assembly of the goods), or release any information concerning this Order or with respect to its business relationship with Buyer, to any third party except as required by applicable Law without Buyer's prior written consent. Supplier agrees that it shall not, without prior written consent of Buyer, (a) use in advertising, publicity or otherwise, the name, trade name, trademark logo or simulation there of Buyer or the name of any officer or employee of Buyer or (b) represent, directly or indirectly, that any product or any service provided by Supplier has been approved or endorsed by Buyer.

17. **INTELLECTUAL PROPERTY INDEMNIFICATION.** Supplier shall at its expense indemnify, defend and hold Buyer and Buyer's customers harmless from any and all claims, whether rightful or otherwise, against Buyer and/or Buyer's customers alleging intellectual property infringement of any patent, copyright, trademark, trade secret or other intellectual property rights of any third party arising out of the use, sale, importation, distribution, reproduction or licensing of any product, service, article or apparatus, or any part thereof constituting goods or services furnished under this Order, as well as any device or process necessarily resulting from the use thereof (the "**Indemnified IP**"), including the use, sale, importation, distribution, reproduction or licensing of such Indemnified IP, in foreseeable combinations with products or services not supplied by Supplier. Buyer shall notify Supplier promptly of any such suit, claim or proceeding and give Supplier authority and information and assistance (at Supplier's expense) for the defense of same, and Supplier shall pay all damages, costs and expenses incurred or awarded therein, including reasonable attorneys' fees. Notwithstanding the foregoing, any settlement of such suit, claim or proceeding shall be subject to Buyer's consent, such consent not to be unreasonably withheld. If use of any Indemnified IP is enjoined, Supplier shall, at Buyer's option and Supplier's expense, either: (a) procure for Buyer the right to continue using such Indemnified IP; (b) replace the same with a non-infringing equivalent; or (c) remove the Indemnified IP and/or halt such use of the Indemnified IP in providing goods and/or services under this Order and refund the purchase price to Buyer, and in all cases, Supplier shall be responsible for all related costs and expenses. Supplier agrees that it shall use commercially reasonable efforts to obtain an intellectual property infringement indemnity from its direct or indirect suppliers providing goods and/or services as part of the deliverables under this Order consistent with the intellectual property infringement indemnity it provides to Buyer in this Order.

18. **BUSINESS CONTINUITY PLANNING AND SUPPLY CHAIN SECURITY.**

18.1 **Business Continuity Planning.** Supplier shall prepare, maintain and upon request of Buyer provide, at no additional cost to Buyer, a Business Continuity Plan ("**BCP**") satisfactory to Buyer and designed to ensure that Supplier can continue to provide the goods and/or services in accordance with this Order in the event of a disaster or other BCP-triggering event (as such events are defined in the applicable BCP).

18.2 **Supply Chain Security.** Supplier shall maintain a written security plan and upon request of Buyer, certify to Buyer in writing at no additional cost to Buyer, consistent with the Customs Trade Partnership Against Terrorism ("**C-TPAT**") program of U.S. Customs and Border Protection, the Authorized Economic Operator for Security program of the European Union ("**EU AEO**") and similar World Customs Organization SAFE Framework of Standards to Secure and Facilitate Global Trade (collectively, "**SAFE Framework Programs**") and implement appropriate procedures pursuant to such plan (the "**Security Plan**") and flow down to its sub tiers as appropriate.

19. **PACKING, PRESERVATION AND MARKING.** Unless the parties have agreed to otherwise in the Agreement, Packing, preservation and marking shall be in accordance with Buyer's current version of General Requirements for Marking, Packaging, Preservation and Shipping P23E-WE-0255, which Supplier acknowledges it has received or has been made available to Supplier on the Supplier Portal and on any specification or drawing or as specified on this Order, or if not specified, the best commercially accepted practice shall be used, which shall be compliant with applicable Law.

20. **GOVERNING LAW AND DISPUTE RESOLUTION.**

20.1 **Governing Law.** This Order shall in all respects be governed by and interpreted in accordance with the substantive law of the State of New York, U.S., excluding its conflicts of law provisions. The parties exclude application of the United Nations Convention on Contracts for the International Sale of Goods.

20.2 **Dispute Resolution.** In the event of any dispute arising out of or in connection with this Order, the parties agree to submit the matter to mediation under the Mediation Rules of the International Chamber of Commerce (the "**ICC Mediation Rules**"), without prejudice to either party's right to seek emergency or interim or conservatory measures of protection at any time. If the dispute has not been settled pursuant to the ICC Mediation Rules within thirty (30) days following the filing of a request for mediation or within such other period as the parties may agree in writing, such dispute shall be finally settled under the Rules of Arbitration and Conciliation of the ICC (the "**ICC Rules**") by one or three arbitrators appointed in accordance with the ICC Rules. In case of three arbitrators, each party shall nominate one arbitrator. The party-nominated arbitrators may communicate with parties or party representatives on an *ex-parte* basis for the purpose of the selection of the president of the arbitral tribunal. The place of arbitration shall be New York, New York, U.S., and proceedings shall be conducted in English. The award shall be final and binding on both Buyer and Supplier, and the parties hereby waive the right of appeal to any court for amendment or modification of the arbitrators' award. The prevailing party shall be awarded attorney fees and costs.



**21. ELECTRONIC COMMERCE.** Supplier agrees to participate in Buyer's current and future electronic commerce applications and initiatives such as Supplier Connect and Supplier Portal. For purposes of this Order, each electronic message sent between the parties shall be deemed: (a) "written" and a "writing"; (b) "signed" ; and (c) an original business record when printed from electronic files or records established and maintained in the normal course of business. The parties expressly waive any right to object to the validity, effectiveness or enforceability of any such electronic message on the ground that a "statute of frauds" or any other Law or rule of evidence requires written, signed agreements.

**22. INDEPENDENT CONTRACTORS/ADDITIONAL SERVICE-RELATED PROVISIONS.**

**22.1 Independent Contractor.** The relationship of Buyer and Supplier is that of independent contractors. Nothing in this Order shall be interpreted or construed as creating or establishing the relationship of employer and employee between Buyer and Supplier or Supplier Personnel. Buyer has no right to control directly or indirectly the terms and conditions of the employment of Supplier Personnel.

**22.2 Background Checks.** To the extent permissible by Law, and after securing appropriate written authorization from Supplier Personnel, Supplier shall, through the utilization of an authorized background checking agency perform background checks as set out in the GE Vernova Background Checking Guidelines, as amended and supplemented, made available to Supplier on the Supplier Portal prior to (a) stationing any Supplier Personnel to perform services at any Buyer location, facility or work site (each a "**Buyer Site**") (for purpose of clarity, "stationing" shall not include periodic attendance or visits to a Buyer Site); (b) granting Supplier Personnel access to Buyer networks; (c) assigning Supplier Personnel to duties that are directly related to the safe operation or security of a Buyer Site, which, if not performed properly, could cause a serious environmental, health or safety hazard; or (d) assigning Supplier Personnel to a Buyer Site that is designated in its entirety as "security sensitive," even though the work responsibilities, if performed in another context, would not be security sensitive.

**23. CYBERSECURITY FOR GOODS WITH EXECUTABLE BINARY CODE.** Supplier agrees that all goods supplied under this Order that include executable binary code shall comply with the *Product Cybersecurity Appendix*, as amended and supplemented, made available to Supplier on the Supplier Portal.

**24. MISCELLANEOUS.** This Order, with documents as are expressly incorporated by reference, is intended as a complete, exclusive and final expression of the parties' agreement with respect to the subject matter herein and supersedes any prior or contemporaneous agreements, whether written or oral, between the parties. No course of prior dealings and no usage of the trade shall be relevant to determine the meaning of this Order even though the accepting or acquiescing party has knowledge of the performance and opportunity for objection. No claim or right arising out of a breach of this Order can be discharged in whole or in part by a waiver or renunciation unless supported by consideration and made in writing signed by the aggrieved party. Either party's failure to enforce any provision hereof shall not be construed to be a waiver of such provision or the right of such party thereafter to enforce each and every such provision. Buyer's rights and remedies in this Order are in addition to any other rights and remedies provided by Law, contract, or equity, and Buyer may exercise all such rights and remedies singularly, alternatively, successively or concurrently. Section headings are for convenience and shall not be given effect in interpretation of this Order. The term "including" shall mean and be construed as "including, but not limited to" or "including, without limitation", unless expressly stated to the contrary. The invalidity, in whole or in part, of any section or paragraph of this Order shall not affect the remainder of such section or paragraph or any other section or paragraph, which shall continue in full force and effect. Further, the parties agree to give any such section or paragraph deemed invalid, in whole or in part, a lawful interpretation that most closely reflects the original intention of Buyer and Supplier. All provisions or obligations contained in this Order, which by their nature or effect are required or intended to be observed, kept or performed after termination or expiration of this Order shall survive and remain binding upon and for the benefit of the parties, their successors (including successors by merger) and permitted assigns including, Sections 2.3, 4, 5, 7, 8, 9, 11,12, 14, 15, 16, 17, 20, 21, 23 and 24.