#### BEFORE THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF OHIO

| In the Matter of the Application of<br>Cleveland Thermal Steam<br>Distribution, LLC for Approval of a | )<br>)<br>) Case No. 19-2106-HT-UNC |
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| Conversion to a Domestic  | )                                   |
| Corporation and Related Matters.  | )                                   |
| In the Matter of the Application of   | )                                   |
| Cleveland Thermal Chilled Water   | )                                   |
| Distribution, LLC for Approval of a   | ) Case No. 19-2107-CC-UNC           |
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| Corporation and Related Matters.  |                                     |

#### **Application**

Cleveland Thermal Steam Distribution, LLC ("CTSD") and Cleveland Thermal Chilled Water Distribution, LLC ("CTCWD") request approval of corporate conversion to domestic corporations, approval of revised tariffs to reflect the conversions, approval of changes in customer materials to reflect the conversions, approval of automatic approval processes for standard contracts, and approval of tariff modifications. In support of these requests, CTSD and CTCWD state as follows:

- 1. CTSD is a heating company and public utility subject to the jurisdiction of the Public Utilities Commission of Ohio ("Commission").
- 2. CTCWD is a cooling company and public utility subject to the jurisdiction of the Commission.
- 3. CTSD and CTCWD are organized under the laws of Ohio as limited liability companies.
- 4. CTSD and CTCWD are wholly owned subsidiaries of Cleveland Thermal, LLC. Cleveland Thermal, LLC, through an intermediary company, is a wholly owned subsidiary of Corix Utilities (Cleveland) Inc., a private corporation ultimately owned

(through its ownership of Corix Infrastructure, Inc.) by British Columbia Investment Management Corporation.

- 5. To address a potentially adverse tax consequence due to the operation of an international tax treaty, parties with an interest in CTSD and CTCWD have elected to convert from limited liability companies to domestic corporations.
  - 6. The conversion is anticipated to be accomplished under R.C. 1701.782.
- 7. Following the completion of the conversion, CTSD will be converted to Cleveland Thermal Steam Distribution, Inc.
- 8. Following the completion of the conversion, CTCWD will be converted to Cleveland Thermal Chilled Water Distribution, Inc.
- 9. Both Cleveland Thermal Steam Distribution, Inc. and Cleveland Thermal Chilled Water Distribution, Inc. will be Ohio domestic corporations and public utilities subject to the jurisdiction of the Commission.
- 10. The conversion will provide for the substitution of the interests of the parent Cleveland Thermal, LLC in the limited liability companies for interests in the domestic corporations. The assets and liabilities of the converting and converted companies will be unchanged. The substitution will not adversely affect the management, property, capitalization, or any service obligations of the utilities under tariff or reasonable arrangements. Neither converted company will increase or decrease its capitalization as a result of the conversion. As a result of the substitution, there will be no abandonment of service as that is described in R.C. 4905.20 and 4905.21.
- 11. The conversion would not alter the requirements imposed by the Commission in any prior proceeding including Case No. 15-1451-HC-UNC. To the extent

that it is necessary to do so, the utilities agree to incorporate those requirements as a condition for the approval of the relief requested in this Application.

- 12. Current reasonable arrangements provide for and will be assigned from the limited liability companies to the domestic corporations.
- 13. No change in tariff rates or terms and conditions contained therein will result from the conversion.
- 14. Under the current tariffs on file with the Commission, the utilities are identified as limited liability companies. The utilities are requesting to alter their current tariffs to update them to identify the converted entities as the utility service providers. The tariffs are proposed to be modified to identify the service companies by their status as domestic corporations, Cleveland Thermal Steam Distribution, Inc. and Cleveland Thermal Chilled Water Distribution, Inc. A copy of the revised tariffs with the changes identified and in final form are attached as Exhibits A through D.
- 15. Current billing statements identify the limited liability companies as the utilities providing service to customers taking service under tariff. The utilities are not proposing to alter their current billing statements except to update them to identify the converted entities as the utility service providers. The billing statements are proposed to be modified to identify the service companies as domestic corporations. A copy of the revised billing statements with the changes identified and in final form are attached as Exhibits E through H.
- 16. The utilities anticipate that the Commission will require them to notify the customers of the conversion and to indicate that the conversion will not affect the terms and conditions of service. Proposed customer notices are attached as Exhibits I and J.

- 17. Contracts attached as appendices to the tariffs have been updated to conform to the currently approved forms and include changes to reflect the names of the converted entities.
- 18. Under Commission orders in Case No. 07-732-HT-AEC and Case No. 12-1450-HT-AEC, the Commission has approved a process by which contracts substantially providing the same terms and conditions as the contract attached to the steam tariff in Exhibit B are approved automatically thirty days after filing unless the Commission takes action to suspend approval within 30 days of the filing. The Commission has permitted the pre-approval process while noting the Commission's continuing jurisdiction over the contracts that would be filed. In a Finding and Order issued in Case No. 12-1450-HT-AEC on November 6, 2013, the Commission has permitted limited modifications to the standard contract as a means of providing competitive response. This process has reduced administrative costs while providing the steam utility the ability to respond to competitive pressures to its business. Because it is the public interest, therefore, this Application seeks the approval of the continuation of this process following the conversion of the steam utility to a domestic corporation.
- 19. Although the Commission has not approved a process for automatic approval of a standard contract for the chilled water utility, the Commission has repeatedly approved chilled water contracts in a form substantially similar to that attached to Exhibit D. To avoid administrative burden to the chilled water company, its customers, and the Commission, and to afford the chilled water utility the opportunity to respond to competitive pressures, it is requested that the Commission authorize a process by which a chilled water contract substantially in the form as that attached to Exhibit D would

receive automatic approval after filing. Under this process, an agreement substantially in the form of that attached to Exhibit D would be automatically approved if the Commission takes no action within 30 days of filing.

20. CTSD and CTCWD also request approval of additional non-substantive tariff modifications reflected in the attached documents.

WHEREFORE, CTSD and CTCWD request the following relief:

- That the Commission issue an order approving the conversion of the utilities
   from limited liability companies to domestic corporations;
- 2. That the Commission remove CTSD and CTCWD as public utilities from its rolls:
- 3. That the Commission add Cleveland Thermal Steam Distribution, Inc. and Cleveland Thermal Chilled Water Distribution, Inc. as public utilities to its rolls;
- 4. That the Commission issue an order approving for filing the tariffs with the proposed modifications contained in Exhibits B and D;
- 5. That the Commission issue an order approving the use by the converted entities of the billing statements contained in Exhibits G and H;
- 6. That the Commission issue an order approving the customer notices contained in Exhibits I and J;
- 7. That the Commission approve for the steam utility the continuation of the authorization of a contract automatic approval process as set in Case No. 07-732-HT-AEC and Case No. 12-1450-HT-AEC after the conversion of the steam utility;
- 8. That the Commission authorize for the chilled water utility after the conversion a process, subject to the same conditions as set in the Commission's Finding

and Order issued on November 6, 2013 in Case No. 12-1450-HT-AEC, by which a chilled water contract substantially in the form as that attached to Exhibit D of this Application be automatically approved 30 days after filing unless approval is suspended by Commission order; and

9. That the Commission provide such other relief as it finds necessary to permit the utilities to complete the conversion from limited liability companies to domestic corporations.

Respectfully submitted,

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# Exhibit A Revised Steam Distribution Tariffs with Changes

#### CLEVELAND THERMAL STEAM DISTRIBUTION, LLCINC.

#### TARIFF FOR DISTRICT STEAM SERVICE

P.U.C.O. No. 21

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#### **RULES AND REGULATIONS**

#### **DEFINITIONS** 1.

In addition to terms defined elsewhere herein, as used herein the following terms are defined as follows:

"Billing Period" shall mean each of approximately 12 periods in each calendar year, each approximating one service month.

"Btu" shall mean British thermal units.

"Building" shall mean the structure(s) or premises owned, leased or managed by the Customer or its agent for which District Steam Service is provided by the Company.

"Company" shall mean Cleveland Thermal Steam Distribution, LLC.Inc.

"Customer" shall mean that entity, its officers, agents or employees, which enters into a District Steam Agreement with the Company to receive District Steam Service for the Building or receives District Steam Service for the Building pursuant to Sections 18 and 19 hereof.

"District Steam Agreement" shall mean the written agreement between the Customer and Company for District Steam Service for the Building containing the terms of service, rates and any other considerations specific to that relationship, which agreement may be in the form of the Standard Contract, any other standard form of contract offered by Company approved by PUCO or any reasonable arrangement approved by PUCO pursuant to Section 4905.31, Revised Code.

"District Steam Service" shall mean the service by which steam and/or hot water is obtained and distributed by Company through the Company's network of pipes to a Building for heating, hot water, air conditioning and/or process purposes.

"Mlbs" shall mean thousands of pounds of District Steam Service.

"Point of Delivery" shall mean the place within, at or near the Customer's Building where the Customer and Company agree that steam and/or hot water shall be delivered to the Customer and, if applicable, condensate or water shall be returned to Company, each as shall be designated in the District Steam Agreement or otherwise as mutually agreed by Customer and Company if Customer receives District Steam Service pursuant to Sections 18 and 19 hereof.

"PUCO" shall mean the Public Utilities Commission of Ohio.

"Redistribution" shall include "submetering" and shall mean the furnishing by the Customer of steam and/or hot water received from the Company to another entity for any purpose under any circumstances or arrangement, whether a charge is made for such service or not.

"Revised Code" shall mean the Ohio Revised Code, as from time to time in effect.

"Service Commencement Date" shall mean the earlier to occur of the date the Customer first receives District Steam Service or the date otherwise stated in the District Steam Agreement between Customer and Company.

"Standard Contract" shall mean the Standard Steam Supply and Distribution Agreement attached hereto as Appendix A.

"Tariff Customer" shall mean a Customer receiving District Steam Service pursuant to Sections 18 and 19 hereof.

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#### 2. AVAILABILITY OF DISTRICT STEAM SERVICE

District Steam Service is available to those commercial, industrial and governmental entities with buildings which are located in the Cleveland area and abut the Company's steam distribution system or, if not abutting, as otherwise provided in Section 17A below. District Steam Service will be provided only to Customers who enter into a District Steam Agreement for a term of at least three (3) years, except as provided for in Sections 18 and 19 below. A written application may be required from each Customer before service will be commenced. A copy of the form of application, if any, will be furnished the Customer upon request. Copies of all steam rate schedules are available at the Company's business office and are available for public inspection during Company's normal office hours.

#### DISTRICT STEAM AGREEMENT 3.

- A. All Customers except Tariff Customers must sign a District Steam Agreement in order to receive District Steam Service, Except as provided in Sections 18 and 19 below, all terms, conditions. regulations, rates and other provisions governing District Steam Service for a Customer shall be included in the District Steam Agreement between Company and such Customer. All District Steam Agreements (other than those for service contemplated by Section 4905.34, Revised Code, such as those with governmental entities and charitable institutions) shall be submitted to and approved by the PUCO.
- B. A District Steam Agreement may be in the form of the Standard Contract or any other contract approved by PUCO. In addition to the Standard Contract, the Company intends to offer a Standard Interruptible Steam Supply and Distribution Agreement containing terms and provisions substantially similar to those contained in the form of the Standard Contract in Appendix A, except for such changes appropriate to reflect the right of the Company to interrupt District Steam Service to Customer's Building in certain circumstances and the ability of the Customer to generate replacement service during such interruption using on-site systems in or available to the Building.
- C. All District Steam Agreements and arrangements for service pursuant to Sections 18 and 19 hereof are subject to changes in rates, service, rules and regulations hereinafter put into effect by the Company, the PUCO or other public authority, as provided by law.

#### 4. **RESPONSIBILITIES**

Tariff Customers shall be responsible for all provisions of Sections 1 through 19 of this Tariff, including all amendments, supplements and replacements of any thereof Each Customer served pursuant to a District Steam Agreement shall be responsible for all provisions of Sections 1 through 17 of this Tariff, including all amendments, supplements and replacements of any thereof (except to the extent inconsistent with the provisions of the District Steam Agreement), in addition to the terms and conditions set forth in the District Steam Agreement applicable to such Customers service.

#### 5. DENYING SERVICE DUE TO INDEBTEDNESS

The Company may terminate, cancel, suspend or discontinue District Steam Service to any current or prior Customer, and may refuse service to any applicant for District Steam Service, if such Customer or applicant is in debt to the Company for service previously rendered or is a Customer whose service was previously canceled or terminated for non-payment or chronic late payment of bills for service or for violation or breach of its District Steam Agreement or Sections 18 and 19 hereof, as applicable.

#### DENYING SERVICE DUE TO LOCATION 6.

The Company shall provide District Steam Service only at Points of Delivery served by existing street mains; provided, however, the Company, at its sole discretion, may extend its facilities to serve prospective loads but shall not be required to provide such service.

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#### TEMPORARY SERVICE AND TEMPORARY SUSPENSION OF SERVICE

A. Unless otherwise agreed to by Company, in its sole discretion, any applicant for District Steam Service desiring temporary service shall pay the entire costs of installing and removing such temporary service in addition to all applicable rates and charges for District Steam Service during the period of temporary service.

B. Company may agree, in its sole discretion, to suspend service to a Customer upon Customer's written request. In the event that Company agrees to such suspension, Customer shall be required to pay a disconnection charge and a reconnection charge, in each case equal to the actual labor and materials cost of disconnection and reconnection, respectively, and shall also be responsible for payment: (i) if a Tariff Customer, of an amount equal to a minimum Billing Period charge of Three Hundred Dollars (\$300) for each Billing Period occurring during any part of the suspension from October 1 through and inclusive of May 31; and (ii) if a Customer receiving service pursuant to a District Steam Agreement, of such minimum Billing Period charge agreed to by such Customer and Company.

#### 8. SECURITY REQUIREMENTS

If Company has reasonable grounds for insecurity regarding any existing or prospective Customer's performance of any obligation (whether or not then due), including, without limitation, the occurrence of a material change in creditworthiness, Company shall have the right to require that Customer provide adequate assurance of performance and provide sufficient security in the form, amount and for the term reasonably acceptable to Company, including but not limited to a cash security deposit, a standby irrevocable letter of credit, a prepayment, a security interest in an asset or a performance bond or guaranty. In the event that Company agrees to accept a cash security deposit, interest at not less than three percent (3.00%) per annum shall be allowed and paid to Customer while it is held by Company, provided it remain on deposit for six (6) consecutive months. The Company may retain any deposit (net of interest to be paid to the Customer) and apply the same upon bills for service or any indebtedness due to Company by the Customer.

#### 9. REDISTRIBUTION OF STEAM

District Steam Service is furnished for the sole use of the Customer, who shall not redistribute any of such steam to any other person or entity, or permit any other person or entity to use the same, without the express written approval of the Company. The following general standards shall govern the granting of such approval:

- (a) Unless waived by Company, any request for approval shall be in writing.
- (b) Redistribution shall not be permitted under any circumstances to any premises not owned, leased or otherwise controlled by the Customer.
- (c) Redistribution may be permitted where, at the sole discretion of the Company, it is incidental to the business conducted by the Customer and is not otherwise prohibited.
- (d) Redistribution shall not be permitted with respect to aggregations of separate commercial or retail users such as those commonly known as shopping centers.
- (e) Notwithstanding the above standards, the Company may approve redistribution by the Customer on the basis of circumstances and conditions specific to the Customer's operations and business.
- (f) Any approval for redistribution granted by the Company shall be subject to the agreement by the user to whom steam is redistributed to be bound by the terms and conditions of the Customer's District Steam Agreement or Sections 18 and 19 hereof, as applicable.

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#### 10. TERMINATION OF DISTRICT STEAM SERVICE

The Company may cancel, terminate, discontinue or suspend District Steam Service to any Customer for any of the following reasons:

- (a) (i) The Customer's violation or failure to comply with the terms and conditions of the Customer's District Steam Agreement or Sections 18 and 19 hereof, as applicable, and/or the general service rules and regulations on file with the PUCO which apply to Customer's service, including, but not limited to, the failure to timely pay any indebtedness owed to Company, the willful or intentional destruction, cutting, breaking, adjustment, tampering or interference with, or unauthorized use of Company's lines or equipment, damage to Company's facilities or equipment caused by Customer, its employees or agents (as contemplated by Sections 4933.18 and 4933.23, Revised Code), or where, because of the action or inaction of Customer, its tenants, employees or agents, the supplying of steam to Customer will create a dangerous or unsafe condition on Customer's premises or to Company or its other customers; or (ii) the Customer has resorted to any fraudulent or illegal practice (in obtaining District Steam Service or is the beneficiary of any fraudulent or illegal practice (as contemplated by Section 4933.18, Revised Code);
- (b) Where Customer has canceled its service prior to the stated maturity of its District Steam Agreement or as set forth in Section 18 hereof, in either case pursuant to any right to do so contained in such District Steam Agreement or Section 18;
- (c) When Company cannot maintain service through commercially reasonable measures or to enable Company to make, or cause to be made, any necessary repairs or connections to its steam supply or distribution system or mains;
- (d) When providing District Steam Service is in conflict or incompatible with any law, rule, regulation or order of the State of Ohio, the federal government or any of their respective agencies having jurisdiction;
- (e) When, because of circumstances beyond Customer's or Company's control, supplying steam creates a dangerous or unsafe condition; or
- (f) Upon the expiration of Customer's District Steam Agreement.

Upon the cancellation, termination, discontinuance or suspension of District Steam Service to a Customer pursuant to any of the above provisions, such Customer shall be responsible for the timely payment of all applicable cancellation charges and disconnection costs set forth in its District Steam Agreement or Sections 18 and 19 hereof, as applicable.

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#### RECONNECTING SERVICE

A. When District Steam Service has been disconnected for any reason covered by Subsections 10(a) or 10(b) above, a reconnection charge equal to the actual labor and materials cost to reconnect will be required when the former Customer requests reconnection, but Company shall be under no obligation to reconnect any such Customer unless such Customer, prior to any reconnection, has paid all outstanding indebtedness in full to Company and has provided any security required by Company, and in addition, in the event of the applicability of Subsection 10(a)(ii) above, has paid the Company an investigation fee of One Hundred Dollars (\$100) plus the actual costs of such investigation (if Company has undertaken an investigation of the matter) plus, further, an amount estimated by the Company to be reasonable compensation for the service fraudulently or illegally obtained and not paid for and for any damage to the property of Company, including any costs to repair such damage or tampering.

B. When District Steam Service has been disconnected pursuant to Subsection 10(b) above, the Company shall not be under any obligation to resume such Service to the same Customer at the same premises until the Customer has made payment, in addition to any amounts due pursuant to Subsection 11A above, of an amount equal to the minimum Billing Period charge (if any) for each Billing Period of the intervening period, but not to exceed twelve (12) Billing Periods.

C. If, at the time when District Steam Service is to be disconnected at Customer's Building pursuant to either Subsection 10(a) or 10(b) above, payment in full of all outstanding balances due from Customer to Company is made to Company's employee, whose original purpose was to disconnect the District Steam Service, then a charge equal to the actual time and expense cost of the employee's service call to the Building to disconnect service shall be assessed on the Customer's next billing. District Steam Service which otherwise would have been disconnected shall remain intact.

#### 12. CUSTOMER'S USE OF SERVICE

Each Customer's use of District Steam Service shall be governed by the terms and conditions set forth in Sections 1 through 17, inclusive, of this Tariff and either its District Steam Agreement or Sections 18 and 19 hereof, as applicable, and by all laws, rules, regulations or orders of the State of Ohio, the federal government, or any of their respective agencies having jurisdiction. While a Customer is receiving District Steam Service, unless otherwise agreed in writing by the Company, the utility steam service provided by Company shall be the sole source of Customer's space heating energy requirements for the Building and the sole source of steam service to the Building and a Customer's failure to adhere to this provision shall be a violation and breach of Customer's District Steam Agreement or Section 18, as applicable. The Customer's installation and connection of any equipment directly to Company's central steam service, and the maintenance thereof, shall be subject at all times to the Company's approval. The Customer shall install and maintain pressure regulating valves on its Building system when so specified by the Company. As applicable, the Customer shall install and maintain condensate meters and traps or flow tubes provided by the Company and shall provide any necessary wiring and energy to supply electrically operated steam metering devices whether installed initially or to replace previous metering equipment.

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#### CUSTOMER BILLS

Customers shall be billed by Company for service rendered during each Billing Period. Company's invoices shall be based on the rates, charges and fees stated in Customer's District Steam Agreement or in Section 19 hereof, as applicable, as applied to Customer's billing determinants during the Billing Period. Customer shall pay Company's invoice within fifteen (15) days of the invoice date. Any invoice unpaid in full within thirty (30) days of the invoice date shall be deemed late and subject to an additional charge of one and one-half percent (1.5%) per month multiplied by the balance not timely paid.

Company may, at its option, estimate Billing Period invoices. Differences between estimated bills and actual amounts due for the Billing Period(s) subject to estimated invoices shall be reconciled in the first subsequent invoice that is based on actual meter data. In no event shall Company estimate meter readings for more than three (3) consecutive months unless it is unable to read Customer's meter for reasons beyond Company's control.

#### 14. METER INSTALLATION, OPERATION AND TESTING

Company shall install at its expense metering equipment sufficient to measure Customer's usage of steam and to bill and collect for service provided by Company. Such metering equipment shall permit Company to measure and, over time, record steam flow and convert this relationship to Mlbs. Company, at its sole discretion, may elect or agree to provide Customer with one or more Points of Delivery, Unless otherwise specifically agreed by Company, service provided at each Point of Delivery shall be metered and billed separately by Company and paid for by Customer. Company may inspect and maintain its metering and any other equipment located within the Building, as Company may determine to be reasonably necessary. The Company's employees and agents shall have free access at any reasonable time to its equipment on Customer's premises, and may remove its meters and equipment for any purpose. In the event of an emergency, the Company's employees and agents shall have such access at any time. No person, except a duly authorized employee or agent of Company, shall be authorized to alter or interfere with the operation of any Company meter, or its connections, regulators or any other item of plant, facilities or equipment furnished by Company. In the event of an emergency, Customer may operate stop valves and meter stop valves provided that such operation is warranted based on emergency conditions, Customer notifies Company of such operation as quickly as possible, the operation is limited to the duration of the emergency and provided that the emergency does not arise after Company has discontinued or suspended service to Customer.

A meter shall be deemed accurate if it is measuring within three percent (3%), more or less, of actual quantities. When a meter fails to accurately register the quantity of steam consumed or returned, Company will change or repair the meter and invoice Customer for the relevant billing period(s) based on either of the following methods:

- a. Estimates of the steam consumed on the basis of past usage during a similar period and under similar conditions; or
- b. Estimates of the steam consumed on the basis of usage registered by the new or repaired meter during a subsequent period.

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In the event Customer believes that the meters located within the Building are not operating properly, Customer may request, in writing, a test of the meters, whereupon Company shall conduct a test upon the meters located in the Building. If the results of such test show that the meters have overstated the amount of product used by Customer by at least three percent (3%), then Company shall bear the costs of such test and shall either repair or replace the defective meters at its own expense. In all other cases, Customer shall bear the costs of such test. Company shall make any billing adjustment reasonably necessary as a result of any meter test, whether such adjustment would result in payments by, or credits issued to, Customer.

#### 15. ACCOUNTING

The Company shall keep accurate and satisfactory records and books in accordance with generally accepted accounting principles and the uniform system of accounts showing all costs, payments, rate adjustments, credits and other data.

#### 16. CONTINUITY OF SERVICE AND LIABILITY

- A. The Company does not guarantee but will endeavor to furnish a continuous supply of steam and to maintain pressure within reasonable limits.
- B. Other than for changes in the rules and regulations regarding the provisions of District Steam Service adopted by the Company or the PUCO, no revision of this Tariff, now or in the future, shall affect any District Steam Agreement in effect on the effective date of this Tariff, each of which shall continue in effect according to its terms and provisions until terminated in accordance with its terms or amended by the parties thereto.
- C. The Company shall not be liable for direct or consequential damages which a Customer may sustain due to interruptions in service, variations in pressure, the use of steam apparatus or the presence of the Company's property on a Customer's premises.

#### 17. COMPANY FACILITIES

- A. <u>Standard Service.</u> The Company shall, where a Customers premises abut upon an existing steam main adequate and suitable for such Customer's supply, install (at Customer's expense) and maintain (at Company's expense) one standard steam service from such main to the property line of such Customer, and shall also install and maintain at Company's expense a service valve and meter; provided, however, any Customer wishing to receive steam from a steam main of the Company, directly or indirectly, but whose premises do not abut upon such steam main, may continue to receive steam if such Customer shall construct and maintain piping satisfactory to the Company from its premises to such steam main, or as otherwise may be agreed to by Company.
- B. <u>Payment for Changes.</u> Any change of service location or equipment made at the request of a Customer shall be paid for by such Customer.

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#### **SERVICE SCHEDULES**

#### 18. DEFAULT DISTRICT STEAM SERVICE

A. Applicability. This service shall be applicable to: (i) all Customers whose District Steam Agreements have expired and who have not executed either new District Steam Agreements or extensions of their then current Agreements; and (ii) new Customers who elect not to execute a District Steam Agreement provided for in Section 3 above, whose service needs can be accommodated, in the sole judgment of the Company, without impairing the quality of District Steam Service to Company's other Customers and who pay all costs of connecting their Building to Company's steam mains. In lieu of a Tariff Customer paying such costs of connection in a lump-sum payment prior to Company's commencing to provide service, Company may, in its sole discretion, agree to alternate payment provisions, including but not limited to extended payments by the Tariff Customer or Company agreeing to pay such costs and to amortize them over a period of time not to exceed five (5) years, as described more fully in Paragraph C(vi) below. In the event District Steam Service is discontinued or canceled for any reason prior to the end of any extended payment or amortization period agreed to by Company, the Tariff Customer shall be responsible for paying the balance of any unpaid or unamortized costs as of the date of cancellation of service, as more fully set forth in Subparagraphs C(i) and (ii) below.

#### B. General Performance Obligations.

- (i) Subject to the more specific identification of a Tariff Customer's requirements by such Customer and Company, Company shall obtain for and distribute to the Tariff Customer and the Tariff Customer shall receive from Company's existing distribution system at the Point of Delivery (as determined by such Customer and Company) the total steam and heating requirements of the Building. If applicable, Company may also receive returned condensate from a Tariff Customer's Building pursuant to this Tariff. Company is not obligated to provide uninterrupted service to a Tariff Customer and such Customer's service may be interrupted or discontinued by Company when Company cannot maintain service through commercially reasonable measures. Company shall also provide Tariff Customers with periodic invoices stating the charges such Customers owe Company for service provided pursuant to this Tariff and, notwithstanding any other provision in this Tariff, Company may discontinue District Steam Service to a Tariff Customer in the event that such Customer has not made full payment for any Billing Period invoice within the period specified in Paragraph F(i) below. Company shall furnish, install, own and maintain, at its expense, isolation valves and such metering equipment as it deems appropriate to measure the steam distributed to a Tariff Customer and, if applicable, returned condensate from such Customer.
- (ii) Each Tariff Customer shall be responsible for all provisions of Sections 1 through 19 of this Tariff, including all amendments, supplements and replacements of any thereof. Each Tariff Customer shall use commercially reasonable efforts to receive steam from Company's distribution system for the Building, meet the conditions established by Company to receive steam and distribution service from Company and timely pay Company for service provided pursuant to this Tariff. Upon Company's reasonable request and at no cost to Company, a Tariff Customer shall provide adequate space and any interest in real property reasonably suitable to Company on such Customer's premises and within the Building to permit Company to meet its initial and ongoing service obligations under this Tariff or otherwise and shall allow Company reasonable access thereto at all reasonable times or at any time in the event of an emergency. A Tariff Customer shall authorize such Customer's property manager, any Building manager or such other person that may have the ability to do so to permit Company to enter the Building for the purpose of meeting the terms of this Tariff. Each Tariff Customer acknowledges that it is solely responsible for establishing and maintaining such facilities, pumps and other equipment as may be required to Redistribute steam within such Customer's Building and to install and operate such equipment, plant and facilities as may reasonably be necessary to avoid the actions or inactions of such Customer, its tenants and other occupants of the Building from negatively affecting Company's ability to safely and adequately meet the needs of its other Customers. Upon request, a Tariff Customer shall

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furnish Company with information that is sufficient to demonstrate that such Customer has installed plant, facilities, and equipment and implemented operating procedures to avoid imposing pressure-related shocks on Company's distribution system. Beyond such steam Redistribution as a Tariff Customer may need to perform to meet the steam and heating needs within the Building, such Customer shall not Redistribute steam, with or without a charge to the receiving party, for any other purpose without prior written consent of Company. Unless otherwise specifically agreed to by Company, a Tariff Customer shall design, own, construct, install, operate and maintain, at its own expense, piping necessary to receive District Steam Service from Company, and if applicable, return condensate, at the Point of Delivery.

- (iii) Each of Company and a Tariff Customer shall, respectively as applicable, design, construct, install, operate and maintain its plant, facilities, equipment and piping in an efficient, safe and reliable manner so that the purpose of this Tariff may be fulfilled. Prior to commencing service under this Tariff and for so long as Company provides District Steam Service to the Building pursuant to this Tariff, Company shall have the right, but not the duty, to inspect, review and approve the connection of a Tariff Customer's equipment and piping to Company's steam distribution system. Company's right of inspection shall in no way impose a duty or liability on Company with respect to the lawful, safe or proper operation of such Customer's equipment and piping. As a condition of receiving District Steam Service from Company in accordance with this Tariff, a Tariff Customer acknowledges and represents to Company that it is not relying upon Company's expertise or knowledge in connection with the design or operation of such Customer's equipment and the Redistribution or use of steam within the Building.
- (iv) For so long as Company provides District Steam Service to the Building pursuant to this Tariff, the utility steam service provided by Company shall be the sole source of a Tariff Customer's space heating energy requirements for the Building and the sole source of steam service to the Building.

#### C. Commencement, Termination and Discontinuance of Service.

- (i) Company shall commence providing District Steam Service to a Tariff Customer's Building on the Service Commencement Date. A Tariff Customer may terminate this service by providing Company with written notice at least thirty (30) days prior to the effective date of such termination and by making a lump sum termination charge payment to Company equal to the sum of: (a) any and all costs incurred by Company to and including the date of termination for providing service to the Building; (b) the amount of any unpaid or unamortized balance of any connection costs due to Company pursuant to Section 18A above, provided there is such an unpaid or unamortized balance; and (c) the cost of disconnecting District Steam Service to the Building.
- (ii) Company may terminate this service upon fifteen (15) days prior written notice to a Tariff Customer in the event of any default by such Customer of its obligations under this Tariff which default continues for a period of more than fifteen (15) days following a written demand by Company to cure such default. Any cure right that a Tariff Customer may have pursuant to this Subparagraph shall not extend to any default that arises as a result of such Customer's failure to make timely payment. In the event of such termination, a Tariff Customer shall pay to Company a cancellation charge equal to the sum of: (a) any and all costs incurred by Company to and including the date of termination for providing service to the Building; and (b) the amount of any unpaid or unamortized balance of any connection costs due to Company pursuant to Section 18A above, provided there is such an unamortized balance; and (c) the cost of disconnecting District Steam Service to the Building. This cancellation charge shall be in addition to any other damages incurred by Company as a result of such Customer's default, including reasonable attorneys' fees and lost profits, and Company reserves the right to seek such damages from such Customer. In lieu of terminating service upon a default by a Tariff Customer, Company shall have the right, and may elect, in its sole discretion, to discontinue or suspend service to such Customer and the

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Building upon the giving of such notice as may then be required by law (or upon fifteen (15) days prior written notice if no notice is then required by law). In the event that Company suspends or discontinues service pursuant to this Paragraph, Company reserves the right to seek damages from such Customer to compensate Company for all losses, costs, damages and expenses, including reasonable attorneys' fees and lost profits, suffered by Company as a result of such Customer's default.

- (iii) In the event of any suspension, discontinuance or cancellation of service, Company shall discontinue providing steam and distribution services, and the Tariff Customer shall provide Company with such access to such Customers Building and property as Company may reasonably request to remove Company's plant, equipment, facilities and piping, if any. A tariff Customer's obligation to provide Company with such access for the purpose of removing such equipment and piping shall survive the termination of service for so long as Company may reasonably require to remove such equipment and piping.
- (iv) All obligations of a Tariff Customer that arose prior to the cancellation, suspension or discontinuance of service, including, without limitation, the obligation to pay in full any cancellation charge and any unpaid invoices plus late charges for service provided by Company prior to cancellation, suspension or discontinuance, shall survive the cancellation, suspension or discontinuance. No eminent domain or condemnation proceedings with respect to the Building's premises shall relieve a Tariff Customer of its obligations hereunder.
- (v) If at any time a local regulatory authority, other regulatory authority, or Company judges that a Tariff Customers plant or equipment may be unsafe, Company may withhold or discontinue service until such Customer has completed corrective actions and the actual or potential unsafe condition has been eliminated. Except in the case of an emergency, Company will attempt to provide such Customer with reasonable notice prior to discontinuing or suspending service due to an unsafe condition.
- (vi) In accordance with Subparagraphs C(i) and (ii) above, a Tariff Customer is obligated to pay to Company certain rates and charges upon cancellation, termination or discontinuance of District Steam Service, including the balance of any unamortized connection costs. The formula that shall apply for purposes of determining the method of amortization and the resulting balance at any given time for calculation of the balance such Customer shall pay upon cancellation or discontinuance of service is specified in this Subparagraph. In the event that the Company agrees to pay the costs of connecting a Tariff Customer to Company's system, upon Company's final determination of the actual connection costs, Company shall provide the Tariff Customer with written notice of such actual connection costs, together with a schedule showing the amortization. The actual costs shall be amortized on a straight-line, level principal basis at an interest rate of twelve percent (12%) per annum applied to the unamortized balance, with each year's amortization amount prorated in twelve (12) equal monthly installments. FOR ILLUSTRATION PURPOSES ONLY, below is an example of a 5 year amortization schedule that assumes an actual connection cost of \$85,000.

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#### SAMPLE AMORTIZATION SCHEDULE

(Beginning Principal: \$85,000)

| End of | Annual    | Annual   | Annual   | Remaining |
|--------|-----------|----------|----------|-----------|
| Year   | Principal | Interest | Total    | Balance   |
| 1      | \$17,000  | \$10,200 | \$27,200 | \$68,000  |
| 2      | \$17,000  | \$8,160  | \$25,160 | \$51,000  |
| 3      | \$17,000  | \$6,120  | \$23,120 | \$34,000  |
| 4      | \$17,000  | \$4,080  | \$21,080 | \$17,000  |
| 5      | \$17,000  | \$2,040  | \$19,040 | \$0       |

- (vii) When District Steam Service has been disconnected for any reason covered by Subparagraphs C(i) or (ii) above, a reconnection charge equal to the actual labor and materials cost to reconnect will be required when the former Tariff Customer requests reconnection, but Company shall be under no obligation to reconnect any such Customer unless such Customer, prior to any reconnection, has paid all outstanding indebtedness in full to Company and has provided any security required by Company and, in addition, in the event of the applicability of Subparagraph 10(a)(ii) of this Tariff, has paid the Company an investigation fee of One Hundred Dollars (\$100) plus the actual costs of such investigation (if Company has undertaken an investigation of the matter) plus, further, an amount estimated by the Company to be reasonable compensation for the service fraudulently or illegally obtained and not paid for and for any damage to the property of Company, including any costs to repair any damage or tampering.
- When District Steam Service has been disconnected pursuant to Subparagraph C(i) above, the Company shall not be under any obligation to resume such Service to the same Tariff Customer at the same premises until such Customer has made payment, in addition to any amounts due pursuant to Subparagraph C(vi) above, of an amount equal to the minimum Billing Period charge (if any) for each Billing Period of the intervening period, but not to exceed twelve (12) Billing Periods.

#### D. <u>Installation of Equipment.</u>

- (i) Company shall design, locate, own, construct and install, at its own expense, all equipment and piping (other than such equipment and piping required to be paid for by a Tariff Customer pursuant to Paragraph 18A above) necessary for a Tariff Customer to receive steam from Company at the Point of Delivery in such amounts as may be reasonably required to meet such Customer's heating needs as specified herein. In order to assist Company with steam acquisition and distribution capacity planning efforts, a Tariff Customer shall notify Company of any anticipated changes in such Customer's estimated usage of District Steam Service promptly at such time and from time to time as such estimated usage is anticipated to change. By accepting service under this Tariff, a Tariff Customer acknowledges that failure to provide Company with information identifying anticipated changes in such Customer's estimated usage may negatively affect Company's ability to timely obtain and distribute sufficient steam to meet such Customer's needs.
- (ii) If the Point of Delivery is located within the Building or other structure, then a Tariff Customer shall provide Company with suitable pipe penetrations through the Building's or structure's wall or foundation or other improvements to provide for suitable space for the installation and maintenance of Company's piping, metering and other plant, facilities or equipment associated with the provision of service to such Customer. However, upon a Tariff Customer's request, Company may elect, in its sole discretion, to install, on behalf of such Customer, such pipe penetrations or other improvements for such Customer, provided that such Customer's request for Company to act in such capacity on behalf of such Customer shall obligate such Customer to hold Company harmless from any claim or liability arising from Company's actions and provided that such Customer first properly executes and delivers to Company a

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form of release as specified by Company, the terms and provisions of which, if and when executed and delivered, shall automatically be incorporated into this Tariff as applicable to such Customer. Any costs incurred by Company in undertaking such installation shall be subject to repayment by Customer upon such terms as shall be mutually agreed to by Company and such Customer and be subject to the provisions of Subparagraph E(v) below.

#### E. Rates, Charges and Billing.

- (i) Rates. The Rate Schedule for Tariff Customers receiving District Steam Service pursuant to this Section 18 of the Tariff is set out in Section 19 below. Tariff Customers shall be billed by Company for each Billing Period in which service is provided. Company's invoices shall be based on the rates, charges and fees stated herein as applied to each Tariff Customer's billing determinants during the Billing Period. A Tariff Customer shall pay Company's invoice within fifteen (15) days of the invoice date. Any invoice unpaid in full within thirty (30) days of the invoice date shall be deemed late and subject to an additional charge of one and one-half percent (1.5%) per month multiplied by the balance not timely paid. Company's invoice for service supplied to Tariff Customers pursuant to this Tariff shall include the following:
  - (a) Consumption Rate. The Consumption Rate shall be the rate charged to such Customer for its metered consumption of steam for each Billing Period as set forth in Section 19 hereof and shall be multiplied by the total number of Mlbs of steam distributed to such Customer by Company during the Billing Period.
  - (b) Purchased Steam Cost Recovery Charge. The Purchased Steam Cost Recovery Charge shall recover the dollar-for-dollar delivered cost of the steam which Company purchases to meet a Tariff Customer's steam requirements at the Point of Delivery. The Purchased Steam Cost Recovery Charge shall be adjusted and reconciled periodically based on such delivered cost in accordance with the formula specified in Section 19 and multiplied, as adjusted on a bills rendered basis, to the total number of Mlbs of steam distributed to such Customer by Company during each Billing Period. The difference between the Purchased Steam Cost Recovery Charge revenues obtained by the Company and the Company's delivered cost of steam shall be ascertained by the Company and filed monthly in a docket designated by the Commission.
  - (c) GRT Charge. The total amount of all rates and charges shown on each Billing Period invoice shall be adjusted upwards by a GRT Charge specified in Section 19. The value of the GRT Charge shall be specified as a percentage calculated so as to permit the billing and collection of incremental revenue sufficient for Company to recover the amount of any gross receipts, sales or other charges to which Company may, from time to time, be subject under the laws and regulations of the State of Ohio or other taxing authority, excluding taxes imposed on net income by federal, state and other taxing authorities. Company shall have the right to amend the GRT Charge from time to time to account for changes in the taxes imposed by the applicable taxing authorities.
  - (d) Regulatory Recovery Charge. In the event that Company incurs any cost or charge as described in Paragraph D below, the prorated amount determined in accordance with such Paragraph shall be included on each Customer's invoice for each Billing Period as a Regulatory Recovery Charge.
  - (e) Late Charge. Company shall render invoices to each Customer for service for each Billing Period and such invoices shall be due and payable when issued by Company. The Late Charge shall be equal to the monthly interest rate specified above times the balance not timely paid.

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- (ii) Metering and Billing. Company shall install metering equipment sufficient to measure a Tariff Customer's usage of steam and to bill and collect for service provided by Company pursuant to this Tariff. Such metering equipment shall permit Company to measure and, over time, record steam flow and convert this relationship to Mlbs. No person, except a duly authorized employee or agent of Company, shall be authorized to alter, tamper or interfere with the operation of any Company meter, or its connections, regulators or any other item of plant, facilities or equipment furnished by Company. In the event of an emergency, a Tariff Customer may operate stop valves and meter stop valves provided that such operation is warranted based on emergency conditions, such Customer notifies Company of such operation as quickly as possible, the operation is limited to the duration of the emergency and provided that the emergency does not arise after Company has discontinued or suspended service to Customer.
  - (a) A meter shall be deemed accurate if it is measuring within three percent (3%), more or less, of actual quantities. When a meter fails to accurately register the quantity of steam consumed or returned, Company will change or repair the meter and invoice the Tariff Customer for the relevant Billing Period(s) based on either of the following methods:
    - (A) Estimates of the steam consumed on the basis of past usage during a similar period and under similar conditions; or
    - (B) Estimates of the steam consumed on the basis of usage registered by the new or repaired meter during a subsequent period.
  - (b) Company may inspect and maintain its metering equipment located within the Building, as Company may determine to be reasonably necessary. In the event a Tariff Customer believes that the meters located within its Building are not operating properly, such Customer may request, in writing, a test of the meters whereupon Company shall conduct a test upon the meters located in the Building. If the results of such test show that the meters have overstated the amount of product used by such Customer by at least three percent (3%), then Company shall bear the costs of such test and shall either repair or replace the defective meters at its own expense. In all other cases, such Customer shall bear the costs of such test. Each Tariff Customer and Company agree to negotiate in good faith the amount of any billing adjustment, if any, made by Company as a result of any meter test, whether such adjustment would result in payments by, or credits issued to, such Customer.
  - (c) Company may, at its option, estimate Billing Period invoices. Differences between estimated bills and actual amounts due for the Billing Period(s) subject to estimated invoices shall be reconciled in the first subsequent invoice that is based on actual meter data. In no event shall Company estimate meter readings for more than three (3) consecutive months unless it is unable to read a Tariff Customer's meter for reasons beyond Company's control.
  - (d) Upon request by a Tariff Customer, Company may, in its discretion, provide such Customer with one or more additional Points of Delivery. Unless otherwise specifically agreed by Company, service provided to each Point of Delivery shall be separately metered and billed by Company and paid for by such Customer.
- (iii) Other Charges. In the event that any tax, fee, levy, surcharge, assessment, imposition or similar charge (other than a gross receipts tax or other charge included in the GRT Charge set forth above) is imposed or assessed by any taxing authority on Company or a Customer (but only to the extent that such charge is required to be collected by Company from the Customer and remitted to such taxing authority), which tax or other charge is identifiable to, or measured by a Customer's use, consumption, invoice, or purchase of products or services supplied or distributed by Company to a Customer (or the sale thereof by Company to a Customer), the Customer's rates and charges established in Section 19

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shall be increased by an amount equal to the amount necessary for Company to recover such charge(s) imposed or assessed on Company or which Company is required to collect. In the event that Company is required to collect any such charge or imposition imposed on a Customer, Company shall have no obligation at any time to reimburse such Customer for any such amount collected or any portion thereof.

- (iv) Governmental Authority or Insurance Company Mandated Changes or Modifications. Changes or modifications as mandated, from time to time, by any governmental authority or insurance company and required for Company to obtain or distribute steam for its Customers' needs are not a part of the Rate Schedule set forth in Section 19. In the event that Company must incur financial costs for compliance with such requirements, a prorated amount of the total expense from time to time outstanding will be applied by Company to each Mlbs of steam sold to Customers over a reasonable period so as to permit Company to recover the cost thereof
- (v) Mutually Agreed Charges. Upon the mutual agreement of a Tariff Customer and Company, Company may elect to provide assistance to such Customer in installing equipment and/or improvements to the Building related to the use of Company's products or service or the commencement of service to the Building. The type and amount of such assistance to be provided by Company, and the manner of repayment of such costs by Customer, if any, shall be set forth in a schedule (Schedule) mutually agreed to by the parties. In the event that Company shall provide such assistance, such Customer shall cooperate with Company and execute any instruments, certificates and other documents reasonably requested by Company in connection with providing such assistance, including but not limited to, any consents to assignment by Company of the obligation of such Customer under this Tariff or any part hereof, or of any revenues hereunder, including any amounts to be paid by such Customer pursuant to the Schedule, to any lender providing funds to Company for such assistance or other party.
  - F. Conditions to Receive and Maintain Service and Changes in Conditions.
- (i) A Tariff Customer's rights and Company's obligations under this Tariff are contingent on such Customer satisfying the Conditions to Receive Steam Distribution Service (hereinafter, *Conditions*) set forth below in Subparagraph F(ii). Each Tariff Customer agrees that Company may, with written notice to such Customer change the Conditions to the extent that Company reasonably determines that such changes are necessary for proper, efficient, and safe operation of Company's system, provided that such changes shall have effect on a prospective basis commencing thirty (30) days following the date of Company's written notice. All such changes shall, to the extent practicable, be applied uniformly and shall, on their effective date, automatically become effective without need for regulatory approval.
- (ii) Company shall use its best efforts to obtain and distribute steam to each Customer at sufficient pressure for each Customer's needs. Company shall use commercially reasonable efforts to provide each Customer with continuous steam distribution service, subject among other things, to the following Conditions:
  - (a) Each Customer shall give immediate notice to Company of any leakage or escape of steam.
  - (b) All repairs to or replacements of any Customer's piping and equipment shall be made promptly by the Customer at Customer's expense and shall not interfere with Company's ability to meet the service needs of its other Customers.
  - (c) Each Customer shall provide Company's duly authorized representatives with access at all reasonable times and to all of Company's property on the premises of the Customer and on all other premises which Customer may own or control for the purposes of meeting Company's service responsibilities to Customer and its other Customers.

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Company shall attempt to provide a Customer with reasonable notice prior to accessing such property provided that the access sought by Company is not related to an existing or impending emergency condition.

- (d) On or prior to the Service Commencement Date, Company shall furnish shut-off valves and cathodic protection isolation flanges when, in Company's judgment, such equipment is needed to efficiently and safely meet a Customer's service needs. Company shall also furnish the meter flow element, the meter proper and the necessary electronics and recorders and each Customer shall properly install such items. Each Customer shall provide to Company, at Customer's expense and at a location or locations Company determines to be suitable, 120-volt, 60-cycle, single-phase and reliable electricity supply. Each Customer shall also provide to Company, at Customer's expense and at a location or locations Company determines to be suitable, secure land phone line, Ethernet, LAN, cable or WAN access communications capability suitable to meet Company's metering, monitoring and data collection needs.
- (e) Each Customer shall provide the temperature control indicated for the control valves in accordance with Company's specifications.

#### G. Miscellaneous.

- (i) Company shall use all commercially reasonable efforts to secure and maintain all necessary permits, easements, ordinances, franchises, licenses and approvals over private and public property and any other approvals that may be required to operate its distribution system. Company and each Tariff Customer agree that all obligations of Company to perform under this Tariff are contingent upon and subject to securing and maintaining all such permits, easements, ordinances, franchises, licenses and approvals. Each Tariff Customer agrees to assist and cooperate with Company, and further agrees to permit the installation, operation, maintenance and replacement of service lines and valve pits within and on such Customer's property or within the Building, and hereby grants to Company, at no cost to Company, the right to access and use such property and Building for the purpose of performing the actions required or permitted by this Tariff. Company shall provide advance notice and coordinate the installation of such service lines and valve pits with each Tariff Customer.
- (ii) Except with regard to a Tariff Customer's obligation to make payment(s) due pursuant to this Tariff, neither party shall be liable to the other for failure to perform an obligation to the extent such failure was caused by Force Majeure. The term Force Majeure as employed herein means any cause not reasonably within the control of the party claiming the suspension as further defined herein. Force Majeure shall include, but not limited to the following: (1) physical events such as acts of God, landslides, lightning, earthquakes, fires, storms or storm warnings, such as hurricanes or tornadoes, which result in evacuation of the affected area, floods, washouts, explosions, breakage or accident or necessity of repairs to machinery, plant or equipment or lines or pipe; (2) weather related events affecting an entire geographic region, such as low temperatures which cause freezing of lines or pipes; (3) interruption or curtailment of steam supply to Company's distribution system; (4) acts of others such as strikes, lockouts, or other industrial disturbances, riots, sabotage, insurrections or wars; and (5) governmental action such as the necessity for compliance with any court order, law, statute, ordinance, regulation or policy having the effect of law promulgated by a governmental authority having jurisdiction. Each Tariff Customer and Company shall make reasonable efforts to avoid the adverse impacts of a Force Majeure and to resolve the event or occurrence once it has occurred in order to resume performance. Notwithstanding anything to the contrary herein, the settlement of strikes, lockouts or other industrial disturbances shall be within the sole discretion of the party experiencing such disturbance. The party whose performance is prevented by Force Majeure must provide prompt and reasonable notice to the other party. Initial notice may be given orally; however, written notice with reasonably full particulars of the event or occurrence is

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required as soon as reasonably possible. Upon providing written notice of Force Majeure to the other party, the affected party will be relieved of its obligation, from the onset of the Force Majeure event and to the extent and duration of Force Majeure.

- (iii) No waiver of breach of this Tariff shall be held to be a waiver of any other or subsequent breach. Each remedy available to a non-defaulting party shall be cumulative and in addition to any other remedy provided by law or in equity. The failure of either party to insist on strict performance of any provision under this Tariff, or to take advantage of any right hereunder, shall not be construed as a waiver of such provision or right. No single or partial exercise of any right, power or privilege shall preclude any other or future exercise thereof or the exercise of any other right, power or privilege. Any suspension or waiver of a default or other provision under this Tariff shall not suspend, waive or affect any other default or other provision under this Tariff, and shall not be construed as a bar to any right or remedy that a party would otherwise have had on any future occasion.
- (iv) Any claim or dispute involving a Tariff Customer shall be resolved in accordance with such process and procedures as permitted by applicable laws and regulations.
- (v) If Company has reasonable grounds for insecurity regarding a Tariff Customer's performance of any obligation under this Tariff (whether or not then due), including, without limitation, the occurrence of a material change in creditworthiness, Company shall have the right to require that Customer provide adequate assurance of performance and provide sufficient security in the form, amount and for the term reasonably acceptable to Company, including but not limited to a cash security deposit, a standby irrevocable letter of credit, a prepayment, a security interest in an asset or a performance bond or guaranty.
- (vi) Company shall not be liable for any loss, damage, expense (including reasonable attorney's fees), or claim for personal injury, death, property damage, or otherwise arising from Company's distribution of steam to the Point of Delivery pursuant to this Tariff unless such loss, damage, expense or claim is determined to be the direct result of Company's violation of its public utility obligations as determined in a final determination by the PUCO. Each Tariff Customer agrees to indemnify and hold Company harmless against any loss, damage, expense (including reasonable attorney's fees), or claim for personal injury, death, property damage, or otherwise arising from such Customer's receipt of steam at the Point of Delivery, such Customer's utilization of such steam and that Customer's return of water to Company's distribution system pursuant to this Tariff, to the extent such loss, damage, expense or claim is caused by negligence of such Customer, its employees, agents or tenants.

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#### 19. RATE SCHEDULE FOR DEFAULT DISTRICT STEAM SERVICE

A. <u>Consumption Rate</u>. The Consumption *Rate* described in the foregoing Section 18 shall be set at one and ten hundredths (1.10) times the authorized block rates contained in the Standard Contract. For the calendar year 2012, the Consumption Rate (applying the 1.10 multiplier) for Tariff Customers receiving District Steam Service shall be as set forth in the Monthly Consumption Rate Charge schedule below. Any charge specified below as having a zero value shall not apply. Any charge otherwise identified below or resulting from the foregoing Section 18 shall be in addition to the Consumption Rate Charge. If and when a change in the rate for Customers under Standard Contracts is authorized by the PUCO, all Tariff Customers shall be notified and the revised rates (at 1.10 times the new Standard Contract rates shall become effective for all Tariff Customers. Pursuant to Section 4905.31, Revised Code, when the PUCO authorizes a change to the Standard Contract rates, the Company shall file a revised Section 19 of this Tariff which will supersede this current Section and will conform the base rates to the level established by applying the process set forth above.

#### MONTHLY CONSUMPTION RATE CHARGE PER MLBS OF STEAM

| The first 500 Mlbs  | \$13.20 |
|---------------------|---------|
| The next 500 Mlbs   | \$10.45 |
| The next 2,000 Mlbs | \$ 9.35 |
| The next 2,000 Mlbs | \$ 8.25 |
| All over 5,000 Mlbs | \$ 5.50 |

From and after January 1, 2013 the Consumption Rate per Mlbs of steam set forth above shall be increased on each January 1 by a percentage equal to the greater of the Consumer Price Index-All Urban Consumers (CPI-AUC) published by the United States Bureau of Labor Statistics for the immediately preceding calendar year (or its equivalent, as determined in the sole discretion of the Company, if such CPI-AUC is no longer published) or 3.00%.

#### B. Purchased Steam Cost Recovery Charge.

Base Charge: \$14.61 per Mlbs consumed.

The Base Charge specified shall be adjusted up or down at least quarterly by Company to recover the delivered cost of steam purchased by Company to meet the steam needs of each Customer at the Point of Delivery and reconciled on Customers' Billing Period invoices over not less than three (3) Billing Periods to avoid abrupt adjustments and substantial swings or volatility in Customers' invoices but to ensure that the revenues obtained by Company match the Company's delivered cost of purchased steam. Company shall forecast its actual delivered cost of purchased steam on at least a quarterly basis, net of any prior period over or under recovery, and the Mlbs subject to the Purchased Steam Cost Recovery Charge and compute a new quarterly (or other period not to exceed a quarter) Purchased Steam Cost Recovery Charge based on such forecasts. The new Purchased Steam Cost Recovery Charge shall be computed by dividing the forecasted Mlbs subject to such Charge into the forecasted period's delivered cost of purchased steam net of any prior period over or under recovery. The Base Charge specified above shall be adjusted up or down for the forecasted period by the positive or negative difference between each newly computed Purchased Steam Cost Recovery Charge. Company shall notify each Customer of the as adjusted Purchased Steam Cost Recovery Charge thirty (30) days prior to the effective date of such Charge. Should events or circumstances (for example, significant market volatility in fuel costs or extreme weather conditions) indicate to Company that actual purchased steam costs or actual Mlbs subject to said Charge may be substantially different than the amounts forecasted, Company may adjust the Base Charge more frequently than quarterly.

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#### C. Late Charge.

Each Customer shall pay each invoice rendered by Company within fifteen (15) days of the date of the invoice. Any invoice unpaid in full by the thirtieth (30th) day after the invoice date shall be deemed late and subject to an additional charge of one and one-half percent (1.5%) per month multiplied by the balance not timely paid.

#### D. GRT Charge.

The total amount of all rates and charges shown on the invoice from Company to each Customer for each Billing Period shall be adjusted upward by .04986 (4.986 percent) to reflect the currently applicable taxes and other charges included in the GRT Charge as of the effective date of this Tariff to compute each total Billing Period invoice.

#### 20. SCHEDULE OF INCORPORATED RATE-RELATED PROVISIONS

This schedule incorporates: (1) the fuel adjustment rider schedule included as Original Sheet 16 in Company's P.U.C.O. No. 1 and 2 tariffs ("prior tariffs") of Cleveland Thermal Steam Distribution, LLC tariff ("prior tariff"); and (2) the base rate for steam heating service included as paragraph 6 of the standard contract attached as Appendix "A" to the prior tariff. The provisions hereby incorporated shall remain applicable only for those district steam agreements in effect on the effective date of this tariff which reference or incorporate any portion of either of such provisions and shall automatically lapse and become void and be of no effect when such district steam agreements either shall have been terminated in accordance with their terms or shall have been amended by the mutual agreement of the Company and a Customer to provide that the provisions of such agreements referencing or incorporating any portion of these provisions shall have been terminated.

#### A. Fuel Adjustment Rider.

The weighted average cost of fuel burned for central steam service for each month shall be ascertained by the Company and filed monthly with the PUCO. The rates in each of the Company's steam schedules in which this Schedule is applicable shall be increased for such month by \$0.00225 per 1,000 pounds of steam for each full 0.10 of the cost of fuel per million Btu.

The weighted average cost of fuel as used in the above shall include all direct costs incurred by the Company to place fuel, at the point of burning in the boilers at plants in which steam is generated for sale under this Tariff.

#### B. Base Rate for Steam Heating Service.

The Base Rate for Steam Heating Service shall be the Standard steam heating service rate, a sample of which is below:

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#### RATES PER MLB. OF STEAM

|                            | Effective 4/1/07 |
|----------------------------|------------------|
| The first 250 Mlbs         | \$11.92          |
| The next 250 Mlbs          | 10.36            |
| The next 500 Mlbs          | 9.69             |
| The next 2,000 Mlbs        | 9.02             |
| The next 2,000 Mlbs        | 8.02             |
| All excess over 5,000 Mlbs | 5.84             |

The rate per 1,000 lbs. of steam reflected in this paragraph for each of the usage blocks set forth above will be increased on April 1, 2007 by 3%, and on January  $1^{st}$  of each year thereafter; in year two, three and four the increase will be 3%, and in year five 3%, plus  $1^{-1}/2^{-1}$ %, rounded to two decimal places.

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#### APPENDIX A

## STANDARD STEAM SUPPLY AND DISTRIBUTION AGREEMENT

#### **BY AND BETWEEN**

CLEVELAND THERMAL STEAM DISTRIBUTION, LLCINC.

**AND** 

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### STANDARD STEAM SUPPLY AND DISTRIBUTION AGREEMENT

| This Standard Steam Sup       | ply and Distribution Agreement               | t (hereinafter, the Agreement) is entered |
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| into as of the1st day of      | <u>,                                    </u> | with a notice address of                  |
|                               | (hereinafter, the Customer) ar               | d CLEVELAND THERMAL STEAM                 |
| DISTRIBUTION, LLC, INC., loca | ated at 1921 Hamilton Avenue,                | Cleveland, Ohio 44114 (hereinafter, the   |
| Company).                     |  |   |

WHEREAS, Company is a district energy company engaged in the business of distributing steam and hot water to owners of buildings located in certain areas of the City of Cleveland, Ohio (hereinafter, the *City*) in accordance with reasonable arrangements or tariff schedules (*Tariff*) filed with the Public Utilities Commission of Ohio (hereinafter, *PUCO*); and

WHEREAS, Customer is the owner of a certain Building, as defined herein, located in the City and desires that Company obtain for and distribute processed steam to Customer to meet Customer's heating and other energy needs for the Building.

**NOW THEREFORE**, in consideration of the mutual promises hereinafter set forth and other good and valuable consideration, the receipt and sufficiency of which are hereby acknowledged, and subject to the terms and provisions hereof, Company and Customer, intending to be legally bound, agree as follows:

#### 1. GENERAL PERFORMANCE OBLIGATIONS

- Subject to the more specific identification of Customer's requirements set forth herein, A. Company shall obtain for and distribute to Customer and Customer shall receive from Company's existing distribution system at the Point of Delivery (as specified in accordance with this Agreement) the total steam and heating requirements of the building or premises identified on Appendix A attached hereto and incorporated herein by reference (hereinafter, the *Building*). However, this Agreement does not obligate Company to provide uninterrupted service to Customer and Customer acknowledges, by executing this Agreement, that Customer's service may be interrupted or discontinued by Company when Company cannot maintain service through commercially reasonable measures. Company reserves the right, upon reasonable advance notice to Customer, to interrupt the supply of steam to enable Company to make, or cause to be made, any necessary repairs or connections to its steam supply or distribution system or mains. In general, Company intends to give Customer twenty-four (24) hours advance notice but, in the event of an emergency, Company will give Customer as much advance notice as practical. Company shall also provide Customer with periodic invoices stating the charges Customer owes Company for service provided under this Agreement and, notwithstanding any other provision in this Agreement, Company may discontinue service under this Agreement in the event that Customer has not made full payment for any Billing Period (as defined below) invoice within the period specified in Paragraph 5.A below. Company shall furnish, install, own and maintain, at its expense, isolation valves and such metering equipment as it deems appropriate to measure the steam distributed to Customer.
- B. Customer shall be responsible for all provisions of Sections 1 through 17, inclusive, of Company's Tariff (except to the extent inconsistent with the provisions of this Agreement), including all amendments, supplements and replacements of any thereof, in addition to the terms and conditions of this Agreement. Customer shall pay all costs of connecting the Building to Company's steam mains (exclusive of the currently existing connection) and shall use commercially reasonable efforts to receive steam from Company's distribution system for the

Building, meet the conditions established by Company to receive steam and distribution service from Company and timely pay Company for service provided pursuant to this Agreement. Upon Company's reasonable request and at no cost to Company, Customer shall provide adequate space and any interest in real property reasonably suitable to Company on Customer's property and within the Building to permit Company to meet its initial and ongoing service obligations under this Agreement or otherwise and shall allow Company reasonable access thereto at all reasonable times or at any time in the event of an emergency. By executing this Agreement, Customer authorizes Customer's property manager, any Building manager or such other person that may have the ability to do so, to permit Company to enter the Building for the purpose of performing this Agreement. By executing this Agreement, Customer acknowledges that it is solely responsible for establishing and maintaining such facilities, pumps and other equipment as may be required to redistribute steam within the Building and to install and operate such equipment, plant and facilities as may reasonably be necessary to avoid the actions or inactions of Customer, its tenants and other occupants of the Building from negatively affecting Company's ability to safely and adequately meet the needs of its other customers. Upon request, Customer shall furnish Company with information that is sufficient to demonstrate that Customer has installed plant, facilities, and equipment and implemented operating procedures to avoid imposing pressure-related shocks on Company's distribution system. Beyond such steam redistribution as Customer may need to perform to meet the steam and heating needs within the Building, Customer shall not redistribute steam, with or without a charge to the receiving party, for any other purpose without prior written consent of Company. Unless otherwise specifically agreed to by Company, Customer shall design, own, construct, install, operate and maintain, at its own expense, piping necessary to receive steam from Company at the Point of Delivery.

- C. Each party shall, respectively, design, construct, install, operate and maintain its plant, facilities, equipment and piping in an efficient, safe and reliable manner so that the purpose of this Agreement may be fulfilled. Prior to commencing service under this Agreement and throughout the Term, as defined below, Company shall have the right, but not the duty, to inspect, review and approve the connection of Customer's equipment and piping to Company's steam distribution system. Company's right of inspection shall in no way impose a duty or liability on Company with respect to the lawful, safe or proper operation of Customer's equipment and piping. By executing this Agreement, Customer represents to Company that it is not relying upon Company's expertise or knowledge in connection with the design or operation of Customer's equipment and the redistribution or use of steam within the Building.
- D. Throughout the Term, the utility steam service provided by Company shall be the sole source of Customer's space heating energy requirements for the Building and the sole source of steam service to the Building.

#### 2. TERM OF AGREEMENT AND EARLY TERMINATION

- A. The initial term of this Agreement (such initial term, together with any extension or renewal thereof, the *Term*) shall commence on the *Service Commencement Date*, which for purposes of this Agreement shall be the date identified in Appendix A attached hereto and incorporated herein by reference, and shall terminate on the initial termination date set forth in Appendix B, attached hereto and incorporated herein by reference, unless sooner terminated pursuant to the provisions hereof.
- B. At the end of the initial term, this Agreement shall be renewed or extended as set forth in Appendix B.

- C. Customer may cancel or terminate this Agreement prior to the end of the Term only as set forth in Appendix B.
- Company may terminate this Agreement upon fifteen (15) days prior written notice to D. Customer in the event of any default by Customer, which default continues for a period of more than fifteen (15) days following a written demand by Company to cure such default. Any cure right that Customer may have pursuant to this Paragraph shall not extend to any default that arises as a result of Customer's failure to make timely payment. In the event of such termination, Customer shall pay to Company a cancellation charge equal to the sum of: (1) eight dollars (\$8.00) times the last twelve (12) Billing Periods invoiced steam use measured in 1,000s of pounds (Mlbs), (2) all costs incurred by Company in disconnecting the Building from Company's steam distribution system; and (3) an amount equal to all amounts, if any, due with respect to any unpaid or unamortized costs from the date of termination to the end of the amortization period as shown on any then current Schedule, as defined below, with interest thereon as may be set forth in the Schedule or as otherwise determined by Company. This cancellation charge shall be in addition to any other damages incurred by Company as a result of Customer's default, including reasonable attorneys' fees and lost profits, and Company reserves the right to seek such damages from Customer. In lieu of terminating the Agreement upon a default by Customer, Company shall have the right, and may elect, in its sole discretion, to discontinue or suspend service to Customer and the Building upon the giving of such notice as may then be required by law (or upon fifteen (15) days prior written notice if no notice is then required by law). In the event that Company suspends or discontinues service pursuant to this Paragraph, Company reserves the right to seek damages from Customer to compensate Company for all losses, costs, damages and expenses, including reasonable attorneys' fees and lost profits, suffered by Company as a result of Customer's default.
- In the event of any suspension or discontinuance of service or cancellation of the Agreement, (i) pursuant to Paragraph D above, or (ii) by Customer pursuant to any right under Appendix B, or (iii) as a result of the end of the Term, Company shall discontinue providing steam and distribution services hereunder, and Customer shall provide Company with such access to Customer's Building and property as Company may reasonably request to remove Company's plant, equipment, facilities and piping, if any. Customer's obligation to provide Company with such access for the purpose of removing such equipment and piping shall survive the termination of this Agreement for so long as Company may reasonably require to remove such equipment and piping. When district steam service has been disconnected for any reason covered by Paragraph D above, a reconnection charge of Two Hundred Fifty Dollars (\$250.00) plus the actual labor and materials cost to reconnect will be required if the former Customer requests reconnection, but Company shall be under no obligation to reconnect such Customer unless such Customer, prior to any reconnection, has paid all outstanding indebtedness in full to Company and has provided any security required by Company and, in addition, in the event of the applicability of Subparagraph 10(a)(ii) of the Tariff, has paid the Company an investigation fee of One Hundred Dollars (\$100) plus the actual costs of such investigation (if Company has undertaken an investigation of the matter) plus, further, an amount estimated by the Company to be reasonable compensation for the service fraudulently or illegally obtained and not paid for and for any damage to the property of Company, including any costs to repair any damage or tampering.
- F. By executing this Agreement, Customer assents to Company's receipt, in advance, of any such regulatory authority as Company may need to suspend, discontinue, cancel or terminate service pursuant to this Agreement either at the end of the Term of this Agreement or upon early cancellation.

- G. All obligations of Customer that arose prior to the cancellation of this Agreement, including, without limitation, the obligation to pay in full any cancellation charge and any unpaid invoices plus late charges for service provided by Company prior to cancellation, shall survive the cancellation or termination of this Agreement. No eminent domain or condemnation proceedings with respect to the Building's premises shall relieve Customer of its obligations hereunder.
- H. By executing this Agreement, Customer acknowledges that Company's service obligations pursuant to this Agreement involve the incurrence of fixed costs associated with long-lived assets and that cancellation charges specified herein are designed to require Customer to provide Company with sufficient revenue upon early termination to approximate Customer's just and reasonable contribution of a return of and return on the capital invested to make service available pursuant to this Agreement. Customer and Company have agreed to the cancellation charges with the understanding that the calculation of the actual fixed costs incurred by Company to meet Customer's service needs is subject to judgment and assumptions, as it is in any situation involving network utility service and costs incurred to meet the needs in common of multiple customers, and that the method of computing the cancellation charges set forth is this Agreement is appropriate and reasonable.
- I. If at any time a local regulatory authority, other regulatory authority, or Company judges that Customer's plant or equipment may be unsafe, Company may withhold or discontinue service until Customer has completed corrective actions and the actual or potential unsafe condition has been eliminated. Except in the case of an emergency, Company will attempt to provide Customer with reasonable notice prior to discontinuing or suspending service due to an unsafe condition.

#### 3. INSTALLATION OF EQUIPMENT

- A. Company shall design, locate, own, construct and install, at its own expense, all equipment and piping (except for such equipment and piping required to be paid for by Customer pursuant to Paragraph 1.B above) necessary for Customer to receive steam from Company at the Point of Delivery in such amounts as may be reasonably required to meet Customer's heating needs as specified herein.
- B. If the Point of Delivery is located within the Building or other structure, then Customer shall provide Company with suitable pipe penetrations through the Building's or structure's wall or foundation or other improvements to provide for suitable space for the installation and maintenance of Company's piping, metering and other plant, facilities or equipment associated with the provision of service to Customer. However, upon Customer's request, Company may elect, in its sole discretion, to install, on behalf of Customer, such pipe penetrations or other improvements for Customer, provided that Customer's request for Company to act in such capacity on behalf of Customer shall obligate Customer to hold Company harmless from any claim or liability arising from Company's actions and provided that Customer first properly executes and delivers to Company the form of release attached hereto as Appendix 3, the terms and provisions of which, if and when executed and delivered, shall automatically be incorporated into this Agreement. Any costs incurred by Company in undertaking such installation shall be subject to the provisions of Paragraph 5.E below.

#### 4. STEAM USAGE

The initial amount of steam estimated to be needed for Customer's annual use under this Agreement shall be the amount identified in Appendix A attached hereto and incorporated herein (hereinafter, the *Estimated Usage*). In order to assist Company with steam acquisition and distribution capacity

planning efforts, Customer shall notify Company of any anticipated changes in Customer's Estimated Usage promptly at such time and from time to time as such Estimated Usage is anticipated to change. By executing this Agreement, Customer acknowledges that failure to provide Company with information identifying anticipated changes in Customer's Estimated Usage may negatively affect Company's ability to timely obtain and distribute sufficient steam to meet Customer's needs.

#### 5. RATES, CHARGES AND BILLING

- A. (1) Customer shall be billed by Company on a billing cycle basis (herein, the *Billing Period*) with approximately twelve (12) Billing Periods in each calendar year and each Billing Period approximating one service month. Company's invoices shall be based on the rates, charges and fees stated herein as applied to Customer's billing determinants during the Billing Period. Customer shall pay Company's invoice within fifteen (15) days of the invoice date. Any invoice unpaid in full within thirty (30) days of the invoice date shall be deemed late and subject to an additional charge of one and one-half percent (1.5%) per month multiplied by the balance not timely paid or two dollars (\$2.00), whichever is higher.
- B.(2) Company's invoice for service supplied to Customer pursuant to this Agreement shall include the following:
  - (i) Consumption Rate. The Consumption Rate shall be the rate charged to Customer for its metered consumption of steam for each Billing Period as set forth in Appendix 1 hereto and shall be multiplied by the total number of Mlbs of steam distributed to Customer by Company during the Billing Period.
  - (ii) Purchased Steam Cost Recovery Charge. The Purchased Steam Cost Recovery Charge shall recover the dollar-for-dollar delivered cost of the steam which Company purchases to meet Customer's steam requirements at the Point of Delivery. The Purchased Steam Cost Recovery Charge shall be adjusted and reconciled periodically based on such delivered cost in accordance with the formula specified in Appendix 1 and multiplied, as adjusted on a bills rendered basis, to the total number of Mlbs of steam distributed to Customer by Company during each Billing Period.
  - (iii) *GRT Charge*. The total amount of all rates and charges shown on each Billing Period invoice shall be adjusted upwards by a *GRT Charge* specified in Appendix 1. The value of the GRT Charge shall be specified as a percentage calculated so as to permit the billing and collection of incremental revenue sufficient for Company to recover the amount of any gross receipts, sales or other charges to which Company may, from time to time, be subject under the laws and regulations of the State of Ohio or other taxing authority, excluding taxes imposed on net income by federal, state and other taxing authorities. Company shall have the right to amend the GRT Charge from time to time to account for changes in the taxes imposed by the applicable taxing authorities.
  - (iv) Regulatory Recovery Charge. In the event that Company incurs any cost or charge as described in Paragraph D below, the prorated amount determined in accordance with such Paragraph shall be included on Customer's invoice for each Billing Period as a Regulatory Recovery Charge.
  - (v) Late Charge. Company shall render invoices to Customer for service for each Billing Period and such invoices shall be due and payable when issued by Company. The

Late Charge shall be equal to the monthly interest rate specified above times the balance not timely paid or two dollars (\$2.00), whichever is higher.

- B. *Metering and Billing*. Company shall install metering equipment sufficient to measure Customer's usage of steam and to bill and collect for service provided by Company pursuant to this Agreement. Such metering equipment shall permit Company to measure and, over time, record steam flow and convert this relationship to Mlbs. No person, except a duly authorized employee or agent of Company, shall be authorized herein to alter, tamper or interfere with the operation of any Company meter, or its connections, regulators or any other item of plant, facilities or equipment furnished by Company. In the event of an emergency, Customer may operate stop valves and meter stop valves provided that such operation is warranted based on emergency conditions, Customer notifies Company of such operation as quickly as possible, the operation is limited to the duration of the emergency and provided that the emergency does not arise after Company has discontinued or suspended service to Customer.
  - (i) A meter shall be deemed accurate if it is measuring within three percent (3%), more or less, of actual quantities. When a meter fails to accurately register the quantity of steam consumed or returned, Company will change or repair the meter and invoice Customer for the relevant Billing Period(s) based on either of the following methods:
    - a. Estimates of the steam consumed on the basis of past usage during a similar period and under similar conditions; or
    - b. Estimates of the steam consumed on the basis of usage registered by the new or repaired meter during a subsequent period.
  - (ii) Company may inspect and maintain its metering equipment located within the Building, as Company may determine to be reasonably necessary. In the event Customer believes that the meters located within the Building are not operating properly, Customer may request, in writing, a test of the meters whereupon Company shall conduct a test upon the meters located in the Building, in Customer's presence if desired by Customer. If the results of such test show that the meters are inaccurate, then Company shall bear the costs of such test and shall either repair or replace the defective meters at its own expense. If the results of such test show that the meters are accurate, Customer shall bear the costs of such test. Customer and Company agree to negotiate in good faith the amount of any billing adjustment, if any, made by Company as a result of any meter test, whether such adjustment would result in payments by, or credits issued to, Customer.
  - (iii) Company may, at its option, estimate Billing Period invoices. Differences between estimated bills and actual amounts due for the Billing Period(s) subject to estimated invoices shall be reconciled in the first subsequent invoice that is based on actual meter data. In no event shall Company estimate meter readings for more than three (3) consecutive months unless it is unable to read Customer's meter for reasons beyond Company's control.
  - (iv) Upon request by Customer, Company may, in its discretion, provide Customer with one or more additional Points of Delivery. Unless otherwise specifically agreed by Company, service provided to each Point of Delivery shall be separately metered and billed separately by Company and paid for by Customer.

- C. Other Charges. In the event that any tax, fee, levy, surcharge, assessment, imposition or similar charge (other than a gross receipts tax or other charge included in the GRT Charge set forth above) is imposed or assessed by any taxing authority on Company or Customer (but only to the extent that such charge is required to be collected by Company from Customer and remitted to such taxing authority), which tax or other charge is identifiable to, or measured by Customer's use, consumption, invoice, or purchase of products or services supplied or distributed by Company to Customer (or the sale thereof by Company to Customer), the Customer's rates and charges established herein shall be increased by an amount equal to the amount necessary for Company to recover such charge(s) imposed or assessed on Company or which Company is required to collect. In the event that Company is required to collect any such charge or imposition imposed on Customer, Company shall have no obligation at any time to reimburse Customer for any such amount collected or any portion thereof.
- D. Governmental Authority or Insurance Company Mandated Changes or Modifications. Changes or modifications as mandated, from time to time, by any governmental authority or insurance company and required for Company to obtain or distribute steam for its customers' needs are not a part of this Agreement. In the event that Company must incur financial costs for compliance with such requirements, a prorated amount of the total expense from time to time outstanding will be applied by Company to each Mlbs of steam sold to customers over a reasonable period so as to permit Company to recover the cost thereof.
- E. Mutually Agreed Charges. Upon the mutual agreement of the parties hereto, Company may elect to provide assistance to Customer in installing equipment and/or improvements to the Building related to the use of Company's products or service or the commencement of service to the Building. The type and amount of such assistance to be provided by Company, and the manner of repayment of such costs by Customer, if any, shall be set forth in a supplemental schedule to Appendix 4 to this Agreement (Schedule) mutually agreed to by the parties and attached to this Agreement. In the event that Company shall provide such assistance, Customer shall cooperate with Company and execute any instruments, certificates and other documents reasonably requested by Company in connection with providing such assistance, including but not limited to, any consents to assignment by Company of this Agreement or any part hereof, or of any revenues hereunder, including any amounts to be paid by Customer pursuant to the Schedule, to any lender providing funds to Company for such assistance or other party.

# 6. CONDITIONS TO RECEIVE AND MAINTAIN SERVICE AND CHANGES IN CONDITIONS

Customer's rights and Company's obligations under this Agreement are contingent on Customer satisfying the Conditions to Receive Steam Distribution Service (hereinafter, *Conditions*) attached hereto as Appendix 2 and incorporated herein. Customer agrees that Company may, with written notice to Customer, change the Conditions to the extent that Company reasonably determines that such changes are necessary for proper, efficient, and safe operation of Company's system, provided that such changes shall have effect on a prospective basis commencing thirty (30) days following the date of Company's written notice. All such changes shall, to the extent practicable, be applied uniformly and shall, on their effective date, automatically become a part of this Agreement without need for Customer and Company to formally execute an amendment or otherwise modify this Agreement.

#### 7. MISCELLANEOUS

A. <u>Permits</u>. Company shall use all commercially reasonable efforts to secure and maintain all necessary permits, easements, ordinances, franchises, licenses and approvals over private and

public property and any other approvals that may be required to operate its distribution system. Company and Customer agree that all obligations of Company to perform under this Agreement are contingent upon and subject to securing and maintaining all such permits, easements, ordinances, franchises, licenses and approvals; otherwise, unless specifically agreed to by the parties hereto in writing, this Agreement shall terminate and neither party shall have any further obligation hereunder. Customer agrees to assist and cooperate with Company, and further agrees to permit the installation, operation, maintenance and replacement of service lines and valve pits within and on Customer's property or within the Building, and hereby grants to Company, at no cost to Company, the right to access and use such property and Building for the purpose of performing the actions required or permitted by this Agreement. Company shall provide advance notice and coordinate the installation of such service lines and valve pits with Customer.

- Force Majeure. Except with regard to Customer's obligation to make payment(s) due pursuant to this Agreement, neither party shall be liable to the other for failure to perform an obligation to the extent such failure was caused by Force Majeure. The term Force Majeure as employed herein means any cause not reasonably within the control of the party claiming the suspension as further defined herein. Force Majeure shall include, but not limited to the following: (1) physical events such as acts of God, landslides, lightning, earthquakes, fires, storms or storm warnings, such as hurricanes or tornadoes, which result in evacuation of the affected area, floods, washouts, explosions, breakage or accident or necessity of repairs to machinery, plant or equipment or lines or pipe; (2) weather related events affecting an entire geographic region, such as low temperatures which cause freezing of lines or pipes; (3) interruption or curtailment of steam supply to Company's distribution system; (4) acts of others such as strikes, lockouts, or other industrial disturbances, riots, sabotage, insurrections or wars; and (5) governmental action such as the necessity for compliance with any court order, law, statute, ordinance, regulation or policy having the effect of law promulgated by a governmental authority having jurisdiction. Customer and Company shall make reasonable efforts to avoid the adverse impacts of a Force Majeure and to resolve the event or occurrence once it has occurred in order to resume performance. Notwithstanding anything to the contrary herein, the parties agree that the settlement of strikes, lockouts or other industrial disturbances shall be within the sole discretion of the party experiencing such disturbance. The party whose performance is prevented by Force Majeure must provide prompt and reasonable notice to the other party. Initial notice may be given orally; however, written notice with reasonably full particulars of the event or occurrence is required as soon as reasonably possible. Upon providing written notice of Force Majeure to the other party, the affected party will be relieved of its obligation, from the onset of the Force Majeure event and to the extent and duration of Force Majeure.
- C. <u>Assignment</u>. This Agreement shall inure to the benefit of and be binding upon the parties' respective successors and assigns; provided, however, that any assignment by Customer of this Agreement or any rights hereunder shall be void and of no effect and Customer shall not be relieved of its obligations and liabilities hereunder, except as set forth in the following sentence. If there occurs any act (by a transfer of assets, stock or other equity interests, long term lease, management or operating agreement, or otherwise) whereby a third party (*Assignee*) acquires the right to control the Building or its operations, Customer may assign this Agreement and be relieved of its obligations and liabilities hereunder for any obligations not having theretofore accrued only if (i) Customer and such Assignee execute, respectively, assignment and assumption agreements substantially in the forms set forth in Exhibits A and B hereto or as otherwise satisfactory to Company in its sole discretion, and (ii) Company approves such assignment and the creditworthiness of such Assignee, which approval shall not be unreasonably withheld or delayed after being given reasonable notice of such assignment and evidence of such creditworthiness. Company may assign this Agreement upon giving not less than thirty (30) days prior written notice

to Customer of its intent to make such assignment. Except in any instance in which the assignment shall be a collateral assignment in favor of a secured lender, any such assignment shall relieve Company of all its obligations under this Agreement provided that Company obtains any such regulatory approvals for such assignment as may be required. Customer agrees that, at any time and from time to time, it will promptly and duly execute and deliver any and all such further instruments and documents and take such further action as Company may reasonably request in writing in order to evidence Customer's acknowledgment of such assignment by Company and to implement the provisions of this Paragraph. This Agreement does not, and shall not be construed as to confer any rights of a third party beneficiary upon any person or entity.

- D. <u>Estoppel Certificate</u>. Customer and Company agree, upon the written request of the other party, to execute and deliver to the other party, or to such person or entity as may be designated by the other party, a certificate which: (i) identifies this Agreement and any amendments and states that this Agreement as so amended is in full force and effect and has not been further amended as of the date of such certificate; (ii) specifies the date through which amounts owing under this Agreement have been paid; and (iii) states that, to the best of the knowledge of the party delivering such certificate, neither Company nor Customer are in default of any of its respective obligations under this Agreement (or, if any such default is claimed, identifying the same).
- E. <u>Entire Agreement</u>. This Agreement, including all attachments hereto, sets forth all the understandings, either oral or otherwise, between the parties relating to the subject matter hereof and any prior understandings, contracts or agreements between the parties with respect to such subject matter are superseded by this Agreement. Except as otherwise specified herein, this Agreement may be amended only by a writing executed by both parties. The headings and subheadings contained in this Agreement are used solely for convenience and do not constitute a part of this Agreement and shall not be used to construe or interpret the provisions of this Agreement.
- F. <u>Severability</u>. If any provision in this Agreement is deemed to be invalid, void or unenforceable by any court or other tribunal having jurisdiction, such determination shall not invalidate, void, or make unenforceable any other provision of this Agreement and this Agreement shall automatically be modified or reformed to give effect to all remaining provisions hereof.
- G. <u>Waiver</u>. No waiver of breach of this Agreement shall be held to be a waiver of any other or subsequent breach.
- H. <u>Governing Law</u>. The interpretation and performance of this Agreement shall be governed by the laws of Ohio excluding, however, any conflict of laws rule which would apply the law of another jurisdiction.
- I. <u>Authority</u>. Each party to this Agreement represents that it has full and complete authority to enter into and perform this Agreement. Each person who executes this Agreement on behalf of either party represents and warrants that he, she or it has full and complete authority to do so and such party will be bound thereby.
- J. <u>Notices</u>. All notices, demands, requests, reports, invoices and statements provided for in this Agreement shall be made in writing and sent by facsimile or mutually acceptable electronic means, a nationally recognized overnight courier service, hand delivered, or by regular mail addressed as follows:

To Company:

Cleveland Thermal Steam Distribution, LLCINC.

1921 Hamilton Avenue
Cleveland, Ohio 44114
Attention: President
Fax: 216-241-6486

To Customer:

or to such other address and person as either party may, from time to time, notify the other in writing delivered to the address stated above. Notice will be given when received on a business day by the addressee. In the absence of proof of the actual receipt date, the following presumptions will apply. Notices sent by facsimile or other electronic means shall be deemed to have been received upon the sending party's receipt of its facsimile or other machine's confirmation of successful transmission. If the day on which such facsimile or other electronic transmission is received is not a business day or is after five p.m. on a business day, then the notice shall be deemed to have been received on the next following business day. Notice by overnight mail or courier shall be deemed to have been received on the business day after it was sent or such earlier or later time as is confirmed by the receiving party. Notice via regular mail shall be considered delivered five (5) business days after mailing.

- K. Remedies Cumulative. Each remedy under this Agreement shall be cumulative and in addition to any other remedy provided by law or in equity. The failure of either party to insist on strict performance of any provision under this Agreement, or to take advantage of any right hereunder, shall not be construed as a waiver of such provision or right. No single or partial exercise of any right, power or privilege hereunder shall preclude any other or future exercise thereof or the exercise of any other right, power or privilege. Any suspension or waiver of a default or other provision under this Agreement shall not suspend, waive or affect any other default or other provision under this Agreement, and shall not be construed as a bar to any right or remedy that a party would otherwise have had on any future occasion.
- L. <u>No Warranty</u>. Except as expressly stated herein, Company makes no warranties or representations, express or implied, as to any matter whatsoever related to the interconnection or performance of the district steam system to Customer's Building including the design, capacity, efficiency and operation thereof.
- M. <u>Arbitration</u>. Any claim or dispute involving an amount in controversy less than \$250,000 that arises out of or related to this Agreement or any breach thereof, shall be resolved by arbitration in accordance with the rules of the American Arbitration Association and judgment upon the award rendered by the arbitrators may be entered in any court having jurisdiction thereof. Any arbitration shall be conducted in Cleveland, Ohio. Reasonable discovery shall be permitted in any such arbitration, subject to the control of the arbitrators, and shall include, but not be limited to, depositions of the parties and production of documents. Claims or disputes involving an amount in controversy in excess of \$250,000 may be resolved by arbitration, but only at the election of the parties at the time of the dispute.
- N. <u>Security</u>. If Company has reasonable grounds for insecurity regarding Customer's performance of any obligation under this Agreement (whether or not then due), including, without limitation, the occurrence of a material change in creditworthiness, Company shall have the right

to require that Customer provide adequate assurance of performance and provide sufficient security in the form, amount and for the term reasonably acceptable to Company, including but not limited to a cash security deposit, a standby irrevocable letter of credit, a prepayment, a security interest in an asset or a performance bond or guaranty.

- O. <u>Indemnity</u>. Company agrees to indemnify and hold Customer harmless against any loss, damage, expense (including reasonable attorney's fees), or claim for personal injury, death, property damage, or otherwise arising from Company's distribution of steam to the Point of Delivery pursuant to this Agreement to the extent such loss, damage, expense or claim is determined to be the direct result of Company's violation of its public utility obligations as determined in a final determination by the PUCO. Customer agrees to indemnify and hold Company harmless against any loss, damage, expense (including reasonable attorney's fees), or claim for personal injury, death, property damage, or otherwise arising from Customer's receipt of steam at the Point of Delivery, Customer's utilization of such steam and Customer's return of water to Company's distribution system pursuant to this Agreement, to the extent such loss, damage, expense or claim is caused by negligence of Customer, its employees, agents or tenants.
- LIMITATION OF DAMAGES. FOR BREACH OF ANY PROVISION FOR WHICH AN EXPRESS REMEDY OR MEASURE OF DAMAGES IS PROVIDED, SUCH EXPRESS REMEDY OR MEASURE OF DAMAGES SHALL BE THE SOLE AND EXCLUSIVE REMEDY. A PARTY'S LIABILITY HEREUNDER SHALL BE LIMITED AS SET FORTH IN SUCH PROVISION, AND ALL OTHER REMEDIES AT LAW OR IN EQUITY ARE WAIVED. IF NO REMEDY OR MEASURE OF DAMAGES IS EXPRESSLY PROVIDED HEREIN, A PARTY'S LIABILITY SHALL BE LIMITED TO DIRECT ACTUAL DAMAGES ONLY. SUCH DIRECT AND ACTUAL DAMAGES SHALL BE THE SOLE AND EXCLUSIVE REMEDY, AND ALL OTHER REMEDIES OR DAMAGES AT LAW OR IN EQUITY ARE WAIVED. UNLESS EXPRESSLY HEREIN PROVIDED, NEITHER PARTY SHALL BE LIABLE FOR CONSEQUENTIAL, INCIDENTAL, PUNITIVE, EXEMPLARY OR INDIRECT DAMAGES OR BUSINESS INTERRUPTION DAMAGES, BY STATUTE, IN TORT OR CONTRACT, UNDER ANY INDEMNITY PROVISION OR OTHERWISE. IT IS THE INTENT TO THE PARTIES THAT THE LIMITATIONS HEREIN IMPOSED ON REMDIES AND THE MEASURE OF DAMAGES IS WITHOUT REGARD TO THE CAUSE OR CAUSES RELATED THERETO, INCLUDING THE NEGLIGENCE OF ANY PARTY, WHETHER SUCH NEGLIGENCE IS SOLE, JOINT OR CONCURRENT, OR ACTIVE OR PASSIVE. TO THE EXTENT THAT ANY DAMAGES REQUIRED TO BE PAID HEREUNDER ARE LIQUIDATED, THE PARTIES ACKNOWLEDGE THAT THE DAMAGES ARE DIFFICULT OR IMPOSSIBLE TO DETERMINE, OR OTHERWISE OBTAINING AN ADEQUATE REMEDY IS INCONVENIENT AND THE DAMAGES CALCULATED HEREUNDER CONSTITUTE A REASONABLE APPROXIMATION OF THE HARM OR LOSS.

**IN WITNESS WHEREOF**, the parties have executed this Agreement by their duly authorized officers as of the date first above written.

| Cu  | STOMER:  |
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| By: | Name:  |
|     | Title:   |
|     | Phone:   |
|     | Fax:   |
| Co  | MPANY: CLEVELAND THERMAL STEAM DISTRIBUTION, LLCINC. |
| By: |  |
|     | Name: Marc Divis                                     |
|     | Title: President                                     |
|     | Phone: 216-241-4274                                  |
|     | Fax: 216-241-6486                                    |

# APPENDICES & EXHIBITS

# APPENDIX A

# THE BUILDING

- 1. Description of the Building
- 2. Service Commencement Date: Date of the Agreement
- 3. Estimate Usage:

#### APPENDIX B

#### TERM AND CUSTOMER TERMINATION

The provisions of this Appendix B supplement the foregoing Agreement and are incorporated therein. Defined terms used in this Appendix but not defined herein shall have the same meanings as set forth in the Agreement, unless the context clearly requires otherwise.

#### INITIAL TERMINATION DATE

The initial term shall terminate on December 31, 2025.

#### RENEWAL

At the end of the initial term, the Agreement shall automatically renew for one five (5) year period, unless either party provides to the other party not less than six (6) months prior written notice to the contrary.

#### EARLY TERMINATION BY CUSTOMER

Customer may cancel the Agreement at any time by providing the Company with written notice at least twelve (12) months prior to the effective date of such cancellation and by making, no later than fifteen (15) days after the effective date of the termination of the Agreement, a lump sum early cancellation charge payment to Company equal to the sum of: (1) eight dollars (\$8.00) times the last twelve (12) months invoiced steam use measured in Mlbs, (2) all costs incurred by Company in disconnecting the Building from Company's steam distribution system; and (3) an amount equal to all amounts, if any, due with respect to unpaid or unamortized costs from the date of termination to the end of the amortization period as shown on any then current Schedule, with interest thereon as may be set forth in the Schedule or as otherwise determined by Company. Such early cancellation charge shall be in addition to the charges for service received by Customer to the date of termination.

#### RATE SCHEDULE FOR STEAM SUPPLY AND DISTRIBUTION SERVICE

Steam Service. Under the foregoing Agreement the *Consumption Rate* shall be as set forth in the Monthly Consumption Rate Charge schedule below. Any charge specified below as having a zero value shall not apply. Any charge otherwise identified below or resulting from the foregoing Agreement shall be in addition to the Consumption Rate Charge. Defined terms used in this Appendix but not defined herein shall have the meanings set forth in the foregoing Agreement unless the context clearly requires otherwise.

# MONTHLY CONSUMPTION RATE CHARGE PER MLBS OF STEAM

| The first 500 Mlbs  | \$13.50 |
|---------------------|---------|
| The next 500 Mlbs   | \$10.69 |
| The next 2,000 Mlbs | \$ 9.57 |
| The next 2,000 Mlbs | \$ 8.45 |
| All over 5,000 Mlbs | \$ 5.62 |

From and after January 1, 2017 the Consumption Rate per Mlbs of steam set forth above shall be increased on each January 1 until the end of the Term by a percentage equal to the greater of the Consumer Price Index-All Urban Consumers (*CPI-AUC*) published by the United States Bureau of Labor Statistics for the immediately preceding calendar year (or its equivalent, as determined in the sole discretion of the Company, if such CPI-AUC is no longer published) or 3.00%.

# PURCHASED STEAM COST RECOVERY CHARGE

Base Charge: \$15.00 per Mlbs consumed.

The Base Charge specified shall be adjusted up or down at least quarterly by Company to recover the delivered cost of steam purchased by Company to meet the steam needs of Customer at the Point of Delivery and reconciled on Customer's Billing Period invoices over not less than three (3) Billing Periods to avoid abrupt adjustments and substantial swings or volatility in Customers' invoices but to ensure that the revenues obtained by Company match the Company's delivered cost of purchased steam. Company shall forecast its actual delivered cost of purchased steam on at least a quarterly basis, net of any prior period over or under recovery, and the Mlbs subject to the Purchased Steam Cost Recovery Charge and compute a new quarterly (or other period not to exceed a quarter) Purchased Steam Cost Recovery Charge based on such forecasts. The new Purchased Steam Cost Recovery Charge shall be computed by dividing the forecasted Mlbs subject to such Charge into the forecasted period's delivered cost of purchased steam net of any prior period over or under recovery. The Base Charge specified above shall be adjusted up or down for the forecasted period by the positive or negative difference between each newly computed Purchased Steam Cost Recovery Charge. Company shall notify Customer of the as adjusted Purchased Steam Cost Recovery Charge thirty (30) days prior to the effective date of such Charge. Should events or circumstances (for example, significant market volatility in fuel costs or extreme weather conditions) indicate to Company that actual purchased steam costs or actual Mlbs subject to said Charge may be substantially different than the amounts forecasted, Company may adjust the Base Charge more frequently than quarterly.

#### LATE CHARGE

Customer shall pay each invoice rendered by Company within ten (10) days of the date of the invoice. Any invoice unpaid in full by the thirtieth (30th) day after the invoice date shall be deemed late and subject to an additional charge of one and one-half percent (1.5%) per month multiplied by the balance not timely paid or \$2.00, whichever is higher.

# **GRT CHARGE**

The total amount of all rates and charges shown on the invoice from Company to Customer for each Billing Period shall be adjusted upward by .04986 (4.986 percent) to reflect the currently applicable taxes and other charges included in the GRT Charge as of the date of the Agreement to compute the total Billing Period invoice.

#### CONDITIONS TO RECEIVE AND MAINTAIN SERVICE

As stated in Paragraph 6 of the foregoing Agreement, Customer's rights and Company's obligations under this Agreement are contingent on Customer satisfying the Conditions to Receive Steam Distribution Service (*Conditions*) set forth in this Appendix and incorporated in such Agreement. Customer agrees that Company may, with written notice to Customer change the Conditions to the extent that Company reasonably determines that such changes are necessary for proper, efficient, and safe operation of Company's system, provided that such changes shall have effect on a prospective basis commencing thirty (30) days following the date of Company's written notice. All such changes shall, to the extent practicable, be applied uniformly and shall, on their effective date, automatically become a part of the Agreement without need for Customer and Company to formally execute an amendment or otherwise modify the Agreement.

Company shall use its best efforts to obtain and distribute steam to Customer at sufficient pressure for Customer's needs. Company shall use commercially reasonable efforts to provide Customer with continuous steam distribution service, subject among other things, to the following Conditions:

- 1. Customer shall give immediate notice to Company of any leakage or escape of steam.
- 2. All repairs to or replacements of Customer's piping and equipment shall be made promptly by the Customer at Customer's expense and shall not interfere with Company's ability to meet the service needs of its other customers.
- 3. Customer shall provide Company's duly authorized representatives with access at all reasonable times and to all of Company's property on the premises of Customer and on all other premises which Customer may own or control for the purposes of meeting Company service responsibilities to Customer and its other customers. Company shall attempt to provide Customer with reasonable notice prior to accessing such property provided that the access sought by Company is not related to an existing or impending emergency condition.
- 4. On or prior to the Service Commencement Date, Company shall furnish shut-off valves and cathodic protection isolation flanges when, in Company's judgment, such equipment is needed to efficiently and safely meets Customer's service needs. Company shall also furnish the meter flow element, the meter proper and the necessary electronics and recorders and Customer shall properly install such items. Customer shall provide to Company, at Customer's expense and at a location or locations Company determines to be suitable, 120-volt, 60-cycle, single-phase and reliable electricity supply. Customer shall also provide to Company, at Customer's expense and at a location or locations Company determines to be suitable, secure land phone line, Ethernet, LAN, cable or WAN access communications capability suitable to meet Company's metering, monitoring and data collection needs.

# CUSTOMER RELEASE PIPE PENETRATIONS

| This CUSTOMER RELEASE PIPE PENETRATIONS ( <i>Release</i> ) is attached to that certain Standard Steam Supply and Distribution Agreement, dated as of the   |
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| By executing this Release, Customer acknowledges and agrees that, pursuant to Paragraph 3.B of the Agreement, it has requested Company to install pipe penetrations through the Building's or structure's wall or foundation or other improvements to provide for suitable space for the installation and maintenance of Company's piping, metering and other plant, facilities or equipment associated with the provision of service to Customer and Company has elected, subject to the execution of this Release by Customer, to install such pipe penetrations.  |
| Customer, for and in consideration of the installation by Company of the wall sleeves for the pipe penetrations in the Building or other improvements and other good and valuable consideration, the receipt and sufficiency of which are hereby acknowledged, does for itself and all of its affiliates and related business entities, and each of their present and former parents, subsidiaries, affiliates, officers, directors, partners, shareholders, employees, agents, representatives, successors and assigns, hereby remises, releases and forever discharges, and covenants not to sue, the Company and anyone acting in concert or participation with it, whether acting individually or otherwise through any other person or entity, and all of their affiliates and related business entities, and each of their present and former parents, subsidiaries, affiliates, officers, directors, partners, shareholders, employees, agents and representatives, successors and assigns, from any and all actions and causes of action, damages, suits, debts, accounts, bonds, contracts, promises, judgments, costs, claims and demands whatsoever, of any nature, kind or description, at law or in equity, which they had, now have or which they or any of them may have in the future, by reason of anything done or omitted by any person or entity, or by reason of any matter, cause, thing or event whatsoever, from the beginning of time, whether known or unknown at the present time, arising out of or in any way relating to or connected with, directly or indirectly, Company's provision of wall sleeves for the pipe penetrations in the Building. |
| Customer:  |
| By:  |

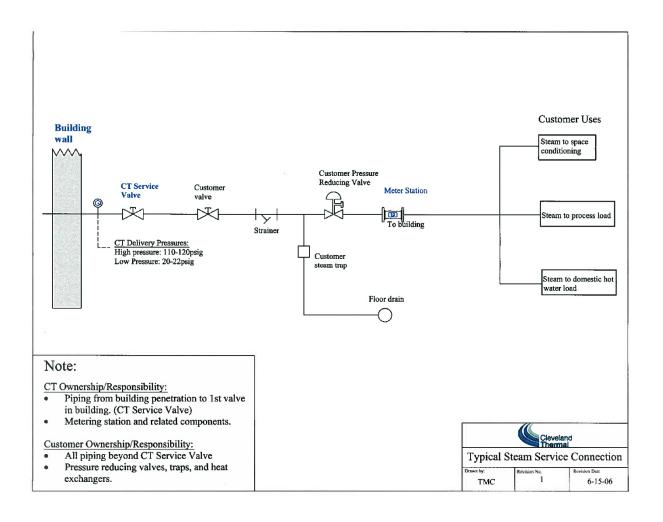
#### COMPANY PROVIDED BUILDING IMPROVEMENTS

In accordance with Paragraph 5.E of the foregoing Agreement between Customer and Company, Company may elect to incur certain costs in connection with the construction and installation of certain improvements to the Building on behalf of Customer, which costs Customer would be obligated to repay to Company, with interest, as mutually agreed by the parties or upon early termination of such Agreement. The purpose of this Appendix is to identify how such costs shall be repaid or amortized for purposes of such repayment, including the determination of any unpaid or unamortized balance of such costs that Customer shall pay Company upon early termination of such Agreement.

The estimated costs to be incurred by Company pursuant to Paragraph 5.E of the foregoing Agreement shall be determined by Company and Company shall provide Customer with written notice of such estimated costs, whereupon Company and Customer shall mutually agree upon the schedule and manner of repayment and applicable interest rate and include such calculation in the Schedule to be attached hereto. If the actual costs of such improvements, as determined upon completion thereof, differ from the initial estimates included in the Schedule, the Schedule shall be modified to reflect such actual costs. Upon any early termination pursuant to Paragraph 2 of the foregoing Agreement, any unpaid and unamortized costs as shown on any then current Schedule as of the effective date of termination shall be due and owing from Customer to Company as part of the cancellation charge set forth in the applicable provision in Paragraph 2.

Notwithstanding anything contained in this Appendix, the Agreement or elsewhere, nothing shall obligate Company to incur any costs pursuant to Paragraph 5.E or this Appendix until the Schedule has been agreed to by Company and Customer and attached hereto.

# TYPICAL INTERCONNECTION DIAGRAM



#### Exhibit A

[Letterhead of Assignor]

[Date]

Cleveland Thermal Steam Distribution, LLCINC.
1921 Hamilton Avenue
Cleveland, Ohio 44114
Attention: President

Re: Assignment of Standard Steam Supply and Distribution Agreement

Ladies and Gentlemen:

| Cleveland Thermal Steam Distribution, LLCINC. ("Company") and   |
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| ("Assignor") entered into a Standard Steam Supply and Distribution Agreement ("Agreement") dated          |
| , 20, pursuant to which Company agreed to provide steam utility service to                                |
| Assignor. Assignor now desires to transfer its right, title, interest and obligations in the Agreement to |
| ("Assignee"), pursuant to the terms and conditions of this Assignment of Standard                         |
| Steam Supply and Distribution Agreement (this "Assignment").  |

- 1. Assignor hereby irrevocably assigns, conveys, transfers and sets over to Assignee all of Assignor's right, title, interest and obligations in and to the Agreement.
- Assignor represents and warrants to Company as follows: (i) this Assignment has been duly and validly executed and constitutes the legal, valid and binding obligation of each the Assignor and Assignee, enforceable against each of the Assignor and the Assignee in accordance with its terms; (ii) the Agreement remains in full force and effect and is enforceable against Assignor and Assignee; (iii) the execution, delivery, performance and effectiveness of this Assignment shall not operate, nor be deemed to be nor construed as, a waiver of any right, power or remedy of the Company under the Agreement, any term, provision, representation, warranty or covenant contained in the Agreement, or any other documentation executed in connection therewith; (iv) none of the provisions of this Assignment shall constitute, be deemed to be or construed as, a waiver of any event of default under the Agreement; and (v) Assignor and Assignee are in compliance with all of the terms and provisions set forth in the Agreement on their part to be observed or performed, and no event of default specified the Agreement, nor any event which upon notice or lapse of time or both would constitute such an event of default, has occurred and is continuing.
- 3. The terms, covenants, conditions and warranties herein shall inure to the benefit of and shall be binding upon the parties hereto and their respective successors and assigns; subject, however, to all limitations on further assignment or transfer contained in the Agreement. In the event any provision of this Assignment should be invalid, the validity of the other provisions hereof and of the Agreement shall not be effected thereby. This Assignment shall be governed by and construed in accordance with the laws of the State of Ohio.

|  | By:    |
|--|--------|
|  | Name:  |
|  | Title: |
| Accepted:  |        |
| Cleveland Thermal Steam Distribution, <u>LLCINC.</u> |        |
|  |        |
| By:  |        |
| Name:  |        |
| Title:   |        |
| Date:  |        |

**ASSIGNOR:** 

#### Exhibit B

[Letterhead of Assignee]

[Date]

Cleveland Thermal Steam Distribution, LLCINC.
1921 Hamilton Avenue
Cleveland, Ohio 44114
Attention: President

Re: Assumption of Standard Steam Supply and Distribution Agreement

Ladies and Gentlemen:

| Cleveland Thermal Steam Distribution, <b>LLCINC</b> . ("Company") and                                  |
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| ("Assignor") entered into a Standard Steam Supply and Distribution Agreement ("Agreement") dated       |
| , 20, pursuant to which Company agreed to provide steam utility service to                             |
| Assignor ("Assignee") now desires to assume and comply with all of the terms                           |
| provisions, conditions, warranties and covenants contained in the Agreement, pursuant to the terms and |
| conditions of this Assumption of Standard Steam Supply and Distribution Agreement (this "Assumption")  |

- 1. Assignee hereby assumes, agrees and covenants with the Assignor and Company to perform and comply with all of the terms, provisions, conditions, warranties and covenants contained in the Agreement, under the terms thereof, as are to be performed and complied with by the Assignor. This Assumption by Assignee is specifically made for the benefit of Company, and is effective from and after the date of the execution of this Assumption. Assignee acknowledges, covenants and agrees that Company may enforce all the terms, conditions and provisions of the Agreement against Assignee to the extent as if Assignee were originally named as the Customer in the Agreement.
- Assignee represents and warrants to Company as follows: (i) this Assumption has been duly and validly executed and constitutes the legal, valid and binding obligation of each the Assignor and Assignee, enforceable against each of the Assignor and the Assignee in accordance with its terms; (ii) the Agreement remains in full force and effect and is enforceable against Assignor and Assignee; (iii) the execution, delivery, performance and effectiveness of this Assumption shall not operate, nor be deemed to be nor construed as, a waiver of any right, power or remedy of the Company under the Agreement, any term, provision, representation, warranty or covenant contained in the Agreement, or any other documentation executed in connection therewith; (iv) none of the provisions of this Assumption shall constitute, be deemed to be or construed as, a waiver of any event of default under the Agreement; and (v) Assignor and Assignee are in compliance with all of the terms and provisions set forth in the Agreement on their part to be observed or performed, and no event of default specified the Agreement, nor any event which upon notice or lapse of time or both would constitute such an event of default, has occurred and is continuing.
- 3. The terms, covenants, conditions and warranties herein shall inure to the benefit of and shall be binding upon the parties hereto and their respective successors and assigns; subject, however, to all limitations on further assignment or transfer contained in the Agreement. In the event any provision of

this Assumption should be invalid, the validity of the other provisions hereof and of the Agreement shall not be effected thereby. This Assumption shall be governed by and construed in accordance with the laws of the State of Ohio.

| of the State of Ohio.                                   |           |  |
|---|-----------|--|
|   | ASSIGNEE: |  |
|   | Ву:       |  |
|   | Name:     |  |
|   | Title:    |  |
| Accepted: Cleveland Thermal Steam Distribution, LLCINC. |           |  |
| By:   |           |  |
| Name:   |           |  |
| Title:  |           |  |
| Date:   |           |  |

# Exhibit B Revised Steam Distribution

**Tariffs- Clean Version** 

# **CLEVELAND THERMAL STEAM DISTRIBUTION, INC.**

# TARIFF FOR DISTRICT STEAM SERVICE P.U.C.O. No. 1

Communications concerning this tariff may be addressed to

Mail: Seth Whitney

1921 Hamilton Avenue Cleveland, OH 44114

Telephone: 216-241-4274

E-mail: swhitney@clevelandthermal.com

Effective:

Filed pursuant to the Finding and Order dated December \_\_, 2018 in Case No. 18-\_\_\_-HT-UNC of The Public Utilities Commission of Ohio.

# TARIFF SHEET INDEX

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Filed pursuant to the Finding and Order dated December \_\_\_, 2018 in Case No. 18-\_\_\_\_-HT-UNC of The Public Utilities Commission of Ohio.

#### **RULES AND REGULATIONS**

#### **DEFINITIONS** 1.

In addition to terms defined elsewhere herein, as used herein the following terms are defined as follows:

"Billing Period" shall mean each of approximately 12 periods in each calendar year, each approximating one service month.

"Btu" shall mean British thermal units.

"Building" shall mean the structure(s) or premises owned, leased or managed by the Customer or its agent for which District Steam Service is provided by the Company.

"Company" shall mean Cleveland Thermal Steam Distribution, Inc.

"Customer" shall mean that entity, its officers, agents or employees, which enters into a District Steam Agreement with the Company to receive District Steam Service for the Building or receives District Steam Service for the Building pursuant to Sections 18 and 19 hereof.

"District Steam Agreement" shall mean the written agreement between the Customer and Company for District Steam Service for the Building containing the terms of service, rates and any other considerations specific to that relationship, which agreement may be in the form of the Standard Contract, any other standard form of contract offered by Company approved by PUCO or any reasonable arrangement approved by PUCO pursuant to Section 4905.31, Revised Code.

"District Steam Service" shall mean the service by which steam and/or hot water is obtained and distributed by Company through the Company's network of pipes to a Building for heating, hot water, air conditioning and/or process purposes.

"Mlbs" shall mean thousands of pounds of District Steam Service.

"Point of Delivery" shall mean the place within, at or near the Customer's Building where the Customer and Company agree that steam and/or hot water shall be delivered to the Customer and, if applicable, condensate or water shall be returned to Company, each as shall be designated in the District Steam Agreement or otherwise as mutually agreed by Customer and Company if Customer receives District Steam Service pursuant to Sections 18 and 19 hereof.

"PUCO" shall mean the Public Utilities Commission of Ohio.

"Redistribution" shall include "submetering" and shall mean the furnishing by the Customer of steam and/or hot water received from the Company to another entity for any purpose under any circumstances or arrangement, whether a charge is made for such service or not.

"Revised Code" shall mean the Ohio Revised Code, as from time to time in effect.

"Service Commencement Date" shall mean the earlier to occur of the date the Customer first receives District Steam Service or the date otherwise stated in the District Steam Agreement between Customer and Company.

"Standard Contract" shall mean the Standard Steam Supply and Distribution Agreement attached hereto as Appendix A.

"Tariff Customer" shall mean a Customer receiving District Steam Service pursuant to Sections 18 and 19 hereof.

Filed pursuant to the Finding and Order dated December \_\_\_, 2018 in Case No. 18-\_\_\_\_-HT-UNC of The Public Utilities Commission of Ohio. Issued: Effective:

#### 2. AVAILABILITY OF DISTRICT STEAM SERVICE

District Steam Service is available to those commercial, industrial and governmental entities with buildings which are located in the Cleveland area and abut the Company's steam distribution system or, if not abutting, as otherwise provided in Section 17A below. District Steam Service will be provided only to Customers who enter into a District Steam Agreement for a term of at least three (3) years, except as provided for in Sections 18 and 19 below. A written application may be required from each Customer before service will be commenced. A copy of the form of application, if any, will be furnished the Customer upon request. Copies of all steam rate schedules are available at the Company's business office and are available for public inspection during Company's normal office hours.

#### 3. DISTRICT STEAM AGREEMENT

- A. All Customers except Tariff Customers must sign a District Steam Agreement in order to receive District Steam Service. Except as provided in Sections 18 and 19 below, all terms, conditions, regulations, rates and other provisions governing District Steam Service for a Customer shall be included in the District Steam Agreement between Company and such Customer. All District Steam Agreements (other than those for service contemplated by Section 4905.34, Revised Code, such as those with governmental entities and charitable institutions) shall be submitted to and approved by the PUCO.
- B. A District Steam Agreement may be in the form of the Standard Contract or any other contract approved by PUCO. In addition to the Standard Contract, the Company intends to offer a Standard Interruptible Steam Supply and Distribution Agreement containing terms and provisions substantially similar to those contained in the form of the Standard Contract in Appendix A, except for such changes appropriate to reflect the right of the Company to interrupt District Steam Service to Customer's Building in certain circumstances and the ability of the Customer to generate replacement service during such interruption using on-site systems in or available to the Building.
- C. All District Steam Agreements and arrangements for service pursuant to Sections 18 and 19 hereof are subject to changes in rates, service, rules and regulations hereinafter put into effect by the Company, the PUCO or other public authority, as provided by law.

#### 4. RESPONSIBILITIES

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Tariff Customers shall be responsible for all provisions of Sections 1 through 19 of this Tariff, including all amendments, supplements and replacements of any thereof Each Customer served pursuant to a District Steam Agreement shall be responsible for all provisions of Sections 1 through 17 of this Tariff, including all amendments, supplements and replacements of any thereof (except to the extent inconsistent with the provisions of the District Steam Agreement), in addition to the terms and conditions set forth in the District Steam Agreement applicable to such Customers service.

#### DENYING SERVICE DUE TO INDEBTEDNESS.

The Company may terminate, cancel, suspend or discontinue District Steam Service to any current or prior Customer, and may refuse service to any applicant for District Steam Service, if such Customer or applicant is in debt to the Company for service previously rendered or is a Customer whose service was previously canceled or terminated for non-payment or chronic late payment of bills for service or for violation or breach of its District Steam Agreement or Sections 18 and 19 hereof, as applicable.

#### 6. DENYING SERVICE DUE TO LOCATION

The Company shall provide District Steam Service only at Points of Delivery served by existing street mains; provided, however, the Company, at its sole discretion, may extend its facilities to serve prospective loads but shall not be required to provide such service.

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#### TEMPORARY SERVICE AND TEMPORARY SUSPENSION OF SERVICE

A. Unless otherwise agreed to by Company, in its sole discretion, any applicant for District Steam Service desiring temporary service shall pay the entire costs of installing and removing such temporary service in addition to all applicable rates and charges for District Steam Service during the period of temporary service.

B. Company may agree, in its sole discretion, to suspend service to a Customer upon Customer's written request. In the event that Company agrees to such suspension, Customer shall be required to pay a disconnection charge and a reconnection charge, in each case equal to the actual labor and materials cost of disconnection and reconnection, respectively, and shall also be responsible for payment: (i) if a Tariff Customer, of an amount equal to a minimum Billing Period charge of Three Hundred Dollars (\$300) for each Billing Period occurring during any part of the suspension from October 1 through and inclusive of May 31; and (ii) if a Customer receiving service pursuant to a District Steam Agreement, of such minimum Billing Period charge agreed to by such Customer and Company.

#### 8. SECURITY REQUIREMENTS

If Company has reasonable grounds for insecurity regarding any existing or prospective Customer's performance of any obligation (whether or not then due), including, without limitation, the occurrence of a material change in creditworthiness, Company shall have the right to require that Customer provide adequate assurance of performance and provide sufficient security in the form, amount and for the term reasonably acceptable to Company, including but not limited to a cash security deposit, a standby irrevocable letter of credit, a prepayment, a security interest in an asset or a performance bond or guaranty. In the event that Company agrees to accept a cash security deposit, interest at not less than three percent (3.00%) per annum shall be allowed and paid to Customer while it is held by Company, provided it remain on deposit for six (6) consecutive months. The Company may retain any deposit (net of interest to be paid to the Customer) and apply the same upon bills for service or any indebtedness due to Company by the Customer.

#### 9. REDISTRIBUTION OF STEAM

District Steam Service is furnished for the sole use of the Customer, who shall not redistribute any of such steam to any other person or entity, or permit any other person or entity to use the same, without the express written approval of the Company. The following general standards shall govern the granting of such approval:

- (a) Unless waived by Company, any request for approval shall be in writing.
- (b) Redistribution shall not be permitted under any circumstances to any premises not owned, leased or otherwise controlled by the Customer.
- (c) Redistribution may be permitted where, at the sole discretion of the Company, it is incidental to the business conducted by the Customer and is not otherwise prohibited.
- (d) Redistribution shall not be permitted with respect to aggregations of separate commercial or retail users such as those commonly known as shopping centers.
- (e) Notwithstanding the above standards, the Company may approve redistribution by the Customer on the basis of circumstances and conditions specific to the Customer's operations and business.
- (f) Any approval for redistribution granted by the Company shall be subject to the agreement by the user to whom steam is redistributed to be bound by the terms and conditions of the Customer's District Steam Agreement or Sections 18 and 19 hereof, as applicable.

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#### 10. TERMINATION OF DISTRICT STEAM SERVICE

The Company may cancel, terminate, discontinue or suspend District Steam Service to any Customer for any of the following reasons:

- (a) (i) The Customer's violation or failure to comply with the terms and conditions of the Customer's District Steam Agreement or Sections 18 and 19 hereof, as applicable, and/or the general service rules and regulations on file with the PUCO which apply to Customer's service, including, but not limited to, the failure to timely pay any indebtedness owed to Company, the willful or intentional destruction, cutting, breaking, adjustment, tampering or interference with, or unauthorized use of Company's lines or equipment, damage to Company's facilities or equipment caused by Customer, its employees or agents (as contemplated by Sections 4933.18 and 4933.23, Revised Code), or where, because of the action or inaction of Customer, its tenants, employees or agents, the supplying of steam to Customer will create a dangerous or unsafe condition on Customer's premises or to Company or its other customers; or (ii) the Customer has resorted to any fraudulent or illegal practice in obtaining District Steam Service or is the beneficiary of any fraudulent or illegal practice (as contemplated by Section 4933.18, Revised Code);
- (b) Where Customer has canceled its service prior to the stated maturity of its District Steam Agreement or as set forth in Section 18 hereof, in either case pursuant to any right to do so contained in such District Steam Agreement or Section 18;
- (c) When Company cannot maintain service through commercially reasonable measures or to enable Company to make, or cause to be made, any necessary repairs or connections to its steam supply or distribution system or mains;
- (d) When providing District Steam Service is in conflict or incompatible with any law, rule, regulation or order of the State of Ohio, the federal government or any of their respective agencies having jurisdiction;
- (e) When, because of circumstances beyond Customer's or Company's control, supplying steam creates a dangerous or unsafe condition; or
- (f) Upon the expiration of Customer's District Steam Agreement.

Upon the cancellation, termination, discontinuance or suspension of District Steam Service to a Customer pursuant to any of the above provisions, such Customer shall be responsible for the timely payment of all applicable cancellation charges and disconnection costs set forth in its District Steam Agreement or Sections 18 and 19 hereof, as applicable.

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#### 11. RECONNECTING SERVICE

- A. When District Steam Service has been disconnected for any reason covered by Subsections 10(a) or 10(b) above, a reconnection charge equal to the actual labor and materials cost to reconnect will be required when the former Customer requests reconnection, but Company shall be under no obligation to reconnect any such Customer unless such Customer, prior to any reconnection, has paid all outstanding indebtedness in full to Company and has provided any security required by Company, and in addition, in the event of the applicability of Subsection 10(a)(ii) above, has paid the Company an investigation fee of One Hundred Dollars (\$100) plus the actual costs of such investigation (if Company has undertaken an investigation of the matter) plus, further, an amount estimated by the Company to be reasonable compensation for the service fraudulently or illegally obtained and not paid for and for any damage to the property of Company, including any costs to repair such damage or tampering.
- B. When District Steam Service has been disconnected pursuant to Subsection 10(b) above, the Company shall not be under any obligation to resume such Service to the same Customer at the same premises until the Customer has made payment, in addition to any amounts due pursuant to Subsection 11A above, of an amount equal to the minimum Billing Period charge (if any) for each Billing Period of the intervening period, but not to exceed twelve (12) Billing Periods.
- C. If, at the time when District Steam Service is to be disconnected at Customer's Building pursuant to either Subsection 10(a) or 10(b) above, payment in full of all outstanding balances due from Customer to Company is made to Company's employee, whose original purpose was to disconnect the District Steam Service, then a charge equal to the actual time and expense cost of the employee's service call to the Building to disconnect service shall be assessed on the Customer's next billing. District Steam Service which otherwise would have been disconnected shall remain intact.

#### 12. CUSTOMER'S USE OF SERVICE

Each Customer's use of District Steam Service shall be governed by the terms and conditions set forth in Sections 1 through 17, inclusive, of this Tariff and either its District Steam Agreement or Sections 18 and 19 hereof, as applicable, and by all laws, rules, regulations or orders of the State of Ohio, the federal government, or any of their respective agencies having jurisdiction. While a Customer is receiving District Steam Service, unless otherwise agreed in writing by the Company, the utility steam service provided by Company shall be the sole source of Customer's space heating energy requirements for the Building and the sole source of steam service to the Building and a Customer's failure to adhere to this provision shall be a violation and breach of Customer's District Steam Agreement or Section 18, as applicable. The Customer's installation and connection of any equipment directly to Company's central steam service, and the maintenance thereof, shall be subject at all times to the Company's approval. The Customer shall install and maintain pressure regulating valves on its Building system when so specified by the Company. As applicable, the Customer shall install and maintain condensate meters and traps or flow tubes provided by the Company and shall provide any necessary wiring and energy to supply electrically operated steam metering devices whether installed initially or to replace previous metering equipment.

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#### CUSTOMER BILLS

Customers shall be billed by Company for service rendered during each Billing Period. Company's invoices shall be based on the rates, charges and fees stated in Customer's District Steam Agreement or in Section 19 hereof, as applicable, as applied to Customer's billing determinants during the Billing Period. Customer shall pay Company's invoice within fifteen (15) days of the invoice date. Any invoice unpaid in full within thirty (30) days of the invoice date shall be deemed late and subject to an additional charge of one and one-half percent (1.5%) per month multiplied by the balance not timely paid.

Company may, at its option, estimate Billing Period invoices. Differences between estimated bills and actual amounts due for the Billing Period(s) subject to estimated invoices shall be reconciled in the first subsequent invoice that is based on actual meter data. In no event shall Company estimate meter readings for more than three (3) consecutive months unless it is unable to read Customer's meter for reasons beyond Company's control.

#### 14. METER INSTALLATION, OPERATION AND TESTING

Company shall install at its expense metering equipment sufficient to measure Customer's usage of steam and to bill and collect for service provided by Company. Such metering equipment shall permit Company to measure and, over time, record steam flow and convert this relationship to Mlbs. Company, at its sole discretion, may elect or agree to provide Customer with one or more Points of Delivery, Unless otherwise specifically agreed by Company, service provided at each Point of Delivery shall be metered and billed separately by Company and paid for by Customer. Company may inspect and maintain its metering and any other equipment located within the Building, as Company may determine to be reasonably necessary. The Company's employees and agents shall have free access at any reasonable time to its equipment on Customer's premises, and may remove its meters and equipment for any purpose. In the event of an emergency, the Company's employees and agents shall have such access at any time. No person, except a duly authorized employee or agent of Company, shall be authorized to alter or interfere with the operation of any Company meter, or its connections, regulators or any other item of plant, facilities or equipment furnished by Company. In the event of an emergency, Customer may operate stop valves and meter stop valves provided that such operation is warranted based on emergency conditions, Customer notifies Company of such operation as quickly as possible, the operation is limited to the duration of the emergency and provided that the emergency does not arise after Company has discontinued or suspended service to Customer.

A meter shall be deemed accurate if it is measuring within three percent (3%), more or less, of actual quantities. When a meter fails to accurately register the quantity of steam consumed or returned, Company will change or repair the meter and invoice Customer for the relevant billing period(s) based on either of the following methods:

- a. Estimates of the steam consumed on the basis of past usage during a similar period and under similar conditions; or
- b. Estimates of the steam consumed on the basis of usage registered by the new or repaired meter during a subsequent period.

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In the event Customer believes that the meters located within the Building are not operating properly, Customer may request, in writing, a test of the meters, whereupon Company shall conduct a test upon the meters located in the Building. If the results of such test show that the meters have overstated the amount of product used by Customer by at least three percent (3%), then Company shall bear the costs of such test and shall either repair or replace the defective meters at its own expense. In all other cases, Customer shall bear the costs of such test. Company shall make any billing adjustment reasonably necessary as a result of any meter test, whether such adjustment would result in payments by, or credits issued to, Customer.

#### 15. ACCOUNTING

The Company shall keep accurate and satisfactory records and books in accordance with generally accepted accounting principles and the uniform system of accounts showing all costs, payments, rate adjustments, credits and other data.

#### 16. CONTINUITY OF SERVICE AND LIABILITY

- A. The Company does not guarantee but will endeavor to furnish a continuous supply of steam and to maintain pressure within reasonable limits.
- B. Other than for changes in the rules and regulations regarding the provisions of District Steam Service adopted by the Company or the PUCO, no revision of this Tariff, now or in the future, shall affect any District Steam Agreement in effect on the effective date of this Tariff, each of which shall continue in effect according to its terms and provisions until terminated in accordance with its terms or amended by the parties thereto.
- C. The Company shall not be liable for direct or consequential damages which a Customer may sustain due to interruptions in service, variations in pressure, the use of steam apparatus or the presence of the Company's property on a Customer's premises.

#### 17. COMPANY FACILITIES

- A. <u>Standard Service.</u> The Company shall, where a Customers premises abut upon an existing steam main adequate and suitable for such Customer's supply, install (at Customer's expense) and maintain (at Company's expense) one standard steam service from such main to the property line of such Customer, and shall also install and maintain at Company's expense a service valve and meter; provided, however, any Customer wishing to receive steam from a steam main of the Company, directly or indirectly, but whose premises do not abut upon such steam main, may continue to receive steam if such Customer shall construct and maintain piping satisfactory to the Company from its premises to such steam main, or as otherwise may be agreed to by Company.
- B. <u>Payment for Changes.</u> Any change of service location or equipment made at the request of a Customer shall be paid for by such Customer.

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#### **SERVICE SCHEDULES**

#### 18. DEFAULT DISTRICT STEAM SERVICE

A. Applicability. This service shall be applicable to: (i) all Customers whose District Steam Agreements have expired and who have not executed either new District Steam Agreements or extensions of their then current Agreements; and (ii) new Customers who elect not to execute a District Steam Agreement provided for in Section 3 above, whose service needs can be accommodated, in the sole judgment of the Company, without impairing the quality of District Steam Service to Company's other Customers and who pay all costs of connecting their Building to Company's steam mains. In lieu of a Tariff Customer paying such costs of connection in a lump-sum payment prior to Company's commencing to provide service, Company may, in its sole discretion, agree to alternate payment provisions, including but not limited to extended payments by the Tariff Customer or Company agreeing to pay such costs and to amortize them over a period of time not to exceed five (5) years, as described more fully in Paragraph C(vi) below. In the event District Steam Service is discontinued or canceled for any reason prior to the end of any extended payment or amortization period agreed to by Company, the Tariff Customer shall be responsible for paying the balance of any unpaid or unamortized costs as of the date of cancellation of service, as more fully set forth in Subparagraphs C(i) and (ii) below.

#### B. General Performance Obligations.

- (i) Subject to the more specific identification of a Tariff Customer's requirements by such Customer and Company, Company shall obtain for and distribute to the Tariff Customer and the Tariff Customer shall receive from Company's existing distribution system at the Point of Delivery (as determined by such Customer and Company) the total steam and heating requirements of the Building. If applicable, Company may also receive returned condensate from a Tariff Customer's Building pursuant to this Tariff. Company is not obligated to provide uninterrupted service to a Tariff Customer and such Customer's service may be interrupted or discontinued by Company when Company cannot maintain service through commercially reasonable measures. Company shall also provide Tariff Customers with periodic invoices stating the charges such Customers owe Company for service provided pursuant to this Tariff and, notwithstanding any other provision in this Tariff, Company may discontinue District Steam Service to a Tariff Customer in the event that such Customer has not made full payment for any Billing Period invoice within the period specified in Paragraph F(i) below. Company shall furnish, install, own and maintain, at its expense, isolation valves and such metering equipment as it deems appropriate to measure the steam distributed to a Tariff Customer and, if applicable, returned condensate from such Customer.
- (ii) Each Tariff Customer shall be responsible for all provisions of Sections 1 through 19 of this Tariff, including all amendments, supplements and replacements of any thereof. Each Tariff Customer shall use commercially reasonable efforts to receive steam from Company's distribution system for the Building, meet the conditions established by Company to receive steam and distribution service from Company and timely pay Company for service provided pursuant to this Tariff. Upon Company's reasonable request and at no cost to Company, a Tariff Customer shall provide adequate space and any interest in real property reasonably suitable to Company on such Customer's premises and within the Building to permit Company to meet its initial and ongoing service obligations under this Tariff or otherwise and shall allow Company reasonable access thereto at all reasonable times or at any time in the event of an emergency. A Tariff Customer shall authorize such Customer's property manager, any Building manager or such other person that may have the ability to do so to permit Company to enter the Building for the purpose of meeting the terms of this Tariff. Each Tariff Customer acknowledges that it is solely responsible for establishing and maintaining such facilities, pumps and other equipment as may be required to Redistribute steam within such Customer's Building and to install and operate such equipment, plant and facilities as may reasonably be necessary to avoid the actions or inactions of such Customer, its tenants and other occupants of the Building from negatively affecting Company's ability to safely and adequately meet the needs of its other Customers. Upon request, a Tariff Customer shall

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furnish Company with information that is sufficient to demonstrate that such Customer has installed plant, facilities, and equipment and implemented operating procedures to avoid imposing pressure-related shocks on Company's distribution system. Beyond such steam Redistribution as a Tariff Customer may need to perform to meet the steam and heating needs within the Building, such Customer shall not Redistribute steam, with or without a charge to the receiving party, for any other purpose without prior written consent of Company. Unless otherwise specifically agreed to by Company, a Tariff Customer shall design, own, construct, install, operate and maintain, at its own expense, piping necessary to receive District Steam Service from Company, and if applicable, return condensate, at the Point of Delivery.

- (iii) Each of Company and a Tariff Customer shall, respectively as applicable, design, construct, install, operate and maintain its plant, facilities, equipment and piping in an efficient, safe and reliable manner so that the purpose of this Tariff may be fulfilled. Prior to commencing service under this Tariff and for so long as Company provides District Steam Service to the Building pursuant to this Tariff, Company shall have the right, but not the duty, to inspect, review and approve the connection of a Tariff Customer's equipment and piping to Company's steam distribution system. Company's right of inspection shall in no way impose a duty or liability on Company with respect to the lawful, safe or proper operation of such Customer's equipment and piping. As a condition of receiving District Steam Service from Company in accordance with this Tariff, a Tariff Customer acknowledges and represents to Company that it is not relying upon Company's expertise or knowledge in connection with the design or operation of such Customer's equipment and the Redistribution or use of steam within the Building.
- (iv) For so long as Company provides District Steam Service to the Building pursuant to this Tariff, the utility steam service provided by Company shall be the sole source of a Tariff Customer's space heating energy requirements for the Building and the sole source of steam service to the Building.

#### C. Commencement, Termination and Discontinuance of Service.

- (i) Company shall commence providing District Steam Service to a Tariff Customer's Building on the Service Commencement Date. A Tariff Customer may terminate this service by providing Company with written notice at least thirty (30) days prior to the effective date of such termination and by making a lump sum termination charge payment to Company equal to the sum of: (a) any and all costs incurred by Company to and including the date of termination for providing service to the Building; (b) the amount of any unpaid or unamortized balance of any connection costs due to Company pursuant to Section 18A above, provided there is such an unpaid or unamortized balance; and (c) the cost of disconnecting District Steam Service to the Building.
- (ii) Company may terminate this service upon fifteen (15) days prior written notice to a Tariff Customer in the event of any default by such Customer of its obligations under this Tariff which default continues for a period of more than fifteen (15) days following a written demand by Company to cure such default. Any cure right that a Tariff Customer may have pursuant to this Subparagraph shall not extend to any default that arises as a result of such Customer's failure to make timely payment. In the event of such termination, a Tariff Customer shall pay to Company a cancellation charge equal to the sum of: (a) any and all costs incurred by Company to and including the date of termination for providing service to the Building; and (b) the amount of any unpaid or unamortized balance of any connection costs due to Company pursuant to Section 18A above, provided there is such an unamortized balance; and (c) the cost of disconnecting District Steam Service to the Building. This cancellation charge shall be in addition to any other damages incurred by Company as a result of such Customer's default, including reasonable attorneys' fees and lost profits, and Company reserves the right to seek such damages from such Customer. In lieu of terminating service upon a default by a Tariff Customer, Company shall have the right, and may elect, in its sole discretion, to discontinue or suspend service to such Customer and the

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Building upon the giving of such notice as may then be required by law (or upon fifteen (15) days prior written notice if no notice is then required by law). In the event that Company suspends or discontinues service pursuant to this Paragraph, Company reserves the right to seek damages from such Customer to compensate Company for all losses, costs, damages and expenses, including reasonable attorneys' fees and lost profits, suffered by Company as a result of such Customer's default.

- (iii) In the event of any suspension, discontinuance or cancellation of service, Company shall discontinue providing steam and distribution services, and the Tariff Customer shall provide Company with such access to such Customers Building and property as Company may reasonably request to remove Company's plant, equipment, facilities and piping, if any. A tariff Customer's obligation to provide Company with such access for the purpose of removing such equipment and piping shall survive the termination of service for so long as Company may reasonably require to remove such equipment and piping.
- (iv) All obligations of a Tariff Customer that arose prior to the cancellation, suspension or discontinuance of service, including, without limitation, the obligation to pay in full any cancellation charge and any unpaid invoices plus late charges for service provided by Company prior to cancellation, suspension or discontinuance, shall survive the cancellation, suspension or discontinuance. No eminent domain or condemnation proceedings with respect to the Building's premises shall relieve a Tariff Customer of its obligations hereunder.
- (v) If at any time a local regulatory authority, other regulatory authority, or Company judges that a Tariff Customers plant or equipment may be unsafe, Company may withhold or discontinue service until such Customer has completed corrective actions and the actual or potential unsafe condition has been eliminated. Except in the case of an emergency, Company will attempt to provide such Customer with reasonable notice prior to discontinuing or suspending service due to an unsafe condition.
- (vi) In accordance with Subparagraphs C(i) and (ii) above, a Tariff Customer is obligated to pay to Company certain rates and charges upon cancellation, termination or discontinuance of District Steam Service, including the balance of any unamortized connection costs. The formula that shall apply for purposes of determining the method of amortization and the resulting balance at any given time for calculation of the balance such Customer shall pay upon cancellation or discontinuance of service is specified in this Subparagraph. In the event that the Company agrees to pay the costs of connecting a Tariff Customer to Company's system, upon Company's final determination of the actual connection costs, Company shall provide the Tariff Customer with written notice of such actual connection costs, together with a schedule showing the amortization. The actual costs shall be amortized on a straight-line, level principal basis at an interest rate of twelve percent (12%) per annum applied to the unamortized balance, with each year's amortization amount prorated in twelve (12) equal monthly installments. FOR ILLUSTRATION PURPOSES ONLY, below is an example of a 5 year amortization schedule that assumes an actual connection cost of \$85,000.

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#### SAMPLE AMORTIZATION SCHEDULE

(Beginning Principal: \$85,000)

| End of | Annual    | Annual   | Annual   | Remaining |
|--------|-----------|----------|----------|-----------|
| Year   | Principal | Interest | Total    | Balance   |
| 1      | \$17,000  | \$10,200 | \$27,200 | \$68,000  |
| 2      | \$17,000  | \$8,160  | \$25,160 | \$51,000  |
| 3      | \$17,000  | \$6,120  | \$23,120 | \$34,000  |
| 4      | \$17,000  | \$4,080  | \$21,080 | \$17,000  |
| 5      | \$17,000  | \$2,040  | \$19,040 | \$0       |

- (vii) When District Steam Service has been disconnected for any reason covered by Subparagraphs C(i) or (ii) above, a reconnection charge equal to the actual labor and materials cost to reconnect will be required when the former Tariff Customer requests reconnection, but Company shall be under no obligation to reconnect any such Customer unless such Customer, prior to any reconnection, has paid all outstanding indebtedness in full to Company and has provided any security required by Company and, in addition, in the event of the applicability of Subparagraph 10(a)(ii) of this Tariff, has paid the Company an investigation fee of One Hundred Dollars (\$100) plus the actual costs of such investigation (if Company has undertaken an investigation of the matter) plus, further, an amount estimated by the Company to be reasonable compensation for the service fraudulently or illegally obtained and not paid for and for any damage to the property of Company, including any costs to repair any damage or tampering.
- (viii) When District Steam Service has been disconnected pursuant to Subparagraph C(i) above, the Company shall not be under any obligation to resume such Service to the same Tariff Customer at the same premises until such Customer has made payment, in addition to any amounts due pursuant to Subparagraph C(vi) above, of an amount equal to the minimum Billing Period charge (if any) for each Billing Period of the intervening period, but not to exceed twelve (12) Billing Periods.

#### D. <u>Installation of Equipment.</u>

- (i) Company shall design, locate, own, construct and install, at its own expense, all equipment and piping (other than such equipment and piping required to be paid for by a Tariff Customer pursuant to Paragraph 18A above) necessary for a Tariff Customer to receive steam from Company at the Point of Delivery in such amounts as may be reasonably required to meet such Customer's heating needs as specified herein. In order to assist Company with steam acquisition and distribution capacity planning efforts, a Tariff Customer shall notify Company of any anticipated changes in such Customer's estimated usage of District Steam Service promptly at such time and from time to time as such estimated usage is anticipated to change. By accepting service under this Tariff, a Tariff Customer acknowledges that failure to provide Company with information identifying anticipated changes in such Customer's estimated usage may negatively affect Company's ability to timely obtain and distribute sufficient steam to meet such Customer's needs.
- (ii) If the Point of Delivery is located within the Building or other structure, then a Tariff Customer shall provide Company with suitable pipe penetrations through the Building's or structure's wall or foundation or other improvements to provide for suitable space for the installation and maintenance of Company's piping, metering and other plant, facilities or equipment associated with the provision of service to such Customer. However, upon a Tariff Customer's request, Company may elect, in its sole discretion, to install, on behalf of such Customer, such pipe penetrations or other improvements for such Customer, provided that such Customer for Company to act in such capacity on behalf of such Customer shall obligate such Customer to hold Company harmless from any claim or liability arising from Company's actions and provided that such Customer first properly executes and delivers to Company a

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form of release as specified by Company, the terms and provisions of which, if and when executed and delivered, shall automatically be incorporated into this Tariff as applicable to such Customer. Any costs incurred by Company in undertaking such installation shall be subject to repayment by Customer upon such terms as shall be mutually agreed to by Company and such Customer and be subject to the provisions of Subparagraph E(v) below.

#### E. Rates, Charges and Billing.

- (i) Rates. The Rate Schedule for Tariff Customers receiving District Steam Service pursuant to this Section 18 of the Tariff is set out in Section 19 below. Tariff Customers shall be billed by Company for each Billing Period in which service is provided. Company's invoices shall be based on the rates, charges and fees stated herein as applied to each Tariff Customer's billing determinants during the Billing Period. A Tariff Customer shall pay Company's invoice within fifteen (15) days of the invoice date. Any invoice unpaid in full within thirty (30) days of the invoice date shall be deemed late and subject to an additional charge of one and one-half percent (1.5%) per month multiplied by the balance not timely paid. Company's invoice for service supplied to Tariff Customers pursuant to this Tariff shall include the following:
  - (a) Consumption Rate. The Consumption Rate shall be the rate charged to such Customer for its metered consumption of steam for each Billing Period as set forth in Section 19 hereof and shall be multiplied by the total number of Mlbs of steam distributed to such Customer by Company during the Billing Period.
  - (b) Purchased Steam Cost Recovery Charge. The Purchased Steam Cost Recovery Charge shall recover the dollar-for-dollar delivered cost of the steam which Company purchases to meet a Tariff Customer's steam requirements at the Point of Delivery. The Purchased Steam Cost Recovery Charge shall be adjusted and reconciled periodically based on such delivered cost in accordance with the formula specified in Section 19 and multiplied, as adjusted on a bills rendered basis, to the total number of Mlbs of steam distributed to such Customer by Company during each Billing Period. The difference between the Purchased Steam Cost Recovery Charge revenues obtained by the Company and the Company's delivered cost of steam shall be ascertained by the Company and filed monthly in a docket designated by the Commission.
  - (c) *GRT Charge*. The total amount of all rates and charges shown on each Billing Period invoice shall be adjusted upwards by a *GRT Charge* specified in Section 19. The value of the GRT Charge shall be specified as a percentage calculated so as to permit the billing and collection of incremental revenue sufficient for Company to recover the amount of any gross receipts, sales or other charges to which Company may, from time to time, be subject under the laws and regulations of the State of Ohio or other taxing authority, excluding taxes imposed on net income by federal, state and other taxing authorities. Company shall have the right to amend the GRT Charge from time to time to account for changes in the taxes imposed by the applicable taxing authorities.
  - (d) Regulatory Recovery Charge. In the event that Company incurs any cost or charge as described in Paragraph D below, the prorated amount determined in accordance with such Paragraph shall be included on each Customer's invoice for each Billing Period as a Regulatory Recovery Charge.
  - (e) Late Charge. Company shall render invoices to each Customer for service for each Billing Period and such invoices shall be due and payable when issued by Company. The Late Charge shall be equal to the monthly interest rate specified above times the balance not timely paid.

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- (ii) Metering and Billing. Company shall install metering equipment sufficient to measure a Tariff Customer's usage of steam and to bill and collect for service provided by Company pursuant to this Tariff. Such metering equipment shall permit Company to measure and, over time, record steam flow and convert this relationship to Mlbs. No person, except a duly authorized employee or agent of Company, shall be authorized to alter, tamper or interfere with the operation of any Company meter, or its connections, regulators or any other item of plant, facilities or equipment furnished by Company. In the event of an emergency, a Tariff Customer may operate stop valves and meter stop valves provided that such operation is warranted based on emergency conditions, such Customer notifies Company of such operation as quickly as possible, the operation is limited to the duration of the emergency and provided that the emergency does not arise after Company has discontinued or suspended service to Customer.
  - (a) A meter shall be deemed accurate if it is measuring within three percent (3%), more or less, of actual quantities. When a meter fails to accurately register the quantity of steam consumed or returned, Company will change or repair the meter and invoice the Tariff Customer for the relevant Billing Period(s) based on either of the following methods:
    - (A) Estimates of the steam consumed on the basis of past usage during a similar period and under similar conditions; or
    - (B) Estimates of the steam consumed on the basis of usage registered by the new or repaired meter during a subsequent period.
  - (b) Company may inspect and maintain its metering equipment located within the Building, as Company may determine to be reasonably necessary. In the event a Tariff Customer believes that the meters located within its Building are not operating properly, such Customer may request, in writing, a test of the meters whereupon Company shall conduct a test upon the meters located in the Building. If the results of such test show that the meters have overstated the amount of product used by such Customer by at least three percent (3%), then Company shall bear the costs of such test and shall either repair or replace the defective meters at its own expense. In all other cases, such Customer shall bear the costs of such test. Each Tariff Customer and Company agree to negotiate in good faith the amount of any billing adjustment, if any, made by Company as a result of any meter test, whether such adjustment would result in payments by, or credits issued to, such Customer.
  - (c) Company may, at its option, estimate Billing Period invoices. Differences between estimated bills and actual amounts due for the Billing Period(s) subject to estimated invoices shall be reconciled in the first subsequent invoice that is based on actual meter data. In no event shall Company estimate meter readings for more than three (3) consecutive months unless it is unable to read a Tariff Customer's meter for reasons beyond Company's control.
  - (d) Upon request by a Tariff Customer, Company may, in its discretion, provide such Customer with one or more additional Points of Delivery. Unless otherwise specifically agreed by Company, service provided to each Point of Delivery shall be separately metered and billed by Company and paid for by such Customer.
- (iii) Other Charges. In the event that any tax, fee, levy, surcharge, assessment, imposition or similar charge (other than a gross receipts tax or other charge included in the GRT Charge set forth above) is imposed or assessed by any taxing authority on Company or a Customer (but only to the extent that such charge is required to be collected by Company from the Customer and remitted to such taxing authority), which tax or other charge is identifiable to, or measured by a Customer's use, consumption, invoice, or purchase of products or services supplied or distributed by Company to a Customer (or the sale thereof by Company to a Customer), the Customer's rates and charges established in Section 19

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shall be increased by an amount equal to the amount necessary for Company to recover such charge(s) imposed or assessed on Company or which Company is required to collect. In the event that Company is required to collect any such charge or imposition imposed on a Customer, Company shall have no obligation at any time to reimburse such Customer for any such amount collected or any portion thereof.

- (iv) Governmental Authority or Insurance Company Mandated Changes or Modifications. Changes or modifications as mandated, from time to time, by any governmental authority or insurance company and required for Company to obtain or distribute steam for its Customers' needs are not a part of the Rate Schedule set forth in Section 19. In the event that Company must incur financial costs for compliance with such requirements, a prorated amount of the total expense from time to time outstanding will be applied by Company to each Mlbs of steam sold to Customers over a reasonable period so as to permit Company to recover the cost thereof
- (v) Mutually Agreed Charges. Upon the mutual agreement of a Tariff Customer and Company, Company may elect to provide assistance to such Customer in installing equipment and/or improvements to the Building related to the use of Company's products or service or the commencement of service to the Building. The type and amount of such assistance to be provided by Company, and the manner of repayment of such costs by Customer, if any, shall be set forth in a schedule (Schedule) mutually agreed to by the parties. In the event that Company shall provide such assistance, such Customer shall cooperate with Company and execute any instruments, certificates and other documents reasonably requested by Company in connection with providing such assistance, including but not limited to, any consents to assignment by Company of the obligation of such Customer under this Tariff or any part hereof, or of any revenues hereunder, including any amounts to be paid by such Customer pursuant to the Schedule, to any lender providing funds to Company for such assistance or other party.
  - F. Conditions to Receive and Maintain Service and Changes in Conditions.
- (i) A Tariff Customer's rights and Company's obligations under this Tariff are contingent on such Customer satisfying the Conditions to Receive Steam Distribution Service (hereinafter, *Conditions*) set forth below in Subparagraph F(ii). Each Tariff Customer agrees that Company may, with written notice to such Customer change the Conditions to the extent that Company reasonably determines that such changes are necessary for proper, efficient, and safe operation of Company's system, provided that such changes shall have effect on a prospective basis commencing thirty (30) days following the date of Company's written notice. All such changes shall, to the extent practicable, be applied uniformly and shall, on their effective date, automatically become effective without need for regulatory approval.
- (ii) Company shall use its best efforts to obtain and distribute steam to each Customer at sufficient pressure for each Customer's needs. Company shall use commercially reasonable efforts to provide each Customer with continuous steam distribution service, subject among other things, to the following Conditions:
  - (a) Each Customer shall give immediate notice to Company of any leakage or escape of steam.
  - (b) All repairs to or replacements of any Customer's piping and equipment shall be made promptly by the Customer at Customer's expense and shall not interfere with Company's ability to meet the service needs of its other Customers.
  - (c) Each Customer shall provide Company's duly authorized representatives with access at all reasonable times and to all of Company's property on the premises of the Customer and on all other premises which Customer may own or control for the purposes of meeting Company's service responsibilities to Customer and its other Customers.

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Company shall attempt to provide a Customer with reasonable notice prior to accessing such property provided that the access sought by Company is not related to an existing or impending emergency condition.

- (d) On or prior to the Service Commencement Date, Company shall furnish shut-off valves and cathodic protection isolation flanges when, in Company's judgment, such equipment is needed to efficiently and safely meet a Customer's service needs. Company shall also furnish the meter flow element, the meter proper and the necessary electronics and recorders and each Customer shall properly install such items. Each Customer shall provide to Company, at Customer's expense and at a location or locations Company determines to be suitable, 120-volt, 60-cycle, single-phase and reliable electricity supply. Each Customer shall also provide to Company, at Customer's expense and at a location or locations Company determines to be suitable, secure land phone line, Ethernet, LAN, cable or WAN access communications capability suitable to meet Company's metering, monitoring and data collection needs.
- (e) Each Customer shall provide the temperature control indicated for the control valves in accordance with Company's specifications.

#### G. Miscellaneous.

- (i) Company shall use all commercially reasonable efforts to secure and maintain all necessary permits, easements, ordinances, franchises, licenses and approvals over private and public property and any other approvals that may be required to operate its distribution system. Company and each Tariff Customer agree that all obligations of Company to perform under this Tariff are contingent upon and subject to securing and maintaining all such permits, easements, ordinances, franchises, licenses and approvals. Each Tariff Customer agrees to assist and cooperate with Company, and further agrees to permit the installation, operation, maintenance and replacement of service lines and valve pits within and on such Customer's property or within the Building, and hereby grants to Company, at no cost to Company, the right to access and use such property and Building for the purpose of performing the actions required or permitted by this Tariff. Company shall provide advance notice and coordinate the installation of such service lines and valve pits with each Tariff Customer.
- (ii) Except with regard to a Tariff Customer's obligation to make payment(s) due pursuant to this Tariff, neither party shall be liable to the other for failure to perform an obligation to the extent such failure was caused by Force Majeure. The term Force Majeure as employed herein means any cause not reasonably within the control of the party claiming the suspension as further defined herein. Force Majeure shall include, but not limited to the following: (1) physical events such as acts of God, landslides, lightning, earthquakes, fires, storms or storm warnings, such as hurricanes or tornadoes, which result in evacuation of the affected area, floods, washouts, explosions, breakage or accident or necessity of repairs to machinery, plant or equipment or lines or pipe; (2) weather related events affecting an entire geographic region, such as low temperatures which cause freezing of lines or pipes; (3) interruption or curtailment of steam supply to Company's distribution system; (4) acts of others such as strikes, lockouts, or other industrial disturbances, riots, sabotage, insurrections or wars; and (5) governmental action such as the necessity for compliance with any court order, law, statute, ordinance, regulation or policy having the effect of law promulgated by a governmental authority having jurisdiction. Each Tariff Customer and Company shall make reasonable efforts to avoid the adverse impacts of a Force Majeure and to resolve the event or occurrence once it has occurred in order to resume performance. Notwithstanding anything to the contrary herein, the settlement of strikes, lockouts or other industrial disturbances shall be within the sole discretion of the party experiencing such disturbance. The party whose performance is prevented by Force Majeure must provide prompt and reasonable notice to the other party. Initial notice may be given orally; however, written notice with reasonably full particulars of the event or occurrence is

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required as soon as reasonably possible. Upon providing written notice of Force Majeure to the other party, the affected party will be relieved of its obligation, from the onset of the Force Majeure event and to the extent and duration of Force Majeure.

- (iii) No waiver of breach of this Tariff shall be held to be a waiver of any other or subsequent breach. Each remedy available to a non-defaulting party shall be cumulative and in addition to any other remedy provided by law or in equity. The failure of either party to insist on strict performance of any provision under this Tariff, or to take advantage of any right hereunder, shall not be construed as a waiver of such provision or right. No single or partial exercise of any right, power or privilege shall preclude any other or future exercise thereof or the exercise of any other right, power or privilege. Any suspension or waiver of a default or other provision under this Tariff shall not suspend, waive or affect any other default or other provision under this Tariff, and shall not be construed as a bar to any right or remedy that a party would otherwise have had on any future occasion.
- (iv) Any claim or dispute involving a Tariff Customer shall be resolved in accordance with such process and procedures as permitted by applicable laws and regulations.
- (v) If Company has reasonable grounds for insecurity regarding a Tariff Customer's performance of any obligation under this Tariff (whether or not then due), including, without limitation, the occurrence of a material change in creditworthiness, Company shall have the right to require that Customer provide adequate assurance of performance and provide sufficient security in the form, amount and for the term reasonably acceptable to Company, including but not limited to a cash security deposit, a standby irrevocable letter of credit, a prepayment, a security interest in an asset or a performance bond or guaranty.
- (vi) Company shall not be liable for any loss, damage, expense (including reasonable attorney's fees), or claim for personal injury, death, property damage, or otherwise arising from Company's distribution of steam to the Point of Delivery pursuant to this Tariff unless such loss, damage, expense or claim is determined to be the direct result of Company's violation of its public utility obligations as determined in a final determination by the PUCO. Each Tariff Customer agrees to indemnify and hold Company harmless against any loss, damage, expense (including reasonable attorney's fees), or claim for personal injury, death, property damage, or otherwise arising from such Customer's receipt of steam at the Point of Delivery, such Customer's utilization of such steam and that Customer's return of water to Company's distribution system pursuant to this Tariff, to the extent such loss, damage, expense or claim is caused by negligence of such Customer, its employees, agents or tenants.

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#### 19. RATE SCHEDULE FOR DEFAULT DISTRICT STEAM SERVICE

A. <u>Consumption Rate</u>. The Consumption *Rate* described in the foregoing Section 18 shall be set at one and ten hundredths (1.10) times the authorized block rates contained in the Standard Contract. For the calendar year 2012, the Consumption Rate (applying the 1.10 multiplier) for Tariff Customers receiving District Steam Service shall be as set forth in the Monthly Consumption Rate Charge schedule below. Any charge specified below as having a zero value shall not apply. Any charge otherwise identified below or resulting from the foregoing Section 18 shall be in addition to the Consumption Rate Charge. If and when a change in the rate for Customers under Standard Contracts is authorized by the PUCO, all Tariff Customers shall be notified and the revised rates (at 1.10 times the new Standard Contract rates shall become effective for all Tariff Customers. Pursuant to Section 4905.31, Revised Code, when the PUCO authorizes a change to the Standard Contract rates, the Company shall file a revised Section 19 of this Tariff which will supersede this current Section and will conform the base rates to the level established by applying the process set forth above.

# MONTHLY CONSUMPTION RATE CHARGE PER MLBS OF STEAM

| The first 500 Mlbs  | \$13.20 |
|---------------------|---------|
| The next 500 Mlbs   | \$10.45 |
| The next 2,000 Mlbs | \$ 9.35 |
| The next 2,000 Mlbs | \$ 8.25 |
| All over 5,000 Mlbs | \$ 5.50 |

From and after January 1, 2013 the Consumption Rate per Mlbs of steam set forth above shall be increased on each January 1 by a percentage equal to the greater of the Consumer Price Index-All Urban Consumers (*CPI-AUC*) published by the United States Bureau of Labor Statistics for the immediately preceding calendar year (or its equivalent, as determined in the sole discretion of the Company, if such CPI-AUC is no longer published) or 3.00%.

# B. Purchased Steam Cost Recovery Charge.

Base Charge: \$14.61 per Mlbs consumed.

The Base Charge specified shall be adjusted up or down at least quarterly by Company to recover the delivered cost of steam purchased by Company to meet the steam needs of each Customer at the Point of Delivery and reconciled on Customers' Billing Period invoices over not less than three (3) Billing Periods to avoid abrupt adjustments and substantial swings or volatility in Customers' invoices but to ensure that the revenues obtained by Company match the Company's delivered cost of purchased steam. Company shall forecast its actual delivered cost of purchased steam on at least a quarterly basis, net of any prior period over or under recovery, and the Mlbs subject to the Purchased Steam Cost Recovery Charge and compute a new quarterly (or other period not to exceed a quarter) Purchased Steam Cost Recovery Charge based on such forecasts. The new Purchased Steam Cost Recovery Charge shall be computed by dividing the forecasted Mlbs subject to such Charge into the forecasted period's delivered cost of purchased steam net of any prior period over or under recovery. The Base Charge specified above shall be adjusted up or down for the forecasted period by the positive or negative difference between each newly computed Purchased Steam Cost Recovery Charge. Company shall notify each Customer of the as adjusted Purchased Steam Cost Recovery Charge thirty (30) days prior to the effective date of such Charge. Should events or circumstances (for example, significant market volatility in fuel costs or extreme weather conditions) indicate to Company that actual purchased steam costs or actual Mlbs subject to said Charge may be substantially different than the amounts forecasted, Company may adjust the Base Charge more frequently than quarterly.

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# C. Late Charge.

Each Customer shall pay each invoice rendered by Company within fifteen (15) days of the date of the invoice. Any invoice unpaid in full by the thirtieth (30th) day after the invoice date shall be deemed late and subject to an additional charge of one and one-half percent (1.5%) per month multiplied by the balance not timely paid.

# D. GRT Charge.

The total amount of all rates and charges shown on the invoice from Company to each Customer for each Billing Period shall be adjusted upward by .04986 (4.986 percent) to reflect the currently applicable taxes and other charges included in the GRT Charge as of the effective date of this Tariff to compute each total Billing Period invoice.

# 20. SCHEDULE OF INCORPORATED RATE-RELATED PROVISIONS

This schedule incorporates: (1) the fuel adjustment rider schedule included as Original Sheet 16 in Company's P.U.C.O. No. 1 and 2 tariffs ("prior tariffs") of Cleveland Thermal Steam Distribution, LLC; and (2) the base rate for steam heating service included as paragraph 6 of the standard contract attached as Appendix "A" to the prior tariff. The provisions hereby incorporated shall remain applicable only for those district steam agreements in effect on the effective date of this tariff which reference or incorporate any portion of either of such provisions and shall automatically lapse and become void and be of no effect when such district steam agreements either shall have been terminated in accordance with their terms or shall have been amended by the mutual agreement of the Company and a Customer to provide that the provisions of such agreements referencing or incorporating any portion of these provisions shall have been terminated.

# A. Fuel Adjustment Rider.

The weighted average cost of fuel burned for central steam service for each month shall be ascertained by the Company and filed monthly with the PUCO. The rates in each of the Company's steam schedules in which this Schedule is applicable shall be increased for such month by \$0.00225 per 1,000 pounds of steam for each full 0.10 of the cost of fuel per million Btu.

The weighted average cost of fuel as used in the above shall include all direct costs incurred by the Company to place fuel, at the point of burning in the boilers at plants in which steam is generated for sale under this Tariff.

# B. Base Rate for Steam Heating Service.

The Base Rate for Steam Heating Service shall be the Standard steam heating service rate, a sample of which is below:

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The first 250 Mlbs
The next 250 Mlbs

# **SERVICE SCHEDULES (CONT.)**

# RATES PER MLB. OF STEAM

| \$11.92 |
|---------|
| 10.36   |
| 0.00    |

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 The next 500 Mlbs
 9.69

 The next 2,000 Mlbs
 9.02

 The next 2,000 Mlbs
 8.02

 All excess over 5,000 Mlbs
 5.84

The rate per 1,000 lbs. of steam reflected in this paragraph for each of the usage blocks set forth above will be increased on April 1, 2007 by 3%, and on January  $1^{st}$  of each year thereafter; in year two, three and four the increase will be 3%, and in year five 3%, plus  $1^{-1}/2^{-1}$ %, rounded to two decimal places.

# APPENDIX A

# STANDARD STEAM SUPPLY AND DISTRIBUTION AGREEMENT

# **BY AND BETWEEN**

CLEVELAND THERMAL STEAM DISTRIBUTION, INC.

**AND** 

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# STANDARD STEAM SUPPLY AND DISTRIBUTION AGREEMENT

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| DISTI  | RIBU  | TION,   | INC.,   | located | at 1921  | Hamilton       | Avenue,  | Cleveland,   | Ohio 4     | 4114 | (here        | einafter,  | the  |
| Comp   | any). |         |         |         |          |                |          |              |            |      |              |            |      |

WHEREAS, Company is a district energy company engaged in the business of distributing steam and hot water to owners of buildings located in certain areas of the City of Cleveland, Ohio (hereinafter, the *City*) in accordance with reasonable arrangements or tariff schedules (*Tariff*) filed with the Public Utilities Commission of Ohio (hereinafter, *PUCO*); and

WHEREAS, Customer is the owner of a certain Building, as defined herein, located in the City and desires that Company obtain for and distribute processed steam to Customer to meet Customer's heating and other energy needs for the Building.

**NOW THEREFORE**, in consideration of the mutual promises hereinafter set forth and other good and valuable consideration, the receipt and sufficiency of which are hereby acknowledged, and subject to the terms and provisions hereof, Company and Customer, intending to be legally bound, agree as follows:

# 1. GENERAL PERFORMANCE OBLIGATIONS

- Subject to the more specific identification of Customer's requirements set forth herein, A. Company shall obtain for and distribute to Customer and Customer shall receive from Company's existing distribution system at the Point of Delivery (as specified in accordance with this Agreement) the total steam and heating requirements of the building or premises identified on Appendix A attached hereto and incorporated herein by reference (hereinafter, the *Building*). However, this Agreement does not obligate Company to provide uninterrupted service to Customer and Customer acknowledges, by executing this Agreement, that Customer's service may be interrupted or discontinued by Company when Company cannot maintain service through commercially reasonable measures. Company reserves the right, upon reasonable advance notice to Customer, to interrupt the supply of steam to enable Company to make, or cause to be made, any necessary repairs or connections to its steam supply or distribution system or mains. In general, Company intends to give Customer twenty-four (24) hours advance notice but, in the event of an emergency, Company will give Customer as much advance notice as practical. Company shall also provide Customer with periodic invoices stating the charges Customer owes Company for service provided under this Agreement and, notwithstanding any other provision in this Agreement, Company may discontinue service under this Agreement in the event that Customer has not made full payment for any Billing Period (as defined below) invoice within the period specified in Paragraph 5.A below. Company shall furnish, install, own and maintain, at its expense, isolation valves and such metering equipment as it deems appropriate to measure the steam distributed to Customer.
- B. Customer shall be responsible for all provisions of Sections 1 through 17, inclusive, of Company's Tariff (except to the extent inconsistent with the provisions of this Agreement), including all amendments, supplements and replacements of any thereof, in addition to the terms and conditions of this Agreement. Customer shall pay all costs of connecting the Building to Company's steam mains (exclusive of the currently existing connection) and shall use commercially reasonable efforts to receive steam from Company's distribution system for the

Building, meet the conditions established by Company to receive steam and distribution service from Company and timely pay Company for service provided pursuant to this Agreement. Upon Company's reasonable request and at no cost to Company, Customer shall provide adequate space and any interest in real property reasonably suitable to Company on Customer's property and within the Building to permit Company to meet its initial and ongoing service obligations under this Agreement or otherwise and shall allow Company reasonable access thereto at all reasonable times or at any time in the event of an emergency. By executing this Agreement, Customer authorizes Customer's property manager, any Building manager or such other person that may have the ability to do so, to permit Company to enter the Building for the purpose of performing this Agreement. By executing this Agreement, Customer acknowledges that it is solely responsible for establishing and maintaining such facilities, pumps and other equipment as may be required to redistribute steam within the Building and to install and operate such equipment, plant and facilities as may reasonably be necessary to avoid the actions or inactions of Customer, its tenants and other occupants of the Building from negatively affecting Company's ability to safely and adequately meet the needs of its other customers. Upon request, Customer shall furnish Company with information that is sufficient to demonstrate that Customer has installed plant, facilities, and equipment and implemented operating procedures to avoid imposing pressure-related shocks on Company's distribution system. Beyond such steam redistribution as Customer may need to perform to meet the steam and heating needs within the Building, Customer shall not redistribute steam, with or without a charge to the receiving party, for any other purpose without prior written consent of Company. Unless otherwise specifically agreed to by Company, Customer shall design, own, construct, install, operate and maintain, at its own expense, piping necessary to receive steam from Company at the Point of Delivery.

- C. Each party shall, respectively, design, construct, install, operate and maintain its plant, facilities, equipment and piping in an efficient, safe and reliable manner so that the purpose of this Agreement may be fulfilled. Prior to commencing service under this Agreement and throughout the Term, as defined below, Company shall have the right, but not the duty, to inspect, review and approve the connection of Customer's equipment and piping to Company's steam distribution system. Company's right of inspection shall in no way impose a duty or liability on Company with respect to the lawful, safe or proper operation of Customer's equipment and piping. By executing this Agreement, Customer represents to Company that it is not relying upon Company's expertise or knowledge in connection with the design or operation of Customer's equipment and the redistribution or use of steam within the Building.
- D. Throughout the Term, the utility steam service provided by Company shall be the sole source of Customer's space heating energy requirements for the Building and the sole source of steam service to the Building.

# 2. TERM OF AGREEMENT AND EARLY TERMINATION

- A. The initial term of this Agreement (such initial term, together with any extension or renewal thereof, the *Term*) shall commence on the *Service Commencement Date*, which for purposes of this Agreement shall be the date identified in Appendix A attached hereto and incorporated herein by reference, and shall terminate on the initial termination date set forth in Appendix B, attached hereto and incorporated herein by reference, unless sooner terminated pursuant to the provisions hereof.
- B. At the end of the initial term, this Agreement shall be renewed or extended as set forth in Appendix B.

- C. Customer may cancel or terminate this Agreement prior to the end of the Term only as set forth in Appendix B.
- Company may terminate this Agreement upon fifteen (15) days prior written notice to D. Customer in the event of any default by Customer, which default continues for a period of more than fifteen (15) days following a written demand by Company to cure such default. Any cure right that Customer may have pursuant to this Paragraph shall not extend to any default that arises as a result of Customer's failure to make timely payment. In the event of such termination, Customer shall pay to Company a cancellation charge equal to the sum of: (1) eight dollars (\$8.00) times the last twelve (12) Billing Periods invoiced steam use measured in 1,000s of pounds (Mlbs), (2) all costs incurred by Company in disconnecting the Building from Company's steam distribution system; and (3) an amount equal to all amounts, if any, due with respect to any unpaid or unamortized costs from the date of termination to the end of the amortization period as shown on any then current Schedule, as defined below, with interest thereon as may be set forth in the Schedule or as otherwise determined by Company. This cancellation charge shall be in addition to any other damages incurred by Company as a result of Customer's default, including reasonable attorneys' fees and lost profits, and Company reserves the right to seek such damages from Customer, In lieu of terminating the Agreement upon a default by Customer, Company shall have the right, and may elect, in its sole discretion, to discontinue or suspend service to Customer and the Building upon the giving of such notice as may then be required by law (or upon fifteen (15) days prior written notice if no notice is then required by law). In the event that Company suspends or discontinues service pursuant to this Paragraph, Company reserves the right to seek damages from Customer to compensate Company for all losses, costs, damages and expenses, including reasonable attorneys' fees and lost profits, suffered by Company as a result of Customer's default.
- In the event of any suspension or discontinuance of service or cancellation of the Agreement, (i) pursuant to Paragraph D above, or (ii) by Customer pursuant to any right under Appendix B, or (iii) as a result of the end of the Term, Company shall discontinue providing steam and distribution services hereunder, and Customer shall provide Company with such access to Customer's Building and property as Company may reasonably request to remove Company's plant, equipment, facilities and piping, if any. Customer's obligation to provide Company with such access for the purpose of removing such equipment and piping shall survive the termination of this Agreement for so long as Company may reasonably require to remove such equipment and piping. When district steam service has been disconnected for any reason covered by Paragraph D above, a reconnection charge of Two Hundred Fifty Dollars (\$250.00) plus the actual labor and materials cost to reconnect will be required if the former Customer requests reconnection, but Company shall be under no obligation to reconnect such Customer unless such Customer, prior to any reconnection, has paid all outstanding indebtedness in full to Company and has provided any security required by Company and, in addition, in the event of the applicability of Subparagraph 10(a)(ii) of the Tariff, has paid the Company an investigation fee of One Hundred Dollars (\$100) plus the actual costs of such investigation (if Company has undertaken an investigation of the matter) plus, further, an amount estimated by the Company to be reasonable compensation for the service fraudulently or illegally obtained and not paid for and for any damage to the property of Company, including any costs to repair any damage or tampering.
- F. By executing this Agreement, Customer assents to Company's receipt, in advance, of any such regulatory authority as Company may need to suspend, discontinue, cancel or terminate service pursuant to this Agreement either at the end of the Term of this Agreement or upon early cancellation.

- G. All obligations of Customer that arose prior to the cancellation of this Agreement, including, without limitation, the obligation to pay in full any cancellation charge and any unpaid invoices plus late charges for service provided by Company prior to cancellation, shall survive the cancellation or termination of this Agreement. No eminent domain or condemnation proceedings with respect to the Building's premises shall relieve Customer of its obligations hereunder.
- H. By executing this Agreement, Customer acknowledges that Company's service obligations pursuant to this Agreement involve the incurrence of fixed costs associated with long-lived assets and that cancellation charges specified herein are designed to require Customer to provide Company with sufficient revenue upon early termination to approximate Customer's just and reasonable contribution of a return of and return on the capital invested to make service available pursuant to this Agreement. Customer and Company have agreed to the cancellation charges with the understanding that the calculation of the actual fixed costs incurred by Company to meet Customer's service needs is subject to judgment and assumptions, as it is in any situation involving network utility service and costs incurred to meet the needs in common of multiple customers, and that the method of computing the cancellation charges set forth is this Agreement is appropriate and reasonable.
- I. If at any time a local regulatory authority, other regulatory authority, or Company judges that Customer's plant or equipment may be unsafe, Company may withhold or discontinue service until Customer has completed corrective actions and the actual or potential unsafe condition has been eliminated. Except in the case of an emergency, Company will attempt to provide Customer with reasonable notice prior to discontinuing or suspending service due to an unsafe condition.

# 3. INSTALLATION OF EQUIPMENT

- A. Company shall design, locate, own, construct and install, at its own expense, all equipment and piping (except for such equipment and piping required to be paid for by Customer pursuant to Paragraph 1.B above) necessary for Customer to receive steam from Company at the Point of Delivery in such amounts as may be reasonably required to meet Customer's heating needs as specified herein.
- B. If the Point of Delivery is located within the Building or other structure, then Customer shall provide Company with suitable pipe penetrations through the Building's or structure's wall or foundation or other improvements to provide for suitable space for the installation and maintenance of Company's piping, metering and other plant, facilities or equipment associated with the provision of service to Customer. However, upon Customer's request, Company may elect, in its sole discretion, to install, on behalf of Customer, such pipe penetrations or other improvements for Customer, provided that Customer's request for Company to act in such capacity on behalf of Customer shall obligate Customer to hold Company harmless from any claim or liability arising from Company's actions and provided that Customer first properly executes and delivers to Company the form of release attached hereto as Appendix 3, the terms and provisions of which, if and when executed and delivered, shall automatically be incorporated into this Agreement. Any costs incurred by Company in undertaking such installation shall be subject to the provisions of Paragraph 5.E below.

# 4. STEAM USAGE

The initial amount of steam estimated to be needed for Customer's annual use under this Agreement shall be the amount identified in Appendix A attached hereto and incorporated herein (hereinafter, the *Estimated Usage*). In order to assist Company with steam acquisition and distribution capacity

planning efforts, Customer shall notify Company of any anticipated changes in Customer's Estimated Usage promptly at such time and from time to time as such Estimated Usage is anticipated to change. By executing this Agreement, Customer acknowledges that failure to provide Company with information identifying anticipated changes in Customer's Estimated Usage may negatively affect Company's ability to timely obtain and distribute sufficient steam to meet Customer's needs.

# 5. RATES, CHARGES AND BILLING

- A. (1) Customer shall be billed by Company on a billing cycle basis (herein, the *Billing Period*) with approximately twelve (12) Billing Periods in each calendar year and each Billing Period approximating one service month. Company's invoices shall be based on the rates, charges and fees stated herein as applied to Customer's billing determinants during the Billing Period. Customer shall pay Company's invoice within fifteen (15) days of the invoice date. Any invoice unpaid in full within thirty (30) days of the invoice date shall be deemed late and subject to an additional charge of one and one-half percent (1.5%) per month multiplied by the balance not timely paid or two dollars (\$2.00), whichever is higher.
- B.(2) Company's invoice for service supplied to Customer pursuant to this Agreement shall include the following:
  - (i) Consumption Rate. The Consumption Rate shall be the rate charged to Customer for its metered consumption of steam for each Billing Period as set forth in Appendix 1 hereto and shall be multiplied by the total number of Mlbs of steam distributed to Customer by Company during the Billing Period.
  - (ii) Purchased Steam Cost Recovery Charge. The Purchased Steam Cost Recovery Charge shall recover the dollar-for-dollar delivered cost of the steam which Company purchases to meet Customer's steam requirements at the Point of Delivery. The Purchased Steam Cost Recovery Charge shall be adjusted and reconciled periodically based on such delivered cost in accordance with the formula specified in Appendix 1 and multiplied, as adjusted on a bills rendered basis, to the total number of Mlbs of steam distributed to Customer by Company during each Billing Period.
  - (iii) *GRT Charge*. The total amount of all rates and charges shown on each Billing Period invoice shall be adjusted upwards by a *GRT Charge* specified in Appendix 1. The value of the GRT Charge shall be specified as a percentage calculated so as to permit the billing and collection of incremental revenue sufficient for Company to recover the amount of any gross receipts, sales or other charges to which Company may, from time to time, be subject under the laws and regulations of the State of Ohio or other taxing authority, excluding taxes imposed on net income by federal, state and other taxing authorities. Company shall have the right to amend the GRT Charge from time to time to account for changes in the taxes imposed by the applicable taxing authorities.
  - (iv) Regulatory Recovery Charge. In the event that Company incurs any cost or charge as described in Paragraph D below, the prorated amount determined in accordance with such Paragraph shall be included on Customer's invoice for each Billing Period as a Regulatory Recovery Charge.
  - (v) Late Charge. Company shall render invoices to Customer for service for each Billing Period and such invoices shall be due and payable when issued by Company. The

Late Charge shall be equal to the monthly interest rate specified above times the balance not timely paid or two dollars (\$2.00), whichever is higher.

- B. *Metering and Billing*. Company shall install metering equipment sufficient to measure Customer's usage of steam and to bill and collect for service provided by Company pursuant to this Agreement. Such metering equipment shall permit Company to measure and, over time, record steam flow and convert this relationship to Mlbs. No person, except a duly authorized employee or agent of Company, shall be authorized herein to alter, tamper or interfere with the operation of any Company meter, or its connections, regulators or any other item of plant, facilities or equipment furnished by Company. In the event of an emergency, Customer may operate stop valves and meter stop valves provided that such operation is warranted based on emergency conditions, Customer notifies Company of such operation as quickly as possible, the operation is limited to the duration of the emergency and provided that the emergency does not arise after Company has discontinued or suspended service to Customer.
  - (i) A meter shall be deemed accurate if it is measuring within three percent (3%), more or less, of actual quantities. When a meter fails to accurately register the quantity of steam consumed or returned, Company will change or repair the meter and invoice Customer for the relevant Billing Period(s) based on either of the following methods:
    - a. Estimates of the steam consumed on the basis of past usage during a similar period and under similar conditions; or
    - b. Estimates of the steam consumed on the basis of usage registered by the new or repaired meter during a subsequent period.
  - (ii) Company may inspect and maintain its metering equipment located within the Building, as Company may determine to be reasonably necessary. In the event Customer believes that the meters located within the Building are not operating properly, Customer may request, in writing, a test of the meters whereupon Company shall conduct a test upon the meters located in the Building, in Customer's presence if desired by Customer. If the results of such test show that the meters are inaccurate, then Company shall bear the costs of such test and shall either repair or replace the defective meters at its own expense. If the results of such test show that the meters are accurate, Customer shall bear the costs of such test. Customer and Company agree to negotiate in good faith the amount of any billing adjustment, if any, made by Company as a result of any meter test, whether such adjustment would result in payments by, or credits issued to, Customer.
  - (iii) Company may, at its option, estimate Billing Period invoices. Differences between estimated bills and actual amounts due for the Billing Period(s) subject to estimated invoices shall be reconciled in the first subsequent invoice that is based on actual meter data. In no event shall Company estimate meter readings for more than three (3) consecutive months unless it is unable to read Customer's meter for reasons beyond Company's control.
  - (iv) Upon request by Customer, Company may, in its discretion, provide Customer with one or more additional Points of Delivery. Unless otherwise specifically agreed by Company, service provided to each Point of Delivery shall be separately metered and billed separately by Company and paid for by Customer.

- C. Other Charges. In the event that any tax, fee, levy, surcharge, assessment, imposition or similar charge (other than a gross receipts tax or other charge included in the GRT Charge set forth above) is imposed or assessed by any taxing authority on Company or Customer (but only to the extent that such charge is required to be collected by Company from Customer and remitted to such taxing authority), which tax or other charge is identifiable to, or measured by Customer's use, consumption, invoice, or purchase of products or services supplied or distributed by Company to Customer (or the sale thereof by Company to Customer), the Customer's rates and charges established herein shall be increased by an amount equal to the amount necessary for Company to recover such charge(s) imposed or assessed on Company or which Company is required to collect. In the event that Company is required to collect any such charge or imposition imposed on Customer, Company shall have no obligation at any time to reimburse Customer for any such amount collected or any portion thereof.
- D. Governmental Authority or Insurance Company Mandated Changes or Modifications. Changes or modifications as mandated, from time to time, by any governmental authority or insurance company and required for Company to obtain or distribute steam for its customers' needs are not a part of this Agreement. In the event that Company must incur financial costs for compliance with such requirements, a prorated amount of the total expense from time to time outstanding will be applied by Company to each Mlbs of steam sold to customers over a reasonable period so as to permit Company to recover the cost thereof.
- E. Mutually Agreed Charges. Upon the mutual agreement of the parties hereto, Company may elect to provide assistance to Customer in installing equipment and/or improvements to the Building related to the use of Company's products or service or the commencement of service to the Building. The type and amount of such assistance to be provided by Company, and the manner of repayment of such costs by Customer, if any, shall be set forth in a supplemental schedule to Appendix 4 to this Agreement (Schedule) mutually agreed to by the parties and attached to this Agreement. In the event that Company shall provide such assistance, Customer shall cooperate with Company and execute any instruments, certificates and other documents reasonably requested by Company in connection with providing such assistance, including but not limited to, any consents to assignment by Company of this Agreement or any part hereof, or of any revenues hereunder, including any amounts to be paid by Customer pursuant to the Schedule, to any lender providing funds to Company for such assistance or other party.

# 6. CONDITIONS TO RECEIVE AND MAINTAIN SERVICE AND CHANGES IN CONDITIONS

Customer's rights and Company's obligations under this Agreement are contingent on Customer satisfying the Conditions to Receive Steam Distribution Service (hereinafter, *Conditions*) attached hereto as Appendix 2 and incorporated herein. Customer agrees that Company may, with written notice to Customer, change the Conditions to the extent that Company reasonably determines that such changes are necessary for proper, efficient, and safe operation of Company's system, provided that such changes shall have effect on a prospective basis commencing thirty (30) days following the date of Company's written notice. All such changes shall, to the extent practicable, be applied uniformly and shall, on their effective date, automatically become a part of this Agreement without need for Customer and Company to formally execute an amendment or otherwise modify this Agreement.

# 7. MISCELLANEOUS

A. <u>Permits</u>. Company shall use all commercially reasonable efforts to secure and maintain all necessary permits, easements, ordinances, franchises, licenses and approvals over private and

public property and any other approvals that may be required to operate its distribution system. Company and Customer agree that all obligations of Company to perform under this Agreement are contingent upon and subject to securing and maintaining all such permits, easements, ordinances, franchises, licenses and approvals; otherwise, unless specifically agreed to by the parties hereto in writing, this Agreement shall terminate and neither party shall have any further obligation hereunder. Customer agrees to assist and cooperate with Company, and further agrees to permit the installation, operation, maintenance and replacement of service lines and valve pits within and on Customer's property or within the Building, and hereby grants to Company, at no cost to Company, the right to access and use such property and Building for the purpose of performing the actions required or permitted by this Agreement. Company shall provide advance notice and coordinate the installation of such service lines and valve pits with Customer.

- Force Majeure. Except with regard to Customer's obligation to make payment(s) due pursuant to this Agreement, neither party shall be liable to the other for failure to perform an obligation to the extent such failure was caused by Force Majeure. The term Force Majeure as employed herein means any cause not reasonably within the control of the party claiming the suspension as further defined herein. Force Majeure shall include, but not limited to the following: (1) physical events such as acts of God, landslides, lightning, earthquakes, fires, storms or storm warnings, such as hurricanes or tornadoes, which result in evacuation of the affected area, floods, washouts, explosions, breakage or accident or necessity of repairs to machinery, plant or equipment or lines or pipe; (2) weather related events affecting an entire geographic region, such as low temperatures which cause freezing of lines or pipes; (3) interruption or curtailment of steam supply to Company's distribution system; (4) acts of others such as strikes, lockouts, or other industrial disturbances, riots, sabotage, insurrections or wars; and (5) governmental action such as the necessity for compliance with any court order, law, statute, ordinance, regulation or policy having the effect of law promulgated by a governmental authority having jurisdiction. Customer and Company shall make reasonable efforts to avoid the adverse impacts of a Force Majeure and to resolve the event or occurrence once it has occurred in order to resume performance. Notwithstanding anything to the contrary herein, the parties agree that the settlement of strikes, lockouts or other industrial disturbances shall be within the sole discretion of the party experiencing such disturbance. The party whose performance is prevented by Force Majeure must provide prompt and reasonable notice to the other party. Initial notice may be given orally; however, written notice with reasonably full particulars of the event or occurrence is required as soon as reasonably possible. Upon providing written notice of Force Majeure to the other party, the affected party will be relieved of its obligation, from the onset of the Force Majeure event and to the extent and duration of Force Majeure.
- C. <u>Assignment</u>. This Agreement shall inure to the benefit of and be binding upon the parties' respective successors and assigns; provided, however, that any assignment by Customer of this Agreement or any rights hereunder shall be void and of no effect and Customer shall not be relieved of its obligations and liabilities hereunder, except as set forth in the following sentence. If there occurs any act (by a transfer of assets, stock or other equity interests, long term lease, management or operating agreement, or otherwise) whereby a third party (*Assignee*) acquires the right to control the Building or its operations, Customer may assign this Agreement and be relieved of its obligations and liabilities hereunder for any obligations not having theretofore accrued only if (i) Customer and such Assignee execute, respectively, assignment and assumption agreements substantially in the forms set forth in Exhibits A and B hereto or as otherwise satisfactory to Company in its sole discretion, and (ii) Company approves such assignment and the creditworthiness of such Assignee, which approval shall not be unreasonably withheld or delayed after being given reasonable notice of such assignment and evidence of such creditworthiness. Company may assign this Agreement upon giving not less than thirty (30) days prior written notice

to Customer of its intent to make such assignment. Except in any instance in which the assignment shall be a collateral assignment in favor of a secured lender, any such assignment shall relieve Company of all its obligations under this Agreement provided that Company obtains any such regulatory approvals for such assignment as may be required. Customer agrees that, at any time and from time to time, it will promptly and duly execute and deliver any and all such further instruments and documents and take such further action as Company may reasonably request in writing in order to evidence Customer's acknowledgment of such assignment by Company and to implement the provisions of this Paragraph. This Agreement does not, and shall not be construed as to confer any rights of a third party beneficiary upon any person or entity.

- D. <u>Estoppel Certificate</u>. Customer and Company agree, upon the written request of the other party, to execute and deliver to the other party, or to such person or entity as may be designated by the other party, a certificate which: (i) identifies this Agreement and any amendments and states that this Agreement as so amended is in full force and effect and has not been further amended as of the date of such certificate; (ii) specifies the date through which amounts owing under this Agreement have been paid; and (iii) states that, to the best of the knowledge of the party delivering such certificate, neither Company nor Customer are in default of any of its respective obligations under this Agreement (or, if any such default is claimed, identifying the same).
- E. <u>Entire Agreement</u>. This Agreement, including all attachments hereto, sets forth all the understandings, either oral or otherwise, between the parties relating to the subject matter hereof and any prior understandings, contracts or agreements between the parties with respect to such subject matter are superseded by this Agreement. Except as otherwise specified herein, this Agreement may be amended only by a writing executed by both parties. The headings and subheadings contained in this Agreement are used solely for convenience and do not constitute a part of this Agreement and shall not be used to construe or interpret the provisions of this Agreement.
- F. <u>Severability</u>. If any provision in this Agreement is deemed to be invalid, void or unenforceable by any court or other tribunal having jurisdiction, such determination shall not invalidate, void, or make unenforceable any other provision of this Agreement and this Agreement shall automatically be modified or reformed to give effect to all remaining provisions hereof.
- G. <u>Waiver</u>. No waiver of breach of this Agreement shall be held to be a waiver of any other or subsequent breach.
- H. <u>Governing Law</u>. The interpretation and performance of this Agreement shall be governed by the laws of Ohio excluding, however, any conflict of laws rule which would apply the law of another jurisdiction.
- I. <u>Authority</u>. Each party to this Agreement represents that it has full and complete authority to enter into and perform this Agreement. Each person who executes this Agreement on behalf of either party represents and warrants that he, she or it has full and complete authority to do so and such party will be bound thereby.
- J. <u>Notices</u>. All notices, demands, requests, reports, invoices and statements provided for in this Agreement shall be made in writing and sent by facsimile or mutually acceptable electronic means, a nationally recognized overnight courier service, hand delivered, or by regular mail addressed as follows:

To Company:

Cleveland Thermal Steam Distribution, INC.
1921 Hamilton Avenue
Cleveland, Ohio 44114
Attention: President
Fax: 216-241-6486

To Customer:

or to such other address and person as either party may, from time to time, notify the other in writing delivered to the address stated above. Notice will be given when received on a business day by the addressee. In the absence of proof of the actual receipt date, the following presumptions will apply. Notices sent by facsimile or other electronic means shall be deemed to have been received upon the sending party's receipt of its facsimile or other machine's confirmation of successful transmission. If the day on which such facsimile or other electronic transmission is received is not a business day or is after five p.m. on a business day, then the notice shall be deemed to have been received on the next following business day. Notice by overnight mail or courier shall be deemed to have been received on the business day after it was sent or such earlier or later time as is confirmed by the receiving party. Notice via regular mail shall be considered delivered five (5) business days after mailing.

- K. Remedies Cumulative. Each remedy under this Agreement shall be cumulative and in addition to any other remedy provided by law or in equity. The failure of either party to insist on strict performance of any provision under this Agreement, or to take advantage of any right hereunder, shall not be construed as a waiver of such provision or right. No single or partial exercise of any right, power or privilege hereunder shall preclude any other or future exercise thereof or the exercise of any other right, power or privilege. Any suspension or waiver of a default or other provision under this Agreement shall not suspend, waive or affect any other default or other provision under this Agreement, and shall not be construed as a bar to any right or remedy that a party would otherwise have had on any future occasion.
- L. <u>No Warranty</u>. Except as expressly stated herein, Company makes no warranties or representations, express or implied, as to any matter whatsoever related to the interconnection or performance of the district steam system to Customer's Building including the design, capacity, efficiency and operation thereof.
- M. <u>Arbitration</u>. Any claim or dispute involving an amount in controversy less than \$250,000 that arises out of or related to this Agreement or any breach thereof, shall be resolved by arbitration in accordance with the rules of the American Arbitration Association and judgment upon the award rendered by the arbitrators may be entered in any court having jurisdiction thereof. Any arbitration shall be conducted in Cleveland, Ohio. Reasonable discovery shall be permitted in any such arbitration, subject to the control of the arbitrators, and shall include, but not be limited to, depositions of the parties and production of documents. Claims or disputes involving an amount in controversy in excess of \$250,000 may be resolved by arbitration, but only at the election of the parties at the time of the dispute.
- N. <u>Security</u>. If Company has reasonable grounds for insecurity regarding Customer's performance of any obligation under this Agreement (whether or not then due), including, without limitation, the occurrence of a material change in creditworthiness, Company shall have the right

to require that Customer provide adequate assurance of performance and provide sufficient security in the form, amount and for the term reasonably acceptable to Company, including but not limited to a cash security deposit, a standby irrevocable letter of credit, a prepayment, a security interest in an asset or a performance bond or guaranty.

- O. <u>Indemnity</u>. Company agrees to indemnify and hold Customer harmless against any loss, damage, expense (including reasonable attorney's fees), or claim for personal injury, death, property damage, or otherwise arising from Company's distribution of steam to the Point of Delivery pursuant to this Agreement to the extent such loss, damage, expense or claim is determined to be the direct result of Company's violation of its public utility obligations as determined in a final determination by the PUCO. Customer agrees to indemnify and hold Company harmless against any loss, damage, expense (including reasonable attorney's fees), or claim for personal injury, death, property damage, or otherwise arising from Customer's receipt of steam at the Point of Delivery, Customer's utilization of such steam and Customer's return of water to Company's distribution system pursuant to this Agreement, to the extent such loss, damage, expense or claim is caused by negligence of Customer, its employees, agents or tenants.
- LIMITATION OF DAMAGES. FOR BREACH OF ANY PROVISION FOR WHICH AN EXPRESS REMEDY OR MEASURE OF DAMAGES IS PROVIDED, SUCH EXPRESS REMEDY OR MEASURE OF DAMAGES SHALL BE THE SOLE AND EXCLUSIVE REMEDY. A PARTY'S LIABILITY HEREUNDER SHALL BE LIMITED AS SET FORTH IN SUCH PROVISION, AND ALL OTHER REMEDIES AT LAW OR IN EQUITY ARE WAIVED. IF NO REMEDY OR MEASURE OF DAMAGES IS EXPRESSLY PROVIDED HEREIN, A PARTY'S LIABILITY SHALL BE LIMITED TO DIRECT ACTUAL DAMAGES ONLY. SUCH DIRECT AND ACTUAL DAMAGES SHALL BE THE SOLE AND EXCLUSIVE REMEDY, AND ALL OTHER REMEDIES OR DAMAGES AT LAW OR IN EQUITY ARE WAIVED. UNLESS EXPRESSLY HEREIN PROVIDED, NEITHER PARTY SHALL BE LIABLE FOR CONSEQUENTIAL, INCIDENTAL, PUNITIVE, EXEMPLARY OR INDIRECT DAMAGES OR BUSINESS INTERRUPTION DAMAGES, BY STATUTE, IN TORT OR CONTRACT, UNDER ANY INDEMNITY PROVISION OR OTHERWISE. IT IS THE INTENT TO THE PARTIES THAT THE LIMITATIONS HEREIN IMPOSED ON REMDIES AND THE MEASURE OF DAMAGES IS WITHOUT REGARD TO THE CAUSE OR CAUSES RELATED THERETO, INCLUDING THE NEGLIGENCE OF ANY PARTY, WHETHER SUCH NEGLIGENCE IS SOLE, JOINT OR CONCURRENT, OR ACTIVE OR PASSIVE. TO THE EXTENT THAT ANY DAMAGES REQUIRED TO BE PAID HEREUNDER ARE LIQUIDATED, THE PARTIES ACKNOWLEDGE THAT THE DAMAGES ARE DIFFICULT OR IMPOSSIBLE TO DETERMINE, OR OTHERWISE OBTAINING AN ADEQUATE REMEDY IS INCONVENIENT AND THE DAMAGES CALCULATED HEREUNDER CONSTITUTE A REASONABLE APPROXIMATION OF THE HARM OR LOSS.

**IN WITNESS WHEREOF**, the parties have executed this Agreement by their duly authorized officers as of the date first above written.

| CUSTOMER:                             |                |
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| Title: President                      |                |
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# APPENDICES & EXHIBITS

# APPENDIX A

# THE BUILDING

- 1. Description of the Building
- 2. Service Commencement Date: Date of the Agreement
- 3. Estimate Usage:

#### APPENDIX B

# TERM AND CUSTOMER TERMINATION

The provisions of this Appendix B supplement the foregoing Agreement and are incorporated therein. Defined terms used in this Appendix but not defined herein shall have the same meanings as set forth in the Agreement, unless the context clearly requires otherwise.

# INITIAL TERMINATION DATE

The initial term shall terminate on December 31, 2025.

#### RENEWAL

At the end of the initial term, the Agreement shall automatically renew for one five (5) year period, unless either party provides to the other party not less than six (6) months prior written notice to the contrary.

# EARLY TERMINATION BY CUSTOMER

Customer may cancel the Agreement at any time by providing the Company with written notice at least twelve (12) months prior to the effective date of such cancellation and by making, no later than fifteen (15) days after the effective date of the termination of the Agreement, a lump sum early cancellation charge payment to Company equal to the sum of: (1) eight dollars (\$8.00) times the last twelve (12) months invoiced steam use measured in Mlbs, (2) all costs incurred by Company in disconnecting the Building from Company's steam distribution system; and (3) an amount equal to all amounts, if any, due with respect to unpaid or unamortized costs from the date of termination to the end of the amortization period as shown on any then current Schedule, with interest thereon as may be set forth in the Schedule or as otherwise determined by Company. Such early cancellation charge shall be in addition to the charges for service received by Customer to the date of termination.

# RATE SCHEDULE FOR STEAM SUPPLY AND DISTRIBUTION SERVICE

Steam Service. Under the foregoing Agreement the *Consumption Rate* shall be as set forth in the Monthly Consumption Rate Charge schedule below. Any charge specified below as having a zero value shall not apply. Any charge otherwise identified below or resulting from the foregoing Agreement shall be in addition to the Consumption Rate Charge. Defined terms used in this Appendix but not defined herein shall have the meanings set forth in the foregoing Agreement unless the context clearly requires otherwise.

# MONTHLY CONSUMPTION RATE CHARGE PER MLBS OF STEAM

| The first 500 Mlbs  | \$13.50 |
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| The next 500 Mlbs   | \$10.69 |
| The next 2,000 Mlbs | \$ 9.57 |
| The next 2,000 Mlbs | \$ 8.45 |
| All over 5,000 Mlbs | \$ 5.62 |

From and after January 1, 2017 the Consumption Rate per Mlbs of steam set forth above shall be increased on each January 1 until the end of the Term by a percentage equal to the greater of the Consumer Price Index-All Urban Consumers (*CPI-AUC*) published by the United States Bureau of Labor Statistics for the immediately preceding calendar year (or its equivalent, as determined in the sole discretion of the Company, if such CPI-AUC is no longer published) or 3.00%.

# PURCHASED STEAM COST RECOVERY CHARGE

Base Charge: \$15.00 per Mlbs consumed.

The Base Charge specified shall be adjusted up or down at least quarterly by Company to recover the delivered cost of steam purchased by Company to meet the steam needs of Customer at the Point of Delivery and reconciled on Customer's Billing Period invoices over not less than three (3) Billing Periods to avoid abrupt adjustments and substantial swings or volatility in Customers' invoices but to ensure that the revenues obtained by Company match the Company's delivered cost of purchased steam. Company shall forecast its actual delivered cost of purchased steam on at least a quarterly basis, net of any prior period over or under recovery, and the Mlbs subject to the Purchased Steam Cost Recovery Charge and compute a new quarterly (or other period not to exceed a quarter) Purchased Steam Cost Recovery Charge based on such forecasts. The new Purchased Steam Cost Recovery Charge shall be computed by dividing the forecasted Mlbs subject to such Charge into the forecasted period's delivered cost of purchased steam net of any prior period over or under recovery. The Base Charge specified above shall be adjusted up or down for the forecasted period by the positive or negative difference between each newly computed Purchased Steam Cost Recovery Charge. Company shall notify Customer of the as adjusted Purchased Steam Cost Recovery Charge thirty (30) days prior to the effective date of such Charge. Should events or circumstances (for example, significant market volatility in fuel costs or extreme weather conditions) indicate to Company that actual purchased steam costs or actual Mlbs subject to said Charge may be substantially different than the amounts forecasted, Company may adjust the Base Charge more frequently than quarterly.

# LATE CHARGE

Customer shall pay each invoice rendered by Company within ten (10) days of the date of the invoice. Any invoice unpaid in full by the thirtieth (30th) day after the invoice date shall be deemed late and subject to an additional charge of one and one-half percent (1.5%) per month multiplied by the balance not timely paid or \$2.00, whichever is higher.

# **GRT CHARGE**

The total amount of all rates and charges shown on the invoice from Company to Customer for each Billing Period shall be adjusted upward by .04986 (4.986 percent) to reflect the currently applicable taxes and other charges included in the GRT Charge as of the date of the Agreement to compute the total Billing Period invoice.

# CONDITIONS TO RECEIVE AND MAINTAIN SERVICE

As stated in Paragraph 6 of the foregoing Agreement, Customer's rights and Company's obligations under this Agreement are contingent on Customer satisfying the Conditions to Receive Steam Distribution Service (*Conditions*) set forth in this Appendix and incorporated in such Agreement. Customer agrees that Company may, with written notice to Customer change the Conditions to the extent that Company reasonably determines that such changes are necessary for proper, efficient, and safe operation of Company's system, provided that such changes shall have effect on a prospective basis commencing thirty (30) days following the date of Company's written notice. All such changes shall, to the extent practicable, be applied uniformly and shall, on their effective date, automatically become a part of the Agreement without need for Customer and Company to formally execute an amendment or otherwise modify the Agreement.

Company shall use its best efforts to obtain and distribute steam to Customer at sufficient pressure for Customer's needs. Company shall use commercially reasonable efforts to provide Customer with continuous steam distribution service, subject among other things, to the following Conditions:

- 1. Customer shall give immediate notice to Company of any leakage or escape of steam.
- 2. All repairs to or replacements of Customer's piping and equipment shall be made promptly by the Customer at Customer's expense and shall not interfere with Company's ability to meet the service needs of its other customers.
- 3. Customer shall provide Company's duly authorized representatives with access at all reasonable times and to all of Company's property on the premises of Customer and on all other premises which Customer may own or control for the purposes of meeting Company service responsibilities to Customer and its other customers. Company shall attempt to provide Customer with reasonable notice prior to accessing such property provided that the access sought by Company is not related to an existing or impending emergency condition.
- 4. On or prior to the Service Commencement Date, Company shall furnish shut-off valves and cathodic protection isolation flanges when, in Company's judgment, such equipment is needed to efficiently and safely meets Customer's service needs. Company shall also furnish the meter flow element, the meter proper and the necessary electronics and recorders and Customer shall properly install such items. Customer shall provide to Company, at Customer's expense and at a location or locations Company determines to be suitable, 120-volt, 60-cycle, single-phase and reliable electricity supply. Customer shall also provide to Company, at Customer's expense and at a location or locations Company determines to be suitable, secure land phone line, Ethernet, LAN, cable or WAN access communications capability suitable to meet Company's metering, monitoring and data collection needs.

# CUSTOMER RELEASE PIPE PENETRATIONS

| Supply and Distribution Agreement, dated as of the   |
|--|
| Defined terms used but not defined in this Release shall have the meanings set forth in the Agreement.   |
| By executing this Release, Customer acknowledges and agrees that, pursuant to Paragraph 3.B of the Agreement, it has requested Company to install pipe penetrations through the Building's or structure's wall or foundation or other improvements to provide for suitable space for the installation and maintenance of Company's piping, metering and other plant, facilities or equipment associated with the provision of service to Customer and Company has elected, subject to the execution of this Release by Customer, to install such pipe penetrations.  |
| Customer, for and in consideration of the installation by Company of the wall sleeves for the pipe penetrations in the Building or other improvements and other good and valuable consideration, the receipt and sufficiency of which are hereby acknowledged, does for itself and all of its affiliates and related business entities, and each of their present and former parents, subsidiaries, affiliates, officers, directors, partners, shareholders, employees, agents, representatives, successors and assigns, hereby remises, releases and forever discharges, and covenants not to sue, the Company and anyone acting in concert or participation with it, whether acting individually or otherwise through any other person or entity, and all of their affiliates and related business entities, and each of their present and former parents, subsidiaries, affiliates, officers, directors, partners, shareholders, employees, agents and representatives, successors and assigns, from any and all actions and causes of action, damages, suits, debts, accounts, bonds, contracts, promises, judgments, costs, claims and demands whatsoever, of any nature, kind or description, at law or in equity, which they had, now have or which they or any of them may have in the future, by reason of anything done or omitted by any person or entity, or by reason of any matter, cause, thing or event whatsoever, from the beginning of time, whether known or unknown at the present time, arising out of or in any way relating to or connected with, directly or indirectly, Company's provision of wall sleeves for the pipe penetrations in the Building. |
| Customer:  |
| By:  |
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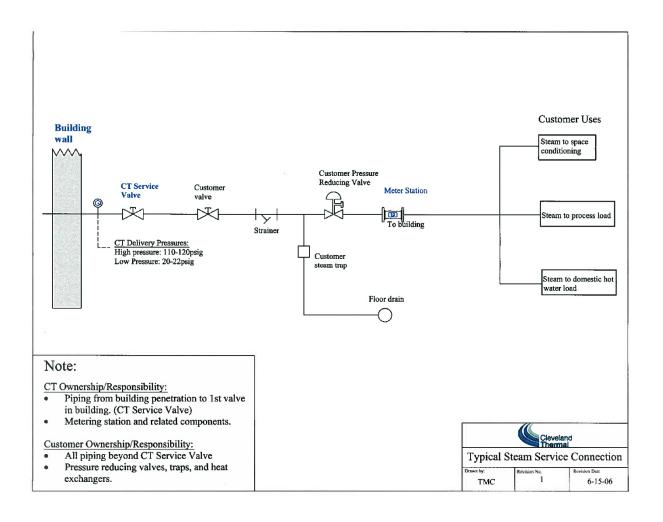
# COMPANY PROVIDED BUILDING IMPROVEMENTS

In accordance with Paragraph 5.E of the foregoing Agreement between Customer and Company, Company may elect to incur certain costs in connection with the construction and installation of certain improvements to the Building on behalf of Customer, which costs Customer would be obligated to repay to Company, with interest, as mutually agreed by the parties or upon early termination of such Agreement. The purpose of this Appendix is to identify how such costs shall be repaid or amortized for purposes of such repayment, including the determination of any unpaid or unamortized balance of such costs that Customer shall pay Company upon early termination of such Agreement.

The estimated costs to be incurred by Company pursuant to Paragraph 5.E of the foregoing Agreement shall be determined by Company and Company shall provide Customer with written notice of such estimated costs, whereupon Company and Customer shall mutually agree upon the schedule and manner of repayment and applicable interest rate and include such calculation in the Schedule to be attached hereto. If the actual costs of such improvements, as determined upon completion thereof, differ from the initial estimates included in the Schedule, the Schedule shall be modified to reflect such actual costs. Upon any early termination pursuant to Paragraph 2 of the foregoing Agreement, any unpaid and unamortized costs as shown on any then current Schedule as of the effective date of termination shall be due and owing from Customer to Company as part of the cancellation charge set forth in the applicable provision in Paragraph 2.

Notwithstanding anything contained in this Appendix, the Agreement or elsewhere, nothing shall obligate Company to incur any costs pursuant to Paragraph 5.E or this Appendix until the Schedule has been agreed to by Company and Customer and attached hereto.

# TYPICAL INTERCONNECTION DIAGRAM



# Exhibit A

[Letterhead of Assignor]

[Date]

Cleveland Thermal Steam Distribution, INC. 1921 Hamilton Avenue Cleveland, Ohio 44114 Attention: President

Re: Assignment of Standard Steam Supply and Distribution Agreement

# Ladies and Gentlemen:

|   | Clevel | and | Thermal St  | team Dist | ribution,  | INC. ( | ("Company") a | nd           | ("Ass             | signor") |
|---|--------|-----|-------------|-----------|------------|--------|---------------|--------------|-------------------|----------|
| entered   | into   | a   | Standard    | Steam     | Supply     | and    | Distribution  | Agreement    | ("Agreement")     | dated    |
|   |        |     | _, 20,      | pursuant  | to whic    | h Coi  | mpany agreed  | to provide s | steam utility ser | vice to  |
| Assignor. Assignor now desires to transfer its right, title, interest and obligations in the Agreement to |        |     |             |           |            |        |               |              |                   |          |
| ("Assignee"), pursuant to the terms and conditions of this Assignment of Standard                         |        |     |             |           |            |        |               |              |                   |          |
| Steam S   | upply  | and | Distributio | n Agreen  | nent (this | "Assi  | gnment").     |              |                   |          |

- 1. Assignor hereby irrevocably assigns, conveys, transfers and sets over to Assignee all of Assignor's right, title, interest and obligations in and to the Agreement.
- Assignor represents and warrants to Company as follows: (i) this Assignment has been duly and validly executed and constitutes the legal, valid and binding obligation of each the Assignor and Assignee, enforceable against each of the Assignor and the Assignee in accordance with its terms; (ii) the Agreement remains in full force and effect and is enforceable against Assignor and Assignee; (iii) the execution, delivery, performance and effectiveness of this Assignment shall not operate, nor be deemed to be nor construed as, a waiver of any right, power or remedy of the Company under the Agreement, any term, provision, representation, warranty or covenant contained in the Agreement, or any other documentation executed in connection therewith; (iv) none of the provisions of this Assignment shall constitute, be deemed to be or construed as, a waiver of any event of default under the Agreement; and (v) Assignor and Assignee are in compliance with all of the terms and provisions set forth in the Agreement on their part to be observed or performed, and no event of default specified the Agreement, nor any event which upon notice or lapse of time or both would constitute such an event of default, has occurred and is continuing.
- 3. The terms, covenants, conditions and warranties herein shall inure to the benefit of and shall be binding upon the parties hereto and their respective successors and assigns; subject, however, to all limitations on further assignment or transfer contained in the Agreement. In the event any provision of this Assignment should be invalid, the validity of the other provisions hereof and of the Agreement shall not be effected thereby. This Assignment shall be governed by and construed in accordance with the laws of the State of Ohio.

|  | By:    |  |
|--|--------|--|
|  | Name:  |  |
|  | Title: |  |
| Accepted: Cleveland Thermal Steam Distribution, INC. |        |  |
| D  |        |  |
| By:<br>Name:   | _      |  |
| Title:   |        |  |
| Date:  |        |  |

**ASSIGNOR:** 

# Exhibit B

[Letterhead of Assignee]

[Date]

Cleveland Thermal Steam Distribution, INC. 1921 Hamilton Avenue Cleveland, Ohio 44114 Attention: President

Re: <u>Assumption of Standard Steam Supply and Distribution Agreement</u>

# Ladies and Gentlemen:

|  | Clevel  | and   | Thermal St | team Dist | ribution, | INC. ( | ("Company") a    | nd           | ("A             | Assignor") |
|--|---------|-------|------------|-----------|-----------|--------|------------------|--------------|-----------------|------------|
| entered  | into    | a     | Standard   | Steam     | Supply    | and    | Distribution     | Agreement    | ("Agreement     | ") dated   |
|  |         |       | _, 20,     | pursuant  | to whic   | h Cor  | npany agreed     | to provide s | steam utility s | service to |
| Assignor ("Assignee") now desires to assume and comply with all of the terms,                          |         |       |            |           |           |        |                  |              |                 |            |
| provisions, conditions, warranties and covenants contained in the Agreement, pursuant to the terms and |         |       |            |           |           |        |                  |              |                 |            |
| conditio   | ns of t | his A | Assumption | of Stand  | ard Stean | n Supp | oly and Distribu | ition Agreem | ent (this "Assu | mption").  |

- 1. Assignee hereby assumes, agrees and covenants with the Assignor and Company to perform and comply with all of the terms, provisions, conditions, warranties and covenants contained in the Agreement, under the terms thereof, as are to be performed and complied with by the Assignor. This Assumption by Assignee is specifically made for the benefit of Company, and is effective from and after the date of the execution of this Assumption. Assignee acknowledges, covenants and agrees that Company may enforce all the terms, conditions and provisions of the Agreement against Assignee to the extent as if Assignee were originally named as the Customer in the Agreement.
- 2. Assignee represents and warrants to Company as follows: (i) this Assumption has been duly and validly executed and constitutes the legal, valid and binding obligation of each the Assignor and Assignee, enforceable against each of the Assignor and the Assignee in accordance with its terms; (ii) the Agreement remains in full force and effect and is enforceable against Assignor and Assignee; (iii) the execution, delivery, performance and effectiveness of this Assumption shall not operate, nor be deemed to be nor construed as, a waiver of any right, power or remedy of the Company under the Agreement, any term, provision, representation, warranty or covenant contained in the Agreement, or any other documentation executed in connection therewith; (iv) none of the provisions of this Assumption shall constitute, be deemed to be or construed as, a waiver of any event of default under the Agreement; and (v) Assignor and Assignee are in compliance with all of the terms and provisions set forth in the Agreement on their part to be observed or performed, and no event of default specified the Agreement, nor any event which upon notice or lapse of time or both would constitute such an event of default, has occurred and is continuing.
- 3. The terms, covenants, conditions and warranties herein shall inure to the benefit of and shall be binding upon the parties hereto and their respective successors and assigns; subject, however, to all limitations on further assignment or transfer contained in the Agreement. In the event any provision of

this Assumption should be invalid, the validity of the other provisions hereof and of the Agreement shall not be effected thereby. This Assumption shall be governed by and construed in accordance with the laws of the State of Ohio.

| of the State of Onio.                                   |           |
|---|-----------|
|   | ASSIGNEE: |
|   | By:       |
|   | Name:     |
|   | Title:    |
| Accepted:<br>Cleveland Thermal Steam Distribution, INC. |           |
| By:Name: Title: Date:                                   |           |

# Exhibit C Revised Chilled Water Distribution Tariffs With Changes

P.U.C.O. NO. 1

**RULES AND REGULATIONS** 

GOVERNING

**DISTRICT COOLING** 

(CHILLED WATER)

PROVIDED BY

CLEVELAND THERMAL CHILLED WATER DISTRIBUTION, LLCINC.

WITHIN THE

DOWNTOWN CLEVELAND

# P.U.C.O. No. 1 Rules and regulations Governing District Cooling

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APPENDIX A – DISTRICT COOLING AGREEMENT AND EXHIBITS

## 1. <u>DEFINITIONS</u>

As used in these Rules and Regulations the following are defined terms to mean:

"Actual Demand" means the Customer's demand for cooling expressed as Tons of refrigeration during any one-hour period during a particular calendar month.

"Annual Peak" means the highest amount, of chilled water demanded (expressed as Tons of refrigeration) by the Customer for a one-hour period during the calendar year.

"Building" shall mean the structure(s) or premises owned or leased by the Customer for which District Cooling is provided by the Company.

"Chilled Water" shall mean the same as "District Cooling."

"Company" shall mean Cleveland Thermal Chilled Water Distribution, <u>LLCInc.</u>, its officers, agents, or employees.

"Contract Capacity" means the specific amount of cooling capacity on the Company's system which the Customer and Company agree should be reserved to adequately serve the Customer. The Company has no obligation to provide service in excess of the Contract Demand but will use reasonable efforts to do so. Contract Capacity is also one of the billing determinants in determining the monthly rates.

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"Customer" shall mean that entity, its officers, agents, or employees, which enters into a District Cooling Agreement with the Company to receive district cooling in downtown Cleveland.

"Deg F." means degrees on the Fahrenheit temperature scale.

"District Cooling Agreement" means the written agreement between the Customer and Company which includes not only these rules and regulations but also rates and any other considerations unique to that relationship. See Appendix A.

"District Cooling" shall mean the process by which chilled water is sent out from the Company's plant and circulated through a network of pipes to the premises of customers from which air is cooled; the water is then returned through pipes to the Company's plant.

"Point of Delivery" means the place within, at or near the Customer's premises where the Customer and Company agree that chilled water shall be delivered to the Customer and water shall be returned to the Company. The Point of Delivery shall be designated on Exhibit 3 attached to the District Cooling Agreement.

"PUCO" shall mean the Public Utilities Commission of Ohio.

"Service Commencement Date" shall mean the date the Customer first receives district cooling from the Company.

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#### 2. AVAILABILITY OF DISTRICT COOLING

District Cooling is available to those commercial, industrial or institutional entities with buildings which are located in the Cleveland area and abut the Company's distribution system. District cooling will only be provided to Customers who are willing to enter into a District Cooling Agreement for a term of at least five (5) years, except as provided for in Sections 18 and 19 below.

#### 3. DISTRICT COOLING AGREEMENT

- A. Except as provided for in Section 18 and 19 below, all terms, conditions, regulations, rates, and other provisions governing District Cooling Service are found in the District Cooling Agreement attached as Appendix A to these Rules and Regulations. Except as provided for in Sections 18 and 19 below, all customers must sign a District Cooling Agreement prior to receiving District Cooling Service.
- B. The Company and the Customer may mutually agree to add, delete, or supplement any term, condition, regulation, rate, or other provision of the District Cooling Agreement by reducing the same to writing. Any change which substantially deviates from the terms of Appendix A attached hereto shall be submitted to the Commission for approval pursuant to Section 4905.31, Revised Code. All contracts for service are subject to change in rates, service and in rules and regulations, hereinafter put into effect by the Company, the PUCO, or other public authority, as provided by law.

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## 4. RESPONSIBILITY FOR CHILLED WATER

The Customer shall be responsible for all chilled water used on the Premises until 48 hours after written notice has been given at the office of the Company to discontinue the supply.

## 5. DENYING SERVICE DUE TO INDEBTEDNESS

Service may be refused to any applicant in debt to the Company for service previously rendered.

#### 6. DENYING SERVICE DUE TO LOCATION

Applicants shall be accepted for District Cooling at locations served by existing street mains. The Company may, at its sole discretion, extend its facilities to serve prospective loads but shall not be required to provide such service.

## 7. <u>TEMPORARY SERVICE</u>

Unless otherwise agreed upon, any applicant desiring temporary service shall, in addition to the rates, pay the entire costs of installing and removing such temporary service.

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#### 8. CREDIT REQUIREMENTS

#### A. SECURITY REQUIREMENTS

The Company may require of a Customer as security for the payment of bills, a cash deposit not exceeding an amount sufficient to cover an estimate of the monthly average of the annual consumption by such Customer plus thirty percent, unless the Customer is a freeholder and financially responsible, or unless the Customer gives a reasonably safe guaranty in an amount sufficient to secure the payment of bills for sixty days' supply; upon which deposit there shall be allowed and paid to the Customer interest at the rate of not less than three percent per annum to the date of the final bill, provided it remains on deposit six consecutive months.

#### B. USE OF DEPOSITS

The Company may retain any deposit and apply the same upon bills for service or any indebtedness to the Company.

#### 9. RESALE OF CHILLED WATER

Chilled water furnished is for the sole use of the Customer, who shall not sell any of such chilled water to any other person, or permit any other person to use the same without the specific written permission of the Company to Submeter or Redistribute. The following general standards shall govern the granting of such permission:

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- (a) Any request for permission shall be in writing.
- (b) Submetering or Redistribution shall not be permitted under any circumstances to Premises not owned, leased or otherwise controlled by the Customer.
- (c) Redistribution may be permitted for residential uses.
- (d) Redistribution only shall be permitted where in the opinion of the Company it is incidental to the business conducted by the Customer and is not prohibited by Paragraph (f) hereof.
- (e) Redistribution or Submetering shall not be permitted with respect to aggregations of separate commercial or retail users such as those commonly known as shopping centers.
- (f) Notwithstanding the above, standards, the Company and the Customer may agree to submeter on the basis of unique circumstances and conditions such as year round load or heat rejection equipment (e.g., switch gear, data center, etc.).

## 10. REASONS FOR DISCONNECTING CHILLED WATER

A. Chilled Water may be disconnected without charge and the Company may remove its pipes, meters, appliances and other property for any of the following reasons:

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- a. For any violation or refusal to comply with the District Cooling Agreement and/or the general service rules and regulations on file with this Commission which apply to the customer's service;
- b. In the event the Customer uses chilled water in a manner detrimental to other customers;
- c. When providing chilled water is in conflict or incompatible with any order of the Commission, laws of the State of Ohio, or any political subdivision thereof or of the federal government or any of its agencies;
- d. When the customer has moved from the Premises;
- e. When supplying chilled water to any Customer creates a dangerous condition on the Customer's Premises or where, because of conditions beyond the Customer's Premises, termination of the supply of chilled water is reasonably necessary. Chilled water will not be restored until a dangerous condition or conditions have been corrected;
- f. In the event the customer resorts to any fraudulent practice in the obtaining of chilled water supplied, or is the beneficiary of any fraudulent practice, or the Company's meter, metering equipment or other property used to supply the service has been damaged

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by the Customer, his servants or agents. Chilled water will not be restored until the Customer has given satisfactory assurance that such fraudulent or damaging practice will be discontinued and has paid the Company an amount estimated by the Company to be a reasonable compensation for the service fraudulently obtained and not paid for and for any damage to the property of the Company including any costs to repair the damage.

- g. For repairs to the Company's equipment;
- h. Upon the request of the Customer;
- i. The Customer's failure to pay any indebtedness to the Company;
- j. The Customer's connection of any unauthorized devices to the Company's lines or equipment;
- k. The Customer's unauthorized use of the Company's chilled water, lines or equipment;
- 1. The Customer's construction or apparatus that does not meet governmental codes and regulations and/or with the reasonable requirements of the Company; and
- m. The Customer's construction, facilities, operations or activities by reason of a location, pollution, contamination or corrosion, which may cause reduced

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reliability, unsafe conditions, or other unreasonable impacts or disturbances on the Company's facilities or property.

## 11. <u>RECONNECTION CHARGES</u>

- A. When chilled water has been disconnected for failure to comply with the terms and conditions of the District Cooling Agreement or rules and regulations of the Company or has been disconnected at the Customer's request, a reconnection charge of \$250.00 plus the actual labor and materials costs will be required when the Customer requests reconnection.
- B. If chilled water is disconnected at the Customer's request, the Company shall not be under any obligation to resume said chilled water to the same Customer on the same Premises until the Customer has made payment of an amount equal to the minimum monthly charge (if any) for each month of the intervening period, but not to exceed twelve (12) months, plus the cost of making such reconnection.
- C. If payment in full on the outstanding balance is made to a Company employee whose original purpose was to disconnect the chilled water, then a charge of \$150.00 shall be assessed on the Customer's next billing. Chilled water which otherwise would have been disconnected shall remain intact.

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## 12. <u>FILTER OR STRAINER INSPECTION</u>

The Customer shall inspect its filters or strainers annually.

#### 13. CUSTOMER BILLS

Customers shall be billed on the basis of monthly meter readings and shall pay for the District Cooling on a monthly basis. All bills for service shall be payable on or before the due date indicated on the monthly bill. Interest, at the rate of 1.5 percent per month, may be charged on the previous month's capacity/usage consumption charges if unpaid at the next billing date.

## 14. METER TESTING, INACCURACY OR FAILURE

Meters shall be tested on the request of a customer, in his presence if desired by the customer, by a representative of the Company. The meter shall be deemed accurate if the variation is not less than three percent (3%); if the meter is deemed accurate, the party requesting the testing shall be charged for the expense of removing it for the purpose of testing. If the meter is proved inaccurate, then it shall be replaced or repaired without charge to the Customer.

If accurate meter readings are not available or if meter readings cover more or less than the usual billing period, bills shall be pro-rated or estimated by the Company on the basis of use during a similar period.

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Where leaks occur in Customer's pipes or apparatus resulting in loss of chilled water, the Customer shall be required to make immediate repairs, and the billing for the period of such leakage shall be adjusted on the basis of an estimated amount of chilled water.

#### 15. ACCOUNTING

The Company shall keep accurate and satisfactory records and books in accordance with the generally accepted accounting principles and the uniform system of accounts showing all costs, payments, rate adjustments, credits and other data.

## 16. CONTINUITY OF SERVICE AND LIABILITY

#### A. SERVICE CONTINUITY

The Company does not guarantee but will endeavor to furnish a continuous supply of chilled water and to maintain pressure within reasonable limits.

#### B. LIABILITY

The Company shall not be liable for direct and consequential damages which the Customer may sustain due to interruptions in service, variations in pressure, the use of chilled water apparatus or the presence of the Company's property on the Customer's Premises.

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Approval of the above tariff language by the PUCO does not constitute a determination by the Commission that the limitation of liability imposed by the Company should be upheld in a court of law. Approval by the Commission merely recognizes that since it is a court's responsibility to adjudicate negligence and consequential damage claims, it is also the court's responsibility to determine the validity of the exculpatory clause.

## 17. <u>COMPANY FACILITIES</u>

#### A. STANDARD SERVICE

The Company shall, where the Customer's Premises abut upon an existing chilled water main adequate and suitable for Customer supply, install and maintain at its own expense one standard chilled water service (which includes one supply pipeline and one return pipeline) from such main to the property line of such Customer, and shall also install and maintain a service valve; provided, however, any Customer now receiving chilled water from a chilled water main of the Company, directly or indirectly, but whose Premises do not abut upon such chilled water main may continue to receive chilled water if such Customer shall construct and maintain piping satisfactory to the Company from his Premises to such chilled water main.

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#### 18. CHILLED WATER DISTRIBUTION DEFAULT SERVICE

## A. Applicability

This service shall be applicable to: (i) all current Customers whose District Cooling Agreement has expired and who have not executed either a new District Cooling Agreement or an extension of their then current Agreements; and (ii) new Customers who elect not to execute a District Cooling Agreement provided for in Section 3, but whose service needs can be accommodated, in the sole judgment of the Company, without impairing the quality of chilled water service to Company's other Customers.

#### **B.** General Performance Obligations

- 1. Subject to the more specific identification of Customer's requirements set forth herein, Company shall obtain for and distribute to Customer and Customer shall receive from Company's existing distribution system and at the *Point of Delivery* specified by the Company the total chilled water and cooling requirements of Customer's buildings or premises (hereinafter, the Building). Company shall also receive returned water from Customer at the Point of Delivery pursuant to the terms of this Tariff. Company is not obligated to provide uninterrupted service to Customer, and Customer's service may be interrupted or discontinued by Company when Company cannot maintain service through commercially reasonable measures. In the event that Company cannot provide continuous chilled water distribution service to Customer in accordance with the terms and conditions of this Tariff for a period exceeding twenty-four (24) hours, Company shall make a pro rata adjustment to Customer's Chilled Water and Distribution Capacity Charges (as defined herein) based on the amount of time such service was not provided during the applicable *Billing Period* (as defined herein). Company shall also provide Customer with periodic invoices stating the charges Customer owes Company for service provided pursuant to this Tariff and, notwithstanding any other provision in this Tariff, Company may discontinue service under this Tariff in the event that Customer has not made full payment for any Billing Period invoice within the period specified in Paragraph F(1) below. Company shall furnish, install, own and maintain, at its expense, isolation valves and such metering equipment as it deems appropriate to measure the chilled water distributed to Customer and water returned to Company by Customer.
- 2. Customer shall use commercially reasonable efforts to receive chilled water from Company's distribution system for the Building, return water in sufficient quantity and without abnormal loss to Company, meet the conditions established by Company to receive chilled water distribution service from Company and timely pay Company for service provided pursuant to this Tariff. Upon Company's request and at no cost to Company, Customer shall provide adequate space and any interest in real property suitable to Company on Customer's property and within the Building to permit Company to meet its initial and ongoing service obligations under this Tariff or otherwise and shall allow Company reasonable access thereto at all times upon request by Company. Customer shall authorize Customer's property manager, any Building manager or such other person that may have the ability to do so, to permit Company to enter the Building for

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the purpose of meeting the terms of this Tariff. Customer acknowledges it is solely responsible for establishing and maintaining such facilities, pumps and other equipment as may be required to redistribute chilled water within the Building and to install and operate such equipment, plant and facilities as may reasonably be necessary to prevent the actions or inactions of Customer, its tenants and other occupants of the Building from negatively affecting Company's ability to safely and adequately meet the needs of its other customers. Upon request. Customer shall furnish Company with information that is sufficient, as determined solely by the Company, to demonstrate that Customer has installed plant, facilities, and equipment and implemented operating procedures to avoid imposing overpressure or pressure-related shocks on Company's distribution system. Beyond such chilled water redistribution as Customer may need to perform to meet the chilled water needs within the Building, Customer shall not redistribute chilled water for any other purpose without prior written consent of Company. The temperature at which Customer returns water to Company's distribution system has a significant effect on Company's ability to effectively distribute chilled water to Customer and Company's other customers and, therefore, Customer shall install and operate such Building equipment and facilities as may reasonably be required to keep the temperature of water returned to Company's distribution system within the range specified herein. Customer shall design, own, construct, install, operate and maintain, at its own expense, piping necessary to receive chilled water from Company at the Point of Delivery and all cooling equipment, including but not limited to pumps, valves, insulation, gauges, and controls necessary to return water to Company at the Point of Delivery within the temperature range specified herein. Customer shall not cause any additive, chemical, or other such item to enter Company's chilled water system or otherwise affect the chemical content of the chilled water received from or retuned to the Company.

3. Each party shall, respectively, design, construct, operate and maintain its plant, facilities, equipment and piping in an efficient, safe and reliable manner. Prior to commencing service, Company shall have the right, but not the duty, to inspect, review and approve the connection of Customer's equipment and piping to Company's chilled water distribution system. Company's right of inspection shall in no way impose a duty or liability on Company with respect to the lawful, safe or proper operation of Customer's equipment and piping. Customer is solely responsible for the design or operation of Customer's equipment and the redistribution or use of chilled water within the Building. If at any time a local regulatory authority, other regulatory authority, or Company judges that Customer's plant or equipment may be unsafe, Company may withhold or discontinue service until Customer has completed corrective actions and the actual or potential unsafe condition has been eliminated. Except in the case of an emergency. Company will attempt to provide Customer with reasonable notice prior to discontinuing or suspending service due to an unsafe condition. By accepting service in accordance with the terms of this Tariff. Customer represents to Company that it is not relying upon Company's expertise or knowledge in connection with the design or operation of Customer's equipment and the redistribution or use of chilled water within the Building.

## C. Commencement, Termination, and Disconnection of Service

1. Company shall commence providing service to Customer on the *Service Commencement Date*, which shall be the date on which Company commences providing chilled water distribution service at the Point of Delivery by opening the Building's supply and return isolation valves to, if needed, initially fill Customer's chilled water redistribution system and cooling equipment within

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the Building or otherwise commences the flow of chilled water to the Building. Customer may terminate this service by providing the Company with written notice at least thirty (30) days prior to the effective date of such termination and by making a lump sum termination charge payment to Company equal to the unamortized balance of any connection costs incurred by Company to commence service under this Tariff as identified in Paragraph C(5), provided there is such an unamortized balance.

- 2. Company may terminate this service upon thirty (30) days prior written notice to Customer in the event of any default by Customer which default continues for a period of more than thirty (30) days following a written demand by Company to cure such default. Any cure right that Customer may have pursuant to this Paragraph shall not extend to any default that arises as a result of Customer's failure to make timely payment. In such event, Customer shall pay to Company a cancellation charge equal to the unamortized balance of any connection costs incurred by Company to commence service under this Tariff as identified in Paragraph C(5). This cancellation charge shall be in addition to any other damages incurred by Company as a result of Customer's default.
- 3. In the event of termination of service, Customer shall provide Company with such access to Customer's Building and property as Company may reasonably require to remove Company's plant, equipment, facilities and piping for so long as Company may reasonably require to remove such equipment and piping.
- 4. Customer's obligation to pay any unpaid invoices plus late charges for service provided by Company prior to termination of service, shall survive the termination of service. No eminent domain or condemnation proceedings with respect to Customer's premises shall relieve Customer of its obligations hereunder.
- 5. In accordance with Paragraph C(2) and (3), Customer is obligated to pay to Company certain rates and charges upon early termination of service, including the balance of unpaid connection costs. The formula that shall apply for the purpose of determining any balance of such connection costs and the amount of such balance that Customer shall pay Company upon early termination service is specified in this paragraph. The actual connection costs incurred by Company pursuant to this Tariff shall be calculated using on a straight-line basis at a rate of twelve percent (12%) per annum applied to the starting balance. Upon Company's final determination of the actual connection costs, Company shall provide Customer with written notice of such actual costs. For purposes of determining the amount of the unpaid balance that is outstanding on the date of early termination, each payment installment shall be deemed to occur on the last business day of each month of service. Below, for illustration purposes only, is an example of an amortization schedule that assumes the actual connection and carrying costs total \$ 85,000.

#### Amortization Schedule

| \$ 85,000 | Ending Balance |
|-----------|----------------|
|           | \$95,200       |
|           | \$75,281       |
|           | \$52,972       |
|           | \$27,985       |
|           | \$ 85,000      |

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- 6. When chilled water has been disconnected for failure to comply with the terms and conditions of this Tariff, or rules and regulations of the Company or has been disconnected at the Customer's request, a reconnection charge of \$250.00 plus the actual labor and material costs will be required when the Customer requests reconnection.
- 7. If the chilled water is disconnected at the Customer's request, the Company shall not be under any obligation to resume said chilled water to the same Customer on the same premises until the Customer has made payment of an amount equal to the minimum monthly charge (if any) for each month of the intervening period, but not to exceed twelve (12) months, plus the cost of making such reconnection.

## D. Installation of Equipment

- 1. Company shall design, locate, own, construct and install, at its own expense, all equipment and piping necessary for Customer to receive chilled water from Company at the Point of Delivery in such amounts as may be reasonably required to meet Customer's cooling needs as identified to, and accepted by. Company in accordance with the provisions below and to receive into its distribution system returned water from Customer at the Point of Delivery. In order to assist Company with chilled water acquisition and distribution capacity planning efforts, Customer shall notify Company of any anticipated changes in Customer's capacity requirements and shall do so not later than thirty (30) days prior to the start of each calendar year and promptly at any time during the year if the information provided in the annual notice changes. By accepting service under this Tariff, Customer acknowledges that failure to provide Company with information identifying anticipated changes in Customer's capacity requirements may negatively affect Company's ability to timely obtain and distribute sufficient chilled water to meet Customer's needs.
- 2. If the Point of Delivery is located within the Building or other structure, then Customer shall provide Company with suitable pipe penetrations through the Building's or structure's wall or foundation to provide for suitable space for the installation and maintenance of Company's piping, metering and other plant, facilities or equipment associated with the provision of service to Customer. However, upon Customer's request. Company may elect to install, on behalf of Customer, such pipe penetrations for Customer, provided that Customer's request for Company to act in such capacity on behalf of Customer shall obligate Customer to hold Company harmless from any claim or liability arising from Company's actions and provided that Customer first properly executes and delivers to Company the form of a release as specified by the Company, the terms and provisions of which, if and when executed and delivered, shall automatically be incorporated into this Tariff as applicable to Customer.

#### E. Cooling Capacity Requirements and Billing Determinants

1. The initial amount of chilled water distribution capacity (hereinafter, *Tariff Capacity*) reserved by the Company for Customer's use under this Tariff shall be the amount identified in writing by Company and the Customer. Identification of Tariff Capacity shall be made prior to the provision of service under this Tariff.

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- 2. If Customer's highest actual demand for chilled water measured over an integrated sixty (60) minute period during any Billing Period (hereinafter, *Actual Demand*) exceeds the then existing Tariff Capacity, the then existing Tariff Capacity shall be restated to the level of such Actual Demand, thereby prospectively establishing Customer's new Tariff Capacity. Upon written request by Customer, Company may agree to forgive an Actual Demand's restatement of Customer's Tariff Capacity where the Actual Demand was the result of conditions or circumstances not reasonably within Customer's control.
- 3. In the event a new Tariff Capacity has been established as described in Paragraph E(2), Company shall, upon Customer's written request and at the end of the next Summer Period, make a downward adjustment to and reset the Tariff Capacity in recognition of actions taken by Customer to effectively manage its demand for chilled water distributed by Company. Such downward adjustment shall be based on an examination of the two most recent Summer Period's highest actual monthly demands with the average of such actual demands becoming the Customer's new Tariff Capacity. In no event, however, shall the Customer's Tariff Capacity be less than 0 tons.
- 4. Company is not obligated to distribute chilled water to Customer in excess of the Tariff Capacity as it may be revised from time to time. Company will, consistent with generally accepted industry practices and subject to its other service obligations, use reasonable efforts to meet Customer's Actual Demand to the extent that it exceeds the stated amount of Tariff Capacity then in effect. To the extent that Company reasonably believes that Customer's Actual Demand may negatively affect Company's ability to meet the needs of its customers, Company may restrict or otherwise limit the distribution of chilled water to Customer.

#### F. Rates, Charges and Billing

- 1. The Rate Schedule for Chilled Water Service is set out in Section 19 below. Customer shall be billed by Company on billing cycle basis (herein, the *Billing Period*) with approximately twelve Billing Periods in each calendar year and each Billing Period approximating one service month. Company's invoices shall be based on the rates, charges and fees stated herein as applied to Customer's billing determinants during the Billing Period. Customer shall pay Company's invoice within fifteen (15) days of the invoice date. Any invoice unpaid in full within thirty (30) days of the invoice date shall be deemed late and subject to an additional charge of one and one-half percent (1.5%) per month multiplied by the balance not timely paid. Company's invoice for service supplied to Customer pursuant to this Tariff shall include the following:
  - a. Distribution Capacity Charge. The Distribution Capacity Charge shall be equal to the product of the Distribution Capacity Rate (as shown in Section 19) multiplied by Customer's then current Tariff Capacity for the Billing Period as such Tariff Capacity has been established in accordance with Paragraph E(2). The Distribution Capacity Charge shall escalate on an annual basis each April 1st following the Service Commencement Date, in an amount equal to two percent (2%) plus one-half (1/2) of any annual increase in the Consumer Price Index All Urban Consumers (hereinafter, CPI-AUC) for the prior calendar year.
  - b. Distribution Consumption Charge. The Distribution Consumption Charge shall be equal to the product of the Distribution Consumption Rate (as shown in Section 19) multiplied

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- by the total number of ton hours of chilled water distributed to Customer by Company during the Billing Period.
- c. Purchased Chilled Water Cost Recovery Charge. The Purchased Chilled Water Cost Recovery Charge shall recover the dollar-for-dollar delivered cost of chilled water which Company purchases to meet Customer's chilled water requirements at the Point of Delivery. The Purchased Chilled Water Cost Recovery Charge shall be adjusted and reconciled periodically based on such delivered cost in accordance with the formula specified in Section 19 and multiplied, as adjusted, on a bills rendered basis to the total number of ton hours of chilled water distributed to Customer by Company during the Billing Period.
- d. Lost Water Charge. The Lost Water Charge shall be equal to the Lost Water Rate (as shown in Section 19) times the total gallons of chilled water lost on the Customer's side of the Point of Delivery during the Billing Period, as verified by Company-installed flow device(s).
- e. Return Temperature Adjustment Charge or Credit. The Return Temperature Adjustment Charge or Credit shall be equal to the charge or credit, as applicable, multiplied by the quantity of Billing Period ton hours at less than 55°F or in excess of 57°F, respectively. A Return Temperature Adjustment Charge shall be applied only during months when the Actual Demand is greater than or equal to twenty percent (20%) of the Tariff Capacity then in effect. No Return Temperature Adjustment Charge shall apply during a seasonal start-up or shut-down of Customer's system.
- f. *Late Charge*. Company shall render invoices to Customer for chilled water for each Billing Period and such invoices shall be due and payable when issued by Company. The *Late Charge* shall be equal to the monthly interest rate specified herein times the balance not timely paid.
- g. Adjustments to Charges. The Distribution Consumption Charge, the Lost Water Charge and the Return Temperature Adjustment Charge or Credit shall each be subject to annual escalations each April 1st following the Service Commencement Date, by an amount not to exceed one and one-quarter (1.25) times the annual increase in the CPI-AUC for the prior calendar year. In the event the publication of the CPI-AUC is discontinued, the Company will use a revised or replacement index that is similar to the discontinued CPI-AUC for purposes of computing all charge adjustments authorized by this Tariff based on changes in the CPI-AUC.
- 2. Metering and Billing. Company will install metering equipment sufficient to measure Customer's capacity requirements, usage of chilled water and amount and temperature of water returned to Company's system at each Delivery Point and to bill and collect for service provided by Company pursuant to this Tariff. Such metering equipment shall permit Company to measure and, over time, record chilled water flow and water temperature difference and convert this relationship to ton hours with each ton hour equivalent to 12,000 Btu's of cooling within sixty (60) minutes. No person, except a duly authorized employee of Company, shall be authorized to alter or interfere with the operation of any Company meter, or its connections, regulators or any other item of plant, facilities or equipment furnished by Company. In the event of an emergency,

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Customer may operate stop valves and meter stop valves provided that such operation is warranted based on emergency conditions. Customer notifies Company of such operation as quickly as possible, the operation is limited to the duration of the emergency and provided that the emergency does not arise after Company has discontinued or suspended service to Customer. A quantity of chilled water supply sufficient to initially fill Customer's system downstream of the Delivery Point shall be subtracted from Customer's initial invoice under this Tariff with any additional requirements beyond normal make-up charged at the Lost Water Charge Rate then in effect.

- a. A meter shall be deemed accurate if it is measuring within three percent (3%), more or less, of actual quantities. When a meter fails to accurately register the quantity of chilled water consumed or returned. Company will change or repair the meter and invoice Customer for the relevant Billing Period(s) based on either of the following methods:
  - i. Estimates of the chilled water consumed on the basis of past usage during a similar period and under similar conditions; or
  - ii. Estimates of the chilled water consumed on the basis of usage registered by the new or repaired meter during a subsequent period.
- b. Company may inspect and maintain its metering equipment located within the Building, as Company may determine to be reasonably necessary. In the event Customer believes that the meters located within the Building are not operating properly, Customer may request, in writing, a test of the meters whereupon Company shall conduct a test upon the meters located in the Building. If the results of such test show that the meters have overstated the amount of product used by Customer by at least three percent (3%), then Company will bear the costs of such test and shall either repair or replace the defective meters at its own expense. In all other cases, Customer shall bear the costs of such test. Customer and Company agree to negotiate in good faith the amount of any billing adjustment, if any, made by Company as a result of any meter test, whether such adjustment would result in payments by, or credits issued to, Customer.
- c. Company may, at its option, estimate Billing Period invoices. Differences between estimated bills and actual amounts due for the Billing Period(s) subject to estimated invoices shall be reconciled in the first subsequent invoice that is based on actual meter data. In no event will Company estimate meter readings for more than three (3) consecutive months unless it is unable to read Customer's meter for reasons beyond Company's control.
- d. Upon request by Customer, Company may, in its discretion, provide Customer with one or more additional Delivery Points. Unless otherwise specifically agreed by Company, service provided to each Delivery Point shall be separately metered and billed by Company and paid for by Customer.
- 3. For so long as the State of Ohio or any other taxing authority or authorities impose a tax on Company's gross receipts, the rates and charges established in this Tariff shall be increased by an amount equal to the total rate of gross receipts tax(es) imposed by all taxing authorities multiplied by the total of such rates and charges. In the event that any tax, fee, levy, surcharge, assessment, imposition or similar charge (other than a gross receipts tax) is imposed or assessed by any taxing authority on Company or Customer (but only to the extent that such charge is

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required to be collected by Company from Customer and remitted to such taxing authority), which tax or other charge is identifiable to, or measured by Customer's use, consumption, invoice, or purchase of Company's products or services (or the sale thereof by Company to Customer), the Customer's rates and charges established herein shall be increased by an amount equal to the amount necessary for Company to recover such charge(s) imposed or assessed on Company or which Company is required to collect.

#### G. Conditions to Receive and Maintain Service and Changes in Conditions

1. Customer's rights and Company's obligations under this Tariff are contingent on Customer satisfying the Conditions to Receive Chilled Water Distribution Service (hereinafter, *Conditions*) set out in Paragraph G(2) below. Company may, with written notice to Customer, change the Conditions to the extent that Company reasonably determines that such changes are necessary for proper, efficient, and safe operation of Company's system provided that such changes shall have effect on a prospective basis commencing thirty (30) days following the date of Company's written notice. All such changes shall, to the extent practicable, be applied uniformly and shall, become effective automatically without need for regulatory approval.

#### 2. Conditions to Receive and Maintain Service.

- a. Company will distribute chilled water to Customer and receive returned water from the Customer through Company's distribution system at the Point of Delivery at a normal operating pressure of between 90 psig and 150 psig and a maximum pressure of 180 psig. Company shall use its best efforts to obtain and distribute chilled water to Customer at a temperature of between 40°F and 42°F during the calendar months of May through October (hereinafter, the *Summer Period*), and no more than 50°F during the calendar months of November through April (hereinafter, the *Winter Period*) provided that such temperature range shall only apply during Customer's normal business hours (8 AM to 5 PM) during the Winter Period. Company shall use commercially reasonable efforts to provide Customer with continuous chilled water distribution service and receipt of returned water from Customer from or through Company's existing distribution network.
- b. During the Summer Period, Customer will return water to Company's distribution system at a temperature of not less than 55°F. In addition to all other rates and charges applicable according to this Agreement and if Customer returns water to Company at a temperature of less than 55°F during the Summer Period, Company may assess Customer a *Return Temperature Adjustment Charge* (as defined below) that applies when Customer is causing the return water temperature at less than 55°F. In addition to such other actions as the Company may take under this Tariff, Company may restrict or control Customer's service to insure the return chilled water temperature is 55°F or higher. If Customer returns water to Company at temperatures greater than 57°F during the Summer Period, Company may reduce Customer's bill by application of a *Return Temperature Adjustment Credit* (as defined below). Any *Return Temperature Adjustment Charge* and Return Temperature Adjustment Credit shall occur only when the Building is operating at or above 20% of *Contract Capacity* (as defined in the Agreement).

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- c. Customer shall give immediate notice to Company of any leakage or escape of chilled water.
- d. All repairs to or replacements of Customer's piping and equipment shall be made promptly by the Customer at Customer's expense and shall not interfere with Company's ability to meet the service needs of its other customers.
- e. Customer will provide Company's duly authorized representatives with access at all reasonable times to all of Company's property on the premises of Customer and on all other premises which Customer may own or control for the purposes of meeting Company service responsibilities to Customer and its other customers. Company shall attempt to provide Customer with reasonable notice prior to accessing such property provided that the access sought by Company is not related to an existing or impending emergency condition.
- f. On or prior to the Service Commencement Date, Company will furnish shut-off valves and cathodic protection isolation flanges when, in Company's judgment, such equipment is needed to efficiently and safely meet Customer's service needs. Company shall also furnish the meter primary flow element, separable thermometer wells, the meter proper and the necessary electronics and recorders and Customer shall properly install such items. Customer shall provide to Company, at Customer's expense and at a location or locations Company determines to be suitable, 120-volt, 60-cycle, single-phase and reliable electricity supply. Customer shall also provide to Company, at Customer's expense and at a location or locations Company determines to be suitable, secure land phone line, Ethernet, LAN, cable or WAN access communications capability suitable to meet Company's metering, monitoring and data collection needs.
- g. Customer shall provide the temperature control indicated for the control valve in accordance with Company's specifications.
- h. Customer shall furnish, install, and operate pressure gauges and a straining device or devices in its return line as close as possible to the Point of Delivery to prevent foreign matter from entering Company's chilled water system. Customer shall ensure that the pressure drop through the straining device or devices is included in Customer's determination of the friction losses that Customer shall be responsible for overcoming through the installation and use of booster pumps. Customer shall periodically inspect, clean and, as needed, replace filters and straining devices to ensure efficient operation of its and Company's system.
- i. For design purposes, the maximum combined running head on the chilled water distribution system will be 180 psig measured at point chilled water is produced and supplied to Company's distribution system, the maximum supply pressure anticipated at Customer's main supply valve will be 150 psig and the maximum residual static head shall be 90 psig. Customer shall not design, install or operate its plant, equipment or facilities so as to exert static pressure head in excess of 90 psig. In addition. Customer shall install, operate and maintain any provided booster pumps that may be reasonably required to supply the dynamic

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head sufficient to overcome friction loss that may occur on its property or within the Building and to supply any elevation head required above that provided by Company at the Point of Delivery.

- j. Company will be responsible for obtaining a chilled water supply sufficient to meet normal make-up water requirements of its distribution system. Customer shall not take any action to cause make-up water requirements met by Company to exceed normal levels, shall promptly notify Company any loss of chilled water that occurs on Customer's property or within the Building and act in a commercially responsible fashion to promptly minimize make-up water requirements. Chilled water supply requirements associated with thermal expansion of Company's chilled water distribution system will be the responsibility of Company.
- k. Customer shall adopt and implement commercially reasonable practices to properly clean, degrease and flush the chilled water system within its control and install, operate and maintain such system so as to eliminate any leaks that might or do occur at the maximum operating pressure. Customer shall be responsible for determining the means and methods by which its system shall be cleaned, degreased and flushed and shall provide Company with reasonable notice of the means and methods selected by Customer so that Company has a reasonable opportunity to object to such means and methods. In the event Company does so object, Company and Customer shall promptly engage in good faith discussions to identify mutually acceptable means and methods. Nothing in this Tariff will be construed as causing Company to assent to an improper means or method in circumstances where Company has not stated an objection or to impose an affirmative duty on Company to communicate an objection to Customer.

#### H. Miscellaneous

- 1. Company shall use all commercially reasonable efforts to secure and maintain all necessary permits, easements, ordinances and licenses over private and public property and any other approvals that may be required to operate its distribution system. The obligations of Company to perform under this Tariff are contingent upon and subject to securing and maintaining all such permits, easements, ordinances, licenses and approvals. Customer agrees to assist and cooperate with Company, and further agrees to permit the installation, operation, maintenance and replacement of service lines and valve pits within and on Customer's property or within the Building, and hereby grants to Company, at no cost to Company, the right to access and use such property and Building for the purpose of performing the actions required or permitted by this Tariff. Company shall provide advance notice and coordinate the installation of such service lines and valve pits with Customer.
- 2. Except with regard to Customer's obligation to make payment(s) due pursuant to this Tariff, neither party shall be liable to the other for failure to perform an obligation to the extent such failure was caused by Force Majeure. The term Force Majeure as employed herein means any cause not reasonably within the control of the party claiming the suspension as further defined herein. Force Majeure shall include, but not limited to the following: (1) physical events such as acts of God, landslides, lightening, earthquakes, fires, storms or storm warnings, such as hurricanes or tornadoes, which result in evacuation of the affected area, floods, washouts,

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explosions, breakage or accident or necessity of repairs to machinery, plant or equipment or lines or pipe; (2) weather related events affecting an entire geographic region, such as low temperatures which cause freezing of lines or pipes; (3) interruption or curtailment of chilled water supply to Company's distribution system; (3) acts of others such as strikes, lockouts, or other industrial disturbances, riots, sabotage, insurrections or wars; and (4) governmental action such as the necessity for compliance with any court order, law, statute, ordinance, regulation or policy having the affect of law promulgated by a governmental authority having jurisdiction. Customer and Company shall make reasonable efforts to avoid the adverse impacts of a Force Majeure and to resolve the event or occurrence once it has occurred in order to resume performance. Notwithstanding anything to the contrary herein, the settlement of strikes, lockouts or other industrial disturbances shall be within the sole discretion of the party experiencing such disturbance. The party whose performance is prevented by Force Majeure must provide notice to the other party. Initial notice may be given orally; however, written notice with reasonably full particulars of the event or occurrence is required as soon as reasonably possible. Upon providing written notice of Force Majeure to the other party, the affected party will be relieved of its obligation, from the onset of the Force Majeure event and to the extent and duration of Force Majeure.

- 3. If Company has reasonable grounds for insecurity regarding Customer's performance of any obligation under this Tariff (whether or not then due), including, without limitation, the occurrence of a material change in creditworthiness. Company may demand that Customer provide adequate assurance of performance and provide sufficient security in the form, amount and for the term reasonably acceptable to Company, including but not limited to, a standby irrevocable letter of credit, a prepayment, a security interest in an asset or a performance bond or guaranty.
- 4. Company is not responsible for any loss, damage, expense (including reasonable attorney's fees), or claim for personal injury, death, property damage, or otherwise arising from Company's distribution of chilled water to the Point of Delivery pursuant to this Tariff unless such loss, damage, expense or claim is determined to be the direct result of a final determination by the PUCO that Company violated its public utility obligations. Customer shall indemnify and hold Company harmless against any loss, damage, expense (including reasonable attorney's fees), or claim for personal injury, death, property damage, or otherwise arising from Customer's receipt of chilled water at the Point of Delivery, Customer's utilization of such chilled water and Customer's return of water to Company's distribution system to the extent such loss, damage, expense or claim is caused by negligence of Customer, its employees or agents.

## 19. RATE SCHEDULE FOR CHILLED WATER DISTRIBUTION DEFAULT SERVICE

#### A. Distribution Capacity Rate

\$0.517 per ton hour consumed or \$71.09 per ton per month of refrigeration.

#### **B.** Distribution Consumption Rate

\$0.148 per ton hour consumed.

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#### C. Purchased Chilled Water Cost Recovery Charge

Base Charge: \$0.185 per ton hour consumed.

The Base Charge specified shall be adjusted up or down annually by Company to recover the delivered cost of chilled water purchased by Company to meet the chilled water needs of Customer at the Point of Delivery and annually reconciled to ensure that the revenues obtained by Company match the Company's delivered cost of purchased chilled water. On an annual basis Company shall forecast its actual delivered cost of purchased chilled water, net of any prior period over or under recovery, and the ton hours subject to the Purchased Chilled Water Cost Recovery Charge and compute a new Purchased Chilled Water Cost Recovery Charge based on such forecasts. The new Purchased Chilled Water Cost Recovery Charge shall be computed by dividing the forecasted annual ton hours subject to such Charge into the forecasted annual delivered cost of purchased chilled water net of any prior period over or under recovery. The Base Charge specified above shall be adjusted up or down annually by the positive or negative difference between each newly computed Purchased Chilled Water Cost Recovery Charge and the Base Charge. Company shall notify Customer of the as adjusted Purchased Chilled Water Cost Recovery Charge 30 days prior to the effective date of such Charge. Should events or circumstances indicate to Company that actual purchased chilled water costs or actual ton hours subject to said Charge are substantially different than the amounts forecasted, Company may adjust the Base Charge more frequently than annually to avoid abrupt annual adjustments and substantial swings or volatility in the over or under recovery of the actual delivered cost of purchased chilled water.

## E. Lost Water Rate

\$0.086 per gallon lost in Customer's building during each Billing Period.

#### F. Return Temperature Adjustment Rate

\$0.065 per ton hour when the provisions of Paragraph 18G(2) of the Tariff are applicable.

- a. When return water temperature is between 55°F and 57°F, no adjustment is applied;
- b. When return water temperature is greater than 57°F, the metered volume of ton hours consumed under those conditions multiplied by the above rate is subtracted from Customer's invoice for the applicable Billing Period;
- c. When return water temperature is less than 55°F, the metered volume of ton hours consumed under those conditions multiplied by the above rate is added to Customer's invoice for the applicable Billing Period.

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## APPENDIX A

## CHILLED WATER DISTRIBUTION AGREEMENT

## **BY AND BETWEEN**

CLEVELAND THERMAL CHILLED WATER DISTRIBUTION, LLCINC.

**AND** 

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#### CHILLED WATER DISTRIBUTION AGREEMENT

This Chilled Water Distribution Agreement (hereinafter, the *Agreement*) is entered into as of the [ ] day of [ ], 2014 (*Effective Date*), between [\_\_\_\_\_\_], located at the Southwest corner of East Sixth Street and St. Clair Avenue, Cleveland, Ohio [Zipcode], (hereinafter, the *Customer*) and **CLEVELAND THERMAL CHILLED WATER DISTRIBUTION, LLCINC**, located at 1921 Hamilton Avenue, Cleveland, Ohio 44114 (hereinafter, the *Company*).

WHEREAS, Company is a district energy company engaged in the business of distributing chilled water to owners of buildings located in certain areas of the City of Cleveland, Ohio (hereinafter, the *City*) in accordance with reasonable arrangements or otherwise applicable tariff schedules (*Tariff*) filed with the Public Utilities Commission of Ohio (hereinafter, *PUCO*); and

WHEREAS, Customer is the owner of the Building, as hereinafter defined, located in the City and desires that Company obtain for and distribute processed chilled water to Customer to meet Customer's air conditioning and other cooling energy needs for the Building during the renovation thereof as a hotel and after its opening, expected as of the Effective Date to be in February, 2016 (such opening date hereinafter the *Opening Date*).

**NOW THEREFORE**, in consideration of the mutual promises hereinafter set forth, and subject to the terms and provisions hereof, Company and Customer agree as follows:

#### 1. GENERAL PERFORMANCE OBLIGATIONS

Subject to the more specific identification of Customer's requirements set forth A. herein, Company shall obtain for and distribute to Customer and Customer shall receive from Company's existing distribution system and at the *Point of Delivery* (as specified in accordance with this Agreement) the total chilled water and cooling requirements of the building or premises identified on Appendix A attached hereto and incorporated herein by reference (hereinafter, the Building). Company shall also receive returned water from Customer at the Point of Delivery pursuant to this Agreement. However, this Agreement does not obligate Company to provide uninterrupted service to Customer and Customer acknowledges, by executing this Agreement, that Customer's service may be interrupted or discontinued by Company when Company cannot maintain service through commercially reasonable measures. In the event that Company cannot provide continuous chilled water distribution service to Customer in accordance with the terms and conditions of this Agreement for a period exceeding twenty-four (24) hours, Company shall make a pro rata adjustment to Customer's chilled water service charges described below based on the amount of time such service was not provided during the applicable Billing Period (as defined below). Company shall also provide Customer with periodic invoices stating the charges Customer owes Company for service provided under this Agreement and, notwithstanding any other provision in this Agreement, Company may discontinue service under this Agreement in the event that Customer has not made full payment for any Billing Period invoice within the period specified in Paragraph 5.A below. Company shall furnish, install, own and maintain, at its expense, isolation valves and such metering equipment as it deems appropriate to measure the chilled water distributed to Customer and water retuned to Company by Customer.

- Customer shall be responsible for all provisions of Sections 1 through 17, inclusive, of Company's Tariff (except to the extent inconsistent with the provisions of this Agreement), including all amendments, supplements and replacements of any thereof, in addition to the terms and conditions of this Agreement. Customer shall pay all costs of connecting the Building to Company's distribution mains and shall use commercially reasonable efforts to receive chilled water from Company's distribution system for the Building, return water in sufficient quantity and without abnormal loss to Company, meet the conditions established by Company to receive chilled water distribution service from Company and timely pay Company for service provided pursuant to this Agreement. Upon Company's request and at no cost to Company, Customer shall provide adequate space and any interest in real property suitable to Company on Customer's property and within the Building to permit Company to meet its initial and ongoing service obligations under this Agreement or otherwise and shall allow Company reasonable access thereto at all times upon request by Company. By executing this Agreement, Customer authorizes Customer's property manager, any Building manager or such other person that may have the ability to do so, to permit Company to enter the Building for the purpose of performing this Agreement. By executing this Agreement, Customer acknowledges that it is solely responsible for establishing and maintaining such facilities, pumps and other equipment as may be required to redistribute chilled water within the Building and to install and operate such equipment, plant and facilities as may reasonably be necessary to avoid the actions or inactions of Customer and occupants of the Building from negatively affecting Company's ability to safely and adequately meet the needs of its other customers. Upon request, Customer shall furnish Company with information that is sufficient to demonstrate that Customer has installed plant, facilities, and equipment and implemented operating procedures to avoid imposing overpressure or pressure-related shocks on Company's distribution system. Beyond such chilled water redistribution as Customer may need to perform to meet the chilled water needs within the Building, Customer shall not redistribute chilled water, with or without a charge to the receiving party, for any other purpose without prior written consent of Company. By executing this Agreement, Customer agrees that the temperature at which Customer returns water to Company's distribution system has a significant effect on Company's ability to effectively distribute chilled water to Customer and Company's other customers and that Customer shall install and operate such Building equipment and facilities as may reasonably be required to keep the temperature of water returned to Company's distribution system within the range specified herein. Unless otherwise specifically agreed to by Company, Customer shall design, own, construct, install, operate and maintain, at its own expense, piping necessary to receive chilled water from Company at the Point of Delivery and all cooling equipment, including but not limited to pumps, valves, insulation, gauges, and controls necessary to return water to Company at the Point of Delivery within the temperature range specified herein. Customer shall not cause any additive, chemical, or other such item to enter Company's chilled water system or otherwise affect the chemical content of the chilled water received from or returned to the Company.
- C. Each party shall, respectively, design, construct, operate and maintain its plant, facilities, equipment and piping in an efficient, safe and reliable manner so that the purpose of this Agreement may be fulfilled. Prior to commencing service under this Agreement and throughout the Term, as defined below, Company shall have the right, but not the duty, to inspect, review and approve the connection of Customer's equipment and piping to Company's chilled water distribution system. Company's right of inspection shall in no way impose a duty or liability on Company with respect to the lawful, safe or proper operation of Customer's equipment and piping.

By executing this Agreement, Customer represents to Company that it is not relying upon Company's expertise or knowledge in connection with the design or operation of Customer's equipment and the redistribution or use of chilled water within the Building. Notwithstanding the foregoing, from and after the Effective Date to the Opening Date, Company shall cooperate with Customer, as reasonably requested, in providing information related to Company's facilities which will facilitate the design, construction and installation of the Building's piping and equipment and connection thereof to Company's mains.

D. Throughout the Term, the utility chilled water service provided by Company shall be the sole source of Customer's air conditioning and cooling energy requirements for the Building and the sole source of chilled water service to the Building.

#### 2. TERM OF AGREEMENT AND EARLY TERMINATION

- A. The initial term of this Agreement (such initial term, together with any extension or renewal thereof, the *Term*) shall commence on the Effective Date and shall terminate on the initial termination date set forth in Appendix B, attached hereto and incorporated herein by reference, unless sooner terminated pursuant to the provisions hereof.
- B. At the end of the initial term, this Agreement shall be renewed or extended as set forth in Appendix B.
- C. Customer may cancel or terminate this Agreement prior to the end of the Term only as set forth in Appendix B.
- Company may terminate this Agreement upon fifteen (15) days prior written notice D. to Customer in the event of any default by Customer which default continues for a period of more than fifteen (15) days following a written demand by Company to cure such default. Any cure right that Customer may have pursuant to this Paragraph shall not extend to any default that arises as a result of Customer's failure to make timely payment. In such event, Customer shall pay to Company a cancellation charge equal to the sum of: (1) the Distribution Capacity Charge (as defined below) in effect at the time of the written notice multiplied by the Contract Capacity (as defined below) then in effect and the number of months remaining under the Term of the Agreement; (2) an amount equal to all amounts, if any, due with respect to unamortized costs from the date of termination to the end of the amortization period as shown on any then current Schedule, as defined below, with interest thereon as may be set forth in the Schedule or as otherwise determined by Company; and (3) all costs incurred by Company in disconnecting the Building from Company's chilled water distribution system. This cancellation charge shall be in addition to any other damages incurred by Company as a result of Customer's default. Company reserves the right to seek damages from Customer to compensate Company for all losses, damages, costs and expenses, including reasonable attorneys' fees and lost profits, suffered by Company as a result of Customer's breach of this Agreement. In lieu of terminating the Agreement upon a default by Customer, Company shall have the right, and may elect, in its sole discretion, to discontinue or suspend service to Customer and the Building upon the giving of such notice as may then be required by law (or upon fifteen (15) days prior written notice if no notice is then required by law). In the event that Company suspends or discontinues service pursuant to this Paragraph, Company reserves the right to seek damages from Customer to compensate Company for all losses, costs,

damages and expenses, including reasonable attorneys' fees and lost profits, suffered by Company as a result of Customer's default.

- In the event of any suspension or discontinuance of service or cancellation of the Agreement, (1) pursuant to Paragraph D above, or (2) by Customer pursuant to any right under Appendix B, or (3) as a result of the end of the Term, Company shall discontinue providing chilled water and distribution services hereunder, and Customer shall provide Company with such access to Customer's Building and property as Company may reasonably request to remove Company's plant, equipment, facilities and piping. Customer's obligation to provide Company with such access for the purpose of removing such equipment and piping shall survive the termination of this Agreement for so long as Company may reasonably require to remove such equipment and piping. When chilled water service to the Building has been disconnected for any reason covered by Paragraph D above, a reconnection charge of Two Hundred Fifty Dollars (\$250.00) plus the actual labor and materials cost to reconnect will be required if the former Customer requests reconnection, but Company shall be under no obligation to reconnect such Customer unless such Customer, prior to any reconnection, has paid all outstanding indebtedness in full to Company and has provided any security required by Company and, in addition, in the event that there has occurred any tampering, interference or unauthorized use of Company's lines or equipment by Customer, its employees or agents (as contemplated by Sections 4933.18 and 4933.23, Ohio Revised Code) or has fraudulently or illegally obtained service from Company or been the beneficiary of such fraudulent or illegal action (as contemplated by Section 4933.18, Ohio Revised Code), has paid the Company an investigation fee of One Hundred Dollars (\$100) plus the actual costs of such investigation (if Company has undertaken an investigation of the matter) plus, further, an amount determined by the Company to be reasonable compensation for the service fraudulently or illegally obtained and not paid for and for any damage to the property of Company, including any costs to repair any damage or tampering.
- F. By executing this Agreement, Customer assents to Company's receipt, in advance, of any such regulatory authority as Company may need to suspend, discontinue, cancel or terminate service pursuant to this Agreement either at the end of the Term of this Agreement or upon early cancellation.
- G. All obligations of Customer that arose prior to the cancellation of this Agreement, including, without limitation, the obligation to pay in full any cancellation charge and any unpaid invoices plus late charges for service provided by Company prior to the effective date of cancellation, shall survive the cancellation or termination of this Agreement. No eminent domain or condemnation proceedings with respect to the Building's premises shall relieve Customer of its obligations hereunder.
- H. By executing this Agreement, Customer acknowledges that Company's service obligations pursuant to this Agreement involve the incurrence of fixed costs associated with long-lived assets and that cancellation charges specified herein are designed to require Customer to provide Company with sufficient revenue upon early termination to approximate Customer's just and reasonable return of and return on the capital invested to make service available pursuant to this Agreement. Customer and Company have agreed to the cancellation charges with the understanding that the calculation of the actual fixed costs incurred by Company to meet Customer's service needs is subject to judgment and assumptions, as it is in any situation involving

network utility service and costs incurred to meet the needs in common of multiple customers, and that the method of computing the cancellation charges set forth is this Agreement is appropriate and reasonable.

I. If at any time a local regulatory authority, other regulatory authority, or Company judges that Customer's plant or equipment may be unsafe, Company may withhold or discontinue service until Customer has completed corrective actions and the actual or potential unsafe condition has been eliminated. Except in the case of an emergency, Company will attempt to provide Customer with reasonable notice prior to discontinuing or suspending service due to an unsafe condition.

## 3. Installation of Equipment

- A. Company shall design, locate, own, construct and install, at its own expense, all equipment and piping (except for such equipment and piping required to be paid for by Customer pursuant to Paragraph 1.B above) necessary for Customer to receive chilled water from Company at the Point of Delivery in such amounts as may be reasonably required to meet Customer's cooling needs as specified herein and to receive into its distribution system returned water from Customer at the Point of Delivery.
- B. If the Point of Delivery is located within the Building or other structure, then Customer shall provide Company with suitable pipe penetrations through the Building's or structure's wall or foundation to provide for suitable space for the installation and maintenance of Company's piping, metering and other plant, facilities or equipment associated with the provision of service to Customer. However, upon Customer's request, Company may elect, in its sole discretion, to install, on behalf of Customer, such pipe penetrations or other improvements for Customer, provided that Customer's request for Company to act in such capacity on behalf of Customer shall obligate Customer to hold Company harmless from any claim or liability arising from Company's actions and provided that Customer first properly executes and delivers to Company the form of release attached hereto as Appendix 3, the terms and provisions of which, if and when executed and delivered, shall automatically be incorporated into this Agreement. Any costs incurred by Company in undertaking such installation shall be subject to the provisions of Paragraph 5.E below.

## 4. COOLING CAPACITY REQUIREMENTS AND BILLING DETERMINANTS

A. The initial amount of chilled water distribution capacity reserved by the Company for Customer's use under this Agreement shall be the amount identified in Appendix A attached hereto and incorporated herein (hereinafter, the *Contract Capacity*). In order to assist Company with chilled water acquisition and distribution capacity planning efforts, Customer shall notify Company of any anticipated changes in Customer's Contract Capacity requirements as identified herein and shall do so not later than thirty (30) days prior to the start of each calendar year and promptly at any time during the year if the information provided in the annual notice changes. By executing this Agreement, Customer acknowledges that failure to provide Company with information identifying anticipated changes in Customer's Contract Capacity requirements may negatively affect Company's ability to timely obtain and distribute sufficient chilled water to meet Customer's needs.

- B. If, during the Term of this Agreement, Customer's highest actual demand for chilled water measured over an integrated sixty (60) minute period during any Billing Period (hereinafter, *Actual Demand*) exceeds the then existing Contract Capacity, the then existing Contract Capacity shall be restated to the level of such Actual Demand, thereby prospectively establishing Customer's new Contract Capacity. Upon written request by Customer, Company may agree to forgive an Actual Demand's restatement of Customer's Contract Capacity where the Actual Demand was the result of conditions or circumstances not reasonably within Customer's control.
- C. In the event a new Contract Capacity has been established as describe in paragraph 4B, Company shall, upon Customer's written request and at the end of the next *Summer Period* (defined as May through October), make a downward adjustment to and reset the Contract Capacity in recognition of actions taken by Customer to effectively manage its demand for chilled water distributed by Company. Such downward adjustment shall be based on an examination of the two most recent Summer Periods' highest actual monthly demands with the average of such actual demands becoming the Customer's new Contract Capacity. In no event, however, shall the Customer's Contract Capacity be less than the initial Contract Capacity set forth in Appendix A.
- D. The parties agree that Company is not obligated to distribute chilled water to Customer in excess of the Contract Capacity. However, Company shall, consistent with generally accepted industry practices and subject to its other service obligations, use reasonable efforts to meet Customer's Actual Demand to the extent that it exceeds the stated amount of Contract Capacity. To the extent that Company reasonably believes that Customer's Actual Demand may negatively affect Company's ability to meet the needs of its other customers, Company may restrict or otherwise limit the distribution of chilled water to Customer.

## 5. RATES, CHARGES AND BILLING

- A. From and after the *Service Commencement Date* (as defined in Appendix A attached to this Agreement and incorporated herein), Customer shall be billed by Company on billing cycle basis (herein, a *Billing Period*) with approximately twelve (12) Billing Periods in each calendar year and each Billing Period approximating one service month. Company's invoices shall be based on the rates, charges and fees stated herein as applied to Customer's billing determinants during the Billing Period. Customer shall pay Company's invoice within fifteen (15) days of the invoice date. Any invoice unpaid in full within thirty (30) days of the invoice date shall be deemed late and subject to an additional charge of one and one-half percent (1.5%) per month multiplied by the balance not timely paid or two dollars (\$2.00), whichever is higher. Company's invoice for service supplied to Customer pursuant to this Agreement shall include the following:
  - a. Distribution Capacity Charge. The Distribution Capacity Charge shall be equal to the product of the then current Distribution Capacity Rate (as shown in Appendix 1) multiplied by Customer's Contract Capacity for the Billing Period. The Distribution Capacity Charge shall escalate on an annual basis each April 1st following the Service Commencement Date until the end of the Term, in an amount equal to two percent (2%) plus one-half (1/2) of any annual increase in the Consumer Price Index- All Urban Consumers (hereinafter, CPI-AUC) for the prior calendar year.

- b. *Distribution Consumption Charge*. The *Distribution Consumption Charge* shall be equal to the product of the *Distribution Consumption Rate* (as shown in Appendix 1) multiplied by the total number of ton hours of chilled water distributed to Customer by Company during the Billing Period.
- c. Purchased Chilled Water Cost Recovery Charge. The Purchased Chilled Water Cost Recovery Charge shall recover the dollar-for-dollar delivered cost of the chilled water which Company purchases to meet Customer's chilled water requirements at the Point of Delivery. The Purchased Chilled Water Cost Recovery Charge shall be adjusted and reconciled periodically based on such delivered cost in accordance with the formula specified in Appendix 1 and multiplied, as adjusted, on a bills rendered basis to the total number of ton hours of chilled water distributed to Customer by Company during each Billing Period.
- d. Lost Water Charge. The Lost Water Charge shall be equal to the Lost Water Rate (as shown in Appendix 1) times the total gallons of chilled water lost on the Customer's side of the Point of Delivery during the Billing Period, as verified by Company.
- e. Return Temperature Adjustment Charge or Credit. The Return Temperature Adjustment Charge or Credit shall be equal to the charge or credit, as applicable, multiplied by the quantity of Billing Period ton hours at less than 55°F or in excess of 57°F, respectively. A Return Temperature Adjustment Charge shall be applied only during months when the Building's actual demand is greater than or equal to twenty percent (20%) of the Contract Capacity. No Return Temperature Adjustment Charge shall apply during a seasonal start-up or shut-down of Customer's system.
- f. *Late Charge*. Company shall render invoices to Customer for chilled water for each Billing Period and such invoices shall be due and payable when issued by Company. The *Late Charge* shall be equal to the monthly interest rate specified herein times the balance not timely paid or two dollars (\$2.00), whichever is higher.
- g. *GRT Charge*. The total amount of all rates and charges shown on each Billing Period invoice shall be adjusted upwards by a *GRT Charge* specified in Appendix 1. The value of the GRT Charge shall be specified as a percentage calculated so as to permit the billing and collection of incremental revenue sufficient for Company to recover the amount of any gross receipts, sales or other charges to which Company may, from time to time, be subject under the laws and regulations of the State of Ohio or other taxing authority, excluding taxes imposed on net income by federal, state and other taxing authorities. Company shall have the right to amend the GRT Charge from time to time to account for changes in the taxes imposed by the applicable taxing authorities.
- h. Regulatory Recovery Charge. In the event that Company incurs any cost or charge as described in subparagraph D below, the prorated amount determined in accordance with such subparagraph shall be included on Customer's invoice for each Billing Period as a Regulatory Recovery Charge.
- i. *Adjustments to Charges*. The Distribution Consumption Charge, the Lost Water Charge and the Return Temperature Adjustment Charge or Credit shall each be subject to annual escalations each April 1st following the Service Commencement Date, by an amount not to exceed one and one-quarter (1.25) times the annual increase in the CPI-

AUC for the prior calendar year. In the event the publication of the CPI-AUC is discontinued, the Company will use a revised or replacement index that is similar to the discontinued CPI-AUC for purposes of computing all charge adjustments authorized by this Agreement based on changes in the CPI-AUC.

- Metering and Billing. Company shall install metering equipment sufficient to В. measure Customer's capacity requirements, usage of chilled water and amount and temperature of water returned to Company's system at each Point of Delivery and to bill and collect for service provided by Company pursuant to this Agreement. Such metering equipment shall permit Company to measure and, over time, record chilled water flow and water temperature differences and convert this relationship to ton hours with each ton hour equivalent to 12,000 British thermal unit's of cooling within sixty (60) minutes. No person, except a duly authorized employee of Company, shall be authorized herein or elsewhere to alter or interfere with the operation of any Company meter, or its connections, regulators or any other item of plant, facilities or equipment furnished by Company. In the event of an emergency, Customer may operate stop valves and meter stop valves provided that such operation is warranted based on emergency conditions, Customer notifies Company of such operation as quickly as possible, the operation is limited to the duration of the emergency and provided that the emergency does not arise after Company has discontinued or suspended service to Customer. A quantity of chilled water supply sufficient to initially fill Customer's system downstream of the Point of Delivery shall be subtracted from Customer's initial invoice under this Agreement with any additional requirements beyond normal make-up charged at the Lost Water Charge Rate then in effect.
  - (i) A meter shall be deemed accurate if it is measuring within three percent (3%), more or less, of actual quantities. When a meter fails to accurately register the quantity of chilled water consumed or retuned, Company will change or repair the meter and invoice Customer for the relevant Billing Period(s) based on either of the following methods:
    - a. Estimates of the chilled water consumed on the basis of past usage during a similar period and under similar conditions; or
    - b. Estimates of the chilled water consumed on the basis of usage registered by the new or repaired meter during a subsequent period.
  - (ii) Company may inspect and maintain its metering equipment located within the Building, as Company may determine to be reasonably necessary. In the event Customer believes that the meters located within the Building are not operating properly, Customer may request, in writing, a test of the meters whereupon Company shall conduct a test, in Customer's presence if desired by Customer, upon the meters located in the Building. If the results of such test show that the meters are inaccurate, then Company shall bear the costs of such test and shall either repair or replace the defective meters at its own expense. If the results of the test show the meters to be accurate, Customer shall bear the costs of such test. Customer and Company agree to negotiate in good faith the amount of any billing adjustment, if any, made by Company as a result of any meter test, whether such adjustment would result in payments by, or credits issued to, Customer.

- (iii) Company may, at its option, estimate Billing Period invoices. Differences between estimated bills and actual amounts due for the Billing Period(s) subject to estimated invoices shall be reconciled in the first subsequent invoice that is based on actual meter data. In no event shall Company estimate meter readings for more than three (3) consecutive months unless it is unable to read Customer's meter for reasons beyond Company's control.
- (iv) Upon request by Customer, Company may, in its discretion, provide Customer with one or more additional Points of Delivery. Unless otherwise specifically agreed by Company, service provided to each Point of Delivery shall be separately metered and billed by Company and paid for by Customer.
- C. In the event that any tax, fee, levy, surcharge, assessment, imposition or similar charge (other than a gross receipts tax or other charge included in the GRT Charge set forth above) is imposed or assessed by any taxing authority on Company or Customer (but only to the extent that such charge is required to be collected by Company from Customer and remitted to such taxing authority), which tax or other charge is identifiable to, or measured by Customer's use, consumption, invoice, or purchase of Company's products or services (or the sale thereof by Company to Customer), the Customer's rates and charges established herein shall be increased by an amount equal to the amount necessary for Company to recover such charge(s) imposed or assessed on Company or which Company is required to collect. In the event that Company is required to collect any such charge or imposition imposed on Customer, Company shall have no obligation at any time to reimburse Customer for any such amount collected or any portion thereof.
- D. Governmental Authority or Insurance Company Mandated Changes or Modifications. Changes or modifications as mandated, from time to time, by any governmental authority or insurance company and required to produce, obtain or distribute chilled water for Company's customers' needs are not a part of this Agreement. In the event that financial costs for compliance with such requirements must be incurred, a prorated amount of the total expense from time to time outstanding will be applied by Company to each ton of chilled water sold to customers over a reasonable period so as to permit the recovery of the cost thereof.
- E. Mutually Agreed Charges. Upon the mutual agreement of the parties hereto, Company may elect to provide assistance to Customer in installing equipment and/or improvements to the Building related to the use of Company's products or service or the commencement of service to the Building. The type and amount of such assistance to be provided by Company, and the manner of repayment of such costs by Customer, if any, shall be set forth in a supplemental schedule to Appendix 3 to this Agreement (Schedule) mutually agreed to by the parties and attached to this Agreement. In the event that Company shall provide such assistance, Customer shall cooperate with Company and execute any instruments, certificates and other documents reasonably requested by Company in connection with providing such assistance, including but not limited to any consents to assignment by Company of this Agreement or any part hereof, or of any revenues hereunder, including any amounts to be paid by Customer pursuant to the Schedule, to any lender providing funds to Company for such assistance or other party.

#### 6. CONDITIONS TO RECEIVE AND MAINTAIN SERVICE AND CHANGES IN CONDITIONS

Customer's rights and Company's obligations under this Agreement are contingent on Customer satisfying the Conditions to Receive Chilled Water Distribution Service (hereinafter, *Conditions*) attached hereto as Appendix 2 and incorporated herein. Customer agrees that Company may, with written notice to Customer change the Conditions to the extent that Company reasonably determines that such changes are necessary for proper, efficient, and safe operation of Company's system provided that such changes shall have effect on a prospective basis commencing thirty (30) days following the date of Company's written notice. All such changes shall, to the extent practicable, be applied uniformly and shall, on their effective date, automatically become a part of this Agreement without need for Customer and Company to formally execute an amendment or otherwise modify this Agreement.

#### 7. MISCELLANEOUS

- A. Permits. Company shall use all commercially reasonable efforts to secure and maintain all necessary permits, easements, ordinances, franchises and licenses over private and public property and any other approvals that may be required to operate its distribution system. Company and Customer agree that all obligations of Company to perform under this Agreement are contingent upon and subject to securing and maintaining all such permits, easements, ordinances, franchises, licenses and approvals; otherwise, unless specifically agreed to by the parties hereto in writing, this Agreement shall terminate and neither party shall have any further obligation hereunder. Customer agrees to assist and cooperate with Company, and further agrees to permit the installation, operation, maintenance and replacement of service lines and valve pits within and on Customer's property or within the Building, and hereby grants to Company, at no cost to Company, the right to access and use such property and Building for the purpose of performing the actions required or permitted by this Agreement. Company shall provide advance notice and coordinate the installation of such service lines and valve pits with Customer.
- В. <u>Force Majeure</u>. Except with regard to Customer's obligation to make payment(s) due pursuant to this Agreement, neither party shall be liable to the other for failure to perform an obligation to the extent such failure was caused by Force Majeure. The term Force Majeure as employed herein means any cause not reasonably within the control of the party claiming the suspension as further defined herein. Force Majeure shall include, but not limited to the following: (1) physical events such as acts of God, landslides, lightening, earthquakes, fires, storms or storm warnings, such as hurricanes or tornadoes, which result in evacuation of the affected area, floods, washouts, explosions, breakage or accident or necessity of repairs to machinery, plant or equipment or lines or pipe; (2) weather related events affecting an entire geographic region, such as low temperatures which cause freezing of lines or pipes; (3) interruption or curtailment of chilled water supply to Company's distribution system; (3) acts of others such as strikes, lockouts, or other industrial disturbances, riots, sabotage, insurrections or wars; and (4) governmental action such as the necessity for compliance with any court order, law, statute, ordinance, regulation or policy having the effect of law promulgated by a governmental authority having jurisdiction. Customer and Company shall make reasonable efforts to avoid the adverse impacts of a Force Majeure and to resolve the event or occurrence once it has occurred in order to resume performance. Notwithstanding anything to the contrary herein, the parties agree that the settlement of strikes, lockouts or other industrial disturbances shall be within the sole discretion of the party

experiencing such disturbance. The party whose performance is prevented by Force Majeure must provide notice to the other party. Initial notice may be given orally; however, written notice with reasonably full particulars of the event or occurrence is required as soon as reasonably possible. Upon providing written notice of Force Majeure to the other party, the affected party will be relieved of its obligation, from the onset of the Force Majeure event and to the extent and duration of Force Majeure.

- Assignment. This Agreement shall inure to the benefit of and be binding upon the parties' respective successors and assigns; provided, however, that any assignment by Customer of this Agreement or any rights hereunder shall be void and of no effect and Customer shall not be relieved of its obligations and liabilities hereunder, except as set forth in the following sentence. If there occurs any act (by a transfer of assets, stock or other equity interests, long term lease, management or operating agreement, or otherwise) whereby a third party (Assignee) acquires the right to control the Building or its operations, Customer may assign this Agreement and be relieved of its obligations and liabilities hereunder for any obligations not having theretofore accrued only if (i) Customer and such Assignee execute, respectively, assignment and assumption agreements substantially in the forms set forth in Exhibits A and B hereto or as otherwise satisfactory to Company in its sole discretion, and (ii) Company approves such assignment and the creditworthiness of such Assignee, which approval shall not be unreasonably withheld or delayed after being given reasonable notice of such assignment and evidence of such creditworthiness. Any assignment by Customer that does not adhere to the terms and conditions of this provision shall give Company the right, in its sole discretion, to terminate this Agreement and be relieved of its obligations hereunder. Company may assign this Agreement upon giving not less than thirty (30) days prior written notice to Customer of its intent to make such assignment. Except in any instance in which the assignment shall be a collateral assignment in favor of a secured lender, any such assignment shall relieve Company of all its obligations under this Agreement provided that Company obtains any such regulatory approvals for such assignment as may be required. Customer agrees that, at any time and from time to time, it will promptly and duly execute and deliver any and all such further instruments and documents and take such further action as Company may reasonably request in writing in order to evidence Customer's acknowledgment of such assignment by Company and to implement the provisions of this paragraph. This Agreement does not, and shall not be construed as to confer any rights of a third party beneficiary upon any person or entity.
- D. <u>Estoppel Certificate</u>. Customer and Company agree, upon the written request of the other party, to execute and deliver to the other party, or to such person or entity as may be designated by the other party, a certificate which: (a) identifies this Agreement and any amendments and states that this Agreement as so amended is in full force and effect and has not been further amended as of the date of such certificate; (b) specifies the date through which amounts owing under this Agreement have been paid; and (c) states that, to the best of the knowledge of the party delivering such certificate, neither Company nor Customer are in default of any of its respective obligations under this Agreement (or, if any such default is claimed, identifying the same).
- E. <u>Entire Agreement</u>. This Agreement, including all attachments hereto, sets forth all the understandings, either oral or otherwise, between the parties as to the subject matter hereof and any prior understandings, contracts or agreements are superseded by this Agreement. Except as

otherwise specified herein, this Agreement may be amended only by a writing executed by both parties. The headings and subheadings contained in this Agreement are used solely for convenience and do not constitute a part of this Agreement and shall not be used to construe or interpret the provisions of this Agreement.

- F. <u>Severability</u>. If any provision in this Agreement is deemed to be invalid, void or unenforceable by any court having jurisdiction, such determination shall not invalidate, void, or make unenforceable any other provision of this Agreement.
- G. <u>Waiver</u>. No waiver of breach of this Agreement shall be held to be a waiver of any other or subsequent breach.
- H. <u>Governing Law/Jurisdiction</u>. The interpretation and performance of this Agreement shall be governed by the laws of Ohio excluding, however, any conflict of laws rule which would apply the law of another jurisdiction. The parties agree that the state and federal courts sitting in Cleveland, Ohio will have exclusive jurisdiction over any claim arising out of this Agreement, and each party consents to the exclusive jurisdiction of such courts, except as necessary to effect any right of appeal.
- I. <u>Authority</u>. Each party to this Agreement represents that it has full and complete authority to enter into and perform this Agreement. Each person who executes this Agreement on behalf of either party represents and warrants that it has full and complete authority to do so and such party will be bound thereby.
- J. <u>Notices</u>. All notices, demands, requests, reports and statements provided for in this Agreement shall be made in writing and sent by facsimile or electronic means, a nationally recognized overnight courier service, hand delivered, or by regular mail addressed as follows:

or to such other address and person as either party may, from time to time, notify the other in writing delivered to the address stated above. Notice and all other communications will be given

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when received on a business day by the addressee. In the absence of proof of the actual receipt date, the following presumptions will apply. Notices and other communications sent by facsimile or other electronic means shall be deemed to have been received upon the sending party's receipt of its facsimile or other machine's confirmation of successful transmission. If the day on which such facsimile is received is not a business day or is after five p.m. on a business day, then the facsimile or other electronic transmission shall be deemed to have been received on the next following business day. Communications by overnight mail or courier shall be deemed to have been received on the business day after it was sent or such earlier time as is confirmed by the receiving party. Communications via regular mail shall be considered delivered five (5) business days after mailing.

- K. Remedies Cumulative. Each remedy under this Agreement shall be cumulative and in addition to any other remedy provided by law. The failure of either party to insist on strict performance of any provision under this Agreement, or to take advantage of any right hereunder shall not be construed as a waiver of such provision or right. No single or partial exercise of any right, power or privilege hereunder shall preclude any other or future exercise thereof or the exercise of any other right, power or privilege. Any suspension or waiver of a default or other provision under this Agreement shall not suspend, waive or affect any other default or other provision under this Agreement, and shall not be construed as a bar to any right or remedy that a party would otherwise have had on any future occasion.
- L. <u>No Warranty</u>. Except as expressly stated herein, Company makes no warranties or representations, express or implied, as to any matter whatsoever related to the interconnection or performance of the district cooling system to the Building including the design, capacity, efficiency and operation thereof.
- M. <u>Arbitration</u>. Any claim or dispute involving an amount in controversy less than \$300,000 that arises out of or related to this Agreement or any breach thereof, shall be resolved by arbitration in accordance with the rules of the American Arbitration Association and judgment upon the award rendered by the arbitrators may be entered in any court having jurisdiction thereof. Any arbitration shall be conducted in Cleveland, Ohio. Reasonable discovery shall be permitted in any such arbitration subject to the control of the arbitrators and shall include, but not be limited to, depositions of the parties and production of documents. Claims or disputes involving an amount in controversy in excess of \$300,000 may be resolved by arbitration, but only at the election of the parties at the time of the dispute.
- N. <u>Security</u>. If Company has reasonable grounds for insecurity regarding Customer's performance of any obligation under this Agreement (whether or not then due), including, without limitation, the occurrence of a material change in creditworthiness, Company shall have the right to require that Customer provide adequate assurance of performance and provide sufficient security in the form, amount and for the term reasonably acceptable to Company, including but not limited to, a standby irrevocable letter of credit, a prepayment, a security interest in an asset or a performance bond or guaranty.
- O. <u>Indemnity</u>. Company agrees to indemnify and hold Customer harmless against any loss, damage, expense (including reasonable attorney's fees), or claim for personal injury, death, property damage, or otherwise arising from Company's distribution of chilled water to the Point

of Delivery pursuant to this Agreement to the extent such loss, damage, expense or claim is determined to be the direct result of Company's violation of its public utility obligations as determined in a final determination by the PUCO. Customer agrees to indemnify and hold Company harmless against any loss, damage, expense (including reasonable attorney's fees), or claim for personal injury, death, property damage, or otherwise arising from Customer's receipt of chilled water at the Point of Delivery, Customer's utilization of such chilled water and Customer's return of water to Company's distribution system pursuant to this Agreement to the extent such loss, damage, expense or claim is caused by negligence of Customer, its employees or agents.

LIMITATION OF DAMAGES. FOR BREACH OF ANY PROVISION FOR P. WHICH AN EXPRESS REMEDY OR MEASURE OF DAMAGES IS PROVIDED, SUCH EXPRESS REMEDY OR MEASURE OF DAMAGES SHALL BE THE SOLE AND EXCLUSIVE REMEDY. A PARTY'S LIABILITY HEREUNDER SHALL BE LIMITED AS SET FORTH IN SUCH PROVISION, AND ALL OTHER REMEDIES AT LAW OR IN EQUITY ARE WAIVED. IF NO REMEDY OR MEASURE OF DAMAGES IS EXPRESSLY PROVIDED HEREIN, A PARTY'S LIABILITY SHALL BE LIMITED TO DIRECT ACTUAL DAMAGES ONLY. SUCH DIRECT AND ACTUAL DAMAGES SHALL BE THE SOLE AND EXCLUSIVE REMEDY, AND ALL OTHER REMEDIES OR DAMAGES AT LAW OR IN EQUITY ARE WAIVED. UNLESS EXPRESSLY HEREIN PROVIDED, NEITHER PARTY SHALL BE LIABLE FOR CONSEQUENTIAL, INCIDENTAL, PUNITIVE, EXEMPLARY OR INDIRECT DAMAGES OR OTHER BUSINESS INTERRUPTION DAMAGES, BY STATUTE, IN TORT OR CONTRACT, UNDER ANY INDEMNITY PROVISION OR OTHERWISE. IT IS THE INTENT TO THE PARTIES THAT ANY LIMITATIONS HEREIN IMPOSED ON REMDIES AND THE MEASURE OF DAMAGES BE WITHOUT REGARD TO THE CAUSE OR CAUSES RELATED THERETO, INCLUDING THE NEGLIGENCE OF ANY PARTY, WHETHER SUCH NEGLIGENCE BE SOLE, JOINT OR CONCURRENT, OR ACTIVE OR PASSIVE. TO THE EXTENT THAT ANY DAMAGES REQUIRED TO BE PAID HEREUNDER ARE LIQUIDATED, THE PARTIES ACKNOWLEDGE THAT THE DAMAGES ARE DIFFICULT OR IMPOSSIBLE TO DETERMINE, OR OTHERWISE OBTAINING AN ADEQUATE REMEDY IS INCONVENIENT AND THE DAMAGES CALCULATED HEREUNDER CONSTITUTE A REASONABLE APPROXIMATION OF THE HARM OR LOSS.

[Signature page follows.]

**IN WITNESS WHEREOF**, the parties have executed this Agreement by their duly authorized officers as of the date first above written.

| CUSTOMER: [                |               | 1                                     |
|----------------------------|---------------|---------------------------------------|
| By:<br>Name: [<br>Title: [ | ]             | _                                     |
| Phone: [                   | ]             |                                       |
| Fax: [                     |               |                                       |
| COMPANY: CLEVELAND T       | THERMAL CHILL | ED WATER DISTRIBUTION, <u>LLCINC.</u> |
| By:                        |               |                                       |
| Name: Marc Divis           |               | <del></del>                           |
| Title: President           |               |                                       |
| Phone: 216-241-4274        |               |                                       |
| Fax: 216-241-6486          |               |                                       |

# APPENDICES & EXHIBITS

#### APPENDIX A

#### THE BUILDING

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- 2. Service Commencement Date: The date on which Company commences providing chilled water distribution service at the Point of Delivery by opening the Building's supply and return isolation valves to, if needed, initially fill the Building's chilled water redistribution system and cooling equipment within the Building or otherwise commences the flow of chilled water to the Building. The Service Commencement Date for the Building expected as of the Effective Date is on or around \_\_\_\_\_\_ Company shall provide written confirmation to Customer of the actual date service commences.
- 3. Contract Capacity: The Contract Capacity is estimated as of the Effective Date to be \_\_\_\_ tons. From and after the Service Commencement Date, this initial estimated Contract Capacity shall be subject to adjustment in accordance with Paragraphs 4.B. and 4.C. of the Agreement.

#### APPENDIX B

#### TERM AND CUSTOMER TERMINATION

The provisions of this Appendix B supplement the foregoing Agreement and are incorporated therein. Defined terms used in this Appendix but not defined herein shall have the same meanings as set forth in the Agreement, unless the context clearly requires otherwise.

#### INITIAL TERMINATION DATE

The initial term shall terminate on the 20<sup>th</sup> anniversary of the Service Commencement Date.

#### RENEWAL

At the end of the initial term, the Agreement shall automatically renew for an additional 10 years, unless either party provides to the other party not less than six (6) months prior written notice to the contrary.

#### EARLY TERMINATION BY CUSTOMER

Customer may cancel the Agreement at any time by providing the Company with written notice at least twelve (12) months prior to the effective date of such cancellation and by making, no later than fifteen (15) days after the effective date of the termination of the Agreement, a lump sum early cancellation charge payment to Company equal to the sum of: (1) the Distribution Capacity Charge in effect as of the effective date of termination of this Agreement multiplied by the Contract Capacity then in effect and the number of months remaining under the term of the Agreement; and (2) an amount equal to all amounts, if any, due with respect to unpaid or unamortized costs from the date of termination to the end of the amortization period as shown on any then current Schedule, with interest thereon as may be set forth in the Schedule or as otherwise determined by Company. Such early cancellation charge shall be in addition to the charges for service received by Customer to the date of termination.

#### APPENDIX 1

#### RATE SCHEDULE FOR CHILLED WATER SERVICE

#### A. DISTRIBUTION CAPACITY RATE

\$25.8201\* per month per ton of refrigeration.

#### B. DISTRIBUTION CONSUMPTION RATE

\$0.1500\*\* per ton hour consumed.

#### C. PURCHASED CHILLED WATER COST RECOVERY CHARGE

Base Charge: \$0.1674 per ton hour consumed.

The Base Charge specified shall be adjusted up or down at least quarterly by Company to recover the delivered cost of chilled water purchased by Company to meet the chilled water needs of Customer at the Point of Delivery and reconciled on Customer's Billing Period invoices over not least than three (3) Billing Periods to avoid abrupt adjustments and substantial swings or volatility in Customer's invoices but to ensure that the revenues obtained by Company match the Company's delivered cost of purchased chilled water. Company shall forecast its actual delivered cost of purchased chilled water on at least a quarterly basis, net of any prior period over or under recovery, and the ton hours subject to the Purchased Chilled Water Cost Recovery Charge and compute a new quarterly (or other period not to exceed a quarter) Purchased Chilled Water Cost Recovery Charge based on such forecasts. The new Purchased Chilled Water Cost Recovery Charge shall be computed by dividing the forecasted period's ton hours subject to such Charge into the forecasted period's delivered cost of purchased chilled water net of any prior period over or under recovery. The Base Charge specified above shall be adjusted up or down for the forecasted period by the positive or negative difference between each newly computed Purchased Chilled Water Cost Recovery Charge. Company shall notify Customer of the as adjusted Purchased Chilled Water Cost Recovery Charge thirty (30) days prior to the effective date of such Charge. Should events or circumstances (for example, significant market volatility in fuel costs or extreme weather conditions) indicate to Company that actual purchased chilled water costs or actual ton hours subject to said Charge may be substantially different than the amounts forecasted, Company may adjust the Base Charge more frequently than quarterly.

#### E. LOST WATER RATE

\$0.0316\*\* per gallon lost in the Building during each Billing Period.

#### F. RETURN TEMPERATURE ADJUSTMENT RATE

\$0.0316\*\* per ton hour when the provisions of Paragraph 5.A.e of the Agreement are applicable.

- a. When return water temperature is between 55°F and 57°F, no adjustment is applied;
- b. When return water temperature is greater than 57°F, the metered volume of ton hours consumed under those conditions multiplied by the above rate is subtracted from Customer's invoice for the applicable Billing Period;

c. When return water temperature is less than 55°F, the metered volume of ton hours consumed under those conditions multiplied by the above rate is added to Customer's invoice for the applicable Billing Period.

#### G. GRT CHARGE

There is currently no GRT Charge as of the Effective Date of the Agreement.

\* 2014 rate, subject to escalation beginning in 2015 as set forth in Paragraph 5.A.a. of the Agreement. 
\*\* 2014 rate, subject to escalation beginning in 2015 as set forth in Paragraph 5.A.i. of the Agreement.

#### APPENDIX 2

#### CONDITIONS TO RECEIVE AND MAINTAIN SERVICE

As stated in Paragraph 6 of the foregoing Agreement, Customer's rights and Company's obligations under this Agreement are contingent on Customer satisfying the Conditions to Receive Chilled Water Distribution Service (*Conditions*) set forth in this Appendix and incorporated in such Agreement. Customer agrees that Company may, with written notice to Customer change the Conditions to the extent that Company reasonably determines that such changes are necessary for proper, efficient, and safe operation of Company's system provided that such changes shall have effect on a prospective basis commencing thirty (30) days following the date of Company's written notice. All such changes shall, to the extent practicable, be applied uniformly and shall, on their effective date, automatically become a part of this Agreement without need for Customer and Company to formally execute an amendment or otherwise modify this Agreement.

- 1. Company shall distribute chilled water to Customer and receive returned water from the Customer through Company's distribution system at the Point of Delivery at a normal operating pressure of between 90 psig and 150 psig and a maximum pressure of 180 psig. Company shall use commercially reasonable efforts to obtain and distribute chilled water to Customer at a temperature of between 40°F and 42°F during the calendar months of May through October (hereinafter, the *Summer Period*), and no more than 50°F during the calendar months of November through April (hereinafter, the *Winter Period*) provided that such temperature range shall only apply during Customer's normal business hours (8:00 am to 5:00 pm) during the Winter Period. Company shall use commercially reasonable efforts to provide Customer with continuous chilled water distribution service and to receive returned water from Customer from or through Company's existing distribution network.
- 2. During the Summer Period, Customer shall return water to Company's distribution system at a temperature of not less than 55°F. In addition to all other rates and charges applicable according to this Agreement and if Customer returns water to Company at a temperature of less than 55°F during the Summer Period, Company may assess Customer a Return Temperature Adjustment Charge (as defined in the Agreement) that applies when Customer's return water temperature is less than 55°F. In addition to such other actions as the Company may take under this Agreement, Company shall have the right to restrict or control Customer's service to insure the return chilled water temperature is 55°F or higher. If Customer returns water to Company at temperatures greater than 57°F during the Summer Period, Company may reduce Customer's bill by application of a Return Temperature Adjustment Credit (as defined in the Agreement). Any Return Temperature Adjustment Charge and Return Temperature Adjustment Credit shall occur only when the Building is operating at or above 20% of Contract Capacity (as defined in the Agreement).
- 3. Customer shall give immediate notice to Company of any leakage or escape of chilled water.
- 4. All repairs to or replacements of Customer's piping and equipment shall be made promptly by the Customer at Customer's expense and shall not interfere with Company's ability to meet the service needs of its other customers.
- Customer shall provide Company's duly authorized representatives with access at all reasonable times and to all of Company's property on the premises of Customer and on all other premises which Customer may own or control for the purposes of meeting Company service responsibilities

- to Customer and its other customers. Company shall attempt to provide Customer with reasonable notice prior to accessing such property provided that the access sought by Company is not related to an existing or impending emergency condition.
- 6. On or prior to the Service Commencement Date, Company shall furnish shut-off valves and cathodic protection isolation flanges when, in Company's judgment, such equipment is needed to efficiently and safely meet Customer's service needs. Company shall also furnish the meter primary flow element, separable thermometer wells, the meter proper and the necessary electronics and recorders and Customer shall properly install such items. Customer shall provide to Company, at Customer's expense and at a location or locations Company determines to be suitable, 120-volt, 60-cycle, single-phase and reliable electricity supply. Customer shall also provide to Company, at Customer's expense and at a location or locations Company determines to be suitable, secure land phone line, Ethernet, LAN, cable or WAN access communications capability suitable to meet Company's metering, monitoring and data collection needs.
- 7. Customer shall provide the temperature control indicated for the control valves in accordance with Company's specifications.
- 8. Customer will furnish install and operate pressure gauges and a straining device or devices in its return line as close as possible to the Point of Delivery to prevent foreign matter from entering Company's chilled water system. Customer shall ensure that the pressure drop through the straining device or devices is included in Customer's determination of the friction losses that Customer shall be responsible for overcoming through the installation and use of booster pumps. Customer shall periodically inspect, clean and, as needed, replace filters and straining devices to ensure efficient operation of its and Company's system.
- 9. For design purposes, Customer understands that Company expects that the maximum combined running head on the chilled water distribution system will be 180 psig measured at the point chilled water is produced and supplied to Company's distribution system, the maximum supply pressure anticipated at Customer's main supply valve will be 150 psig and the maximum residual static head shall be 90 psig. Based on this understanding, Customer shall not design, install or operate its plant, equipment or facilities so as to exert static pressure head in excess of 90 psig. In addition, Customer shall provide, install, operate and maintain any booster pumps that may be reasonably required to supply the dynamic head sufficient to overcome friction loss that may occur on its property or within the Building and to supply any elevation head required above that provided by Company at the Point of Delivery.
- 10. Company shall be responsible for obtaining a chilled water supply sufficient to meet normal make-up water requirements of its distribution system. However, Customer shall not take any action to cause make-up water requirements met by Company to exceed normal levels, shall promptly notify Company of any loss of chilled water that occurs on Customer's property or within the Building and act in a commercially responsible fashion to promptly minimize make-up water requirements. Chilled water supply requirements associated with thermal expansion of Company's chilled water distribution system shall be the responsibility of Company.
- 11. Customer shall adopt and implement commercially reasonable practices to properly clean, degrease and flush the chilled water system within its control and install, operate and maintain such system so as to eliminate any leaks that might or do occur at the maximum operating pressure. Customer's shall be responsible for determining the means and methods by which its system shall be cleaned, degreased and flushed and shall provide Company with reasonable notice of the means and methods selected by Customer so that Company has a reasonable opportunity to object to such means and

methods. In the event Company does so object, Company and Customer shall promptly engage in good faith discussions to identify mutually acceptable means and methods. However nothing herein will be construed as causing Company to assent to an improper means or method in circumstances where Company has not stated an objection or to impose an affirmative duty on Company to communicate an objection to Customer.

#### APPENDIX 3

#### CUSTOMER RELEASE PIPE PENETRATIONS

| This CUSTOMER RELEASE PIPE PENETRATIONS ( <i>Release</i> ) is attached to that certain Chilled Water Distribution Agreement, dated as of the   |
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| By executing this Release, Customer acknowledges and agrees that, pursuant to Paragraph 3B of the Agreement, it has requested Company to install pipe penetrations through the Building's or structure's wall or foundation to provide for suitable space for the installation and maintenance of Company's piping, metering and other plant, facilities or equipment associated with the provision of service to Customer and Company has elected, subject to the execution of this Release by Customer, to install such pipe penetrations.   |
| Customer, for and in consideration of the installation by Company of the wall sleeves for the pipe penetrations in the Building and other good and valuable consideration, the receipt and sufficiency of which are hereby acknowledged, does for itself and all of its affiliates and related business entities, and each of their present and former parents, subsidiaries, affiliates, officers, directors, partners, shareholders, employees, agents, representatives, successors and assigns, hereby remises, releases and forever discharges, and covenants not to sue, the Company and anyone acting in concert or participation with it, whether acting individually or otherwise through any other person or entity, and all of their affiliates and related business entities, and each of their present and former parents, subsidiaries, affiliates, officers, directors, partners, shareholders, employees, agents and representatives, successors and assigns, from any and all actions and causes of action, damages, suits, debts, accounts, bonds, contracts, promises, judgments, costs, claims and demands whatsoever, of any nature, kind or description, at law or in equity, which they had, now have or which they or any of them may have in the future, by reason of anything done or omitted by any person or entity, or by reason of any matter, cause, thing or event whatsoever, from the beginning of time, whether known or unknown at the present time, arising out of or in any way relating to or connected with, directly or indirectly, Company's provision of wall sleeves for the pipe penetrations in the Building. |
| Customer:  |
| By:  |
| Date:, 20  |

#### Appendix 4

#### **Company Provided Building Improvements**

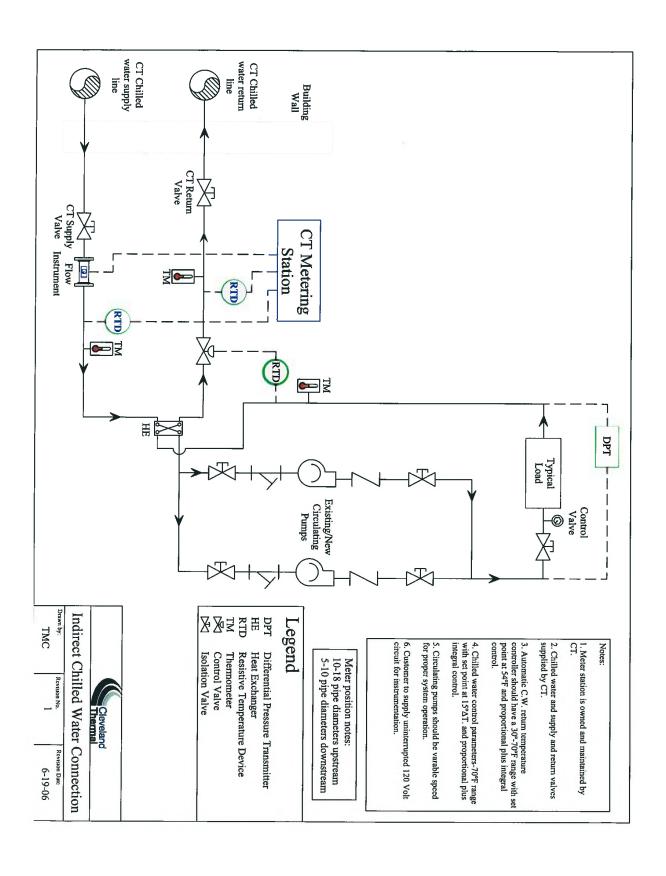
In accordance with Paragraph 5.E of the foregoing Agreement between Customer and Company, Company may elect to incur certain costs in connection with the construction and installation of certain improvements on behalf of Customer, which costs Customer would be obligated to repay to Company, with interest, as mutually agreed by the parties or upon early termination of such Agreement. The purpose of this Appendix is to identify how such costs shall be amortized for purposes of such repayment, including the determination of any unamortized balance of such costs that Customer shall pay Company upon early termination of such Agreement.

The estimated costs to be incurred by Company pursuant to Paragraph 5.E of the foregoing Agreement shall be determined by Company and Company shall provide Customer with written notice of such estimated costs, whereupon Company and Customer shall mutually agree upon the schedule and manner of repayment and applicable interest rate and include such calculation in the Schedule to be attached hereto. If the actual costs of such improvements, as determined upon completion thereof, differ from the initial estimates included in the Schedule, the Schedule shall be modified to reflect such actual costs. Upon any early termination pursuant to Paragraph 2 of the foregoing Agreement and Appendix B thereto, any unpaid and unamortized costs as shown on the then current Schedule as of the effective date of termination shall be due and owing from Customer to Company as part of the cancellation charge set forth in the applicable provision in Appendix B.

Notwithstanding anything contained in this Appendix, the Agreement or elsewhere, nothing shall obligate Company to incur any costs pursuant to Paragraph 5.E or this Appendix until the Schedule has been agreed to by Company and Customer and attached hereto.

#### Appendix 5

TYPICAL INTERCONNECTION DIAGRAM



#### Exhibit A

[Letterhead of Assignor]

[Date]

Cleveland Thermal Chilled Water Distribution, <u>LLCInc.</u> 1921 Hamilton Avenue Cleveland, Ohio 44114
Attention: President

Re: Assignment of Chilled Water Distribution Agreement

Ladies and Gentlemen:

| Cleveland Thermal Chilled Water Distribution, <u>LLCInc.</u> ("Company") and                      |       |
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| ("Assignor"), entered into a Chilled Water Distribution Agreement (the "Agreement") day           | ated  |
| , 20, pursuant to which Company agreed to distribute processed chilled water                      | er to |
| Assignor to meet Assignor's air conditioning and other cooling energy needs. Assignor now desire  | es to |
| transfer its right, title, interest and obligations in the Agreement to ("Assigne                 | ee"), |
| pursuant to the terms and conditions of this Assignment of Chilled Water Distribution Agreement ( | (this |
| "Assignment").  |       |

- 1. Assignor hereby irrevocably assigns, conveys, transfers and sets over to Assignee all of Assignor's right, title, interest and obligations in and to the Agreement.
- 2. Assignor represents and warrants to Company as follows: (i) this Assignment has been duly and validly executed and constitutes the legal, valid and binding obligation of each the Assignor and Assignee, enforceable against each of the Assignor and the Assignee in accordance with its terms; (ii) the Agreement remains in full force and effect and is enforceable against Assignor and Assignee; (iii) the execution, delivery, performance and effectiveness of this Assignment shall not operate, nor be deemed to be nor construed as, a waiver of any right, power or remedy of the Company under the Agreement, any term, provision, representation, warranty or covenant contained in the Agreement, or any other documentation executed in connection therewith; (iv) none of the provisions of this Assignment shall constitute, be deemed to be or construed as, a waiver of any event of default under the Agreement; and (v) Assignor and Assignee are in compliance with all of the terms and provisions set forth in the Agreement on their part to be observed or performed, and no event of default specified the Agreement, nor any event which upon notice or lapse of time or both would constitute such an event of default, has occurred and is continuing.
- 3. The terms, covenants, conditions and warranties herein shall inure to the benefit of and shall be binding upon the parties hereto and their respective successors and assigns; subject, however, to all limitations on further assignment or transfer contained in the Agreement. In the event any provision of this Assignment should be invalid, the validity of the other provisions hereof and of the Agreement shall not be effected thereby. This Assignment shall be governed by and construed in accordance with the laws of the State of Ohio.

#### **ASSIGNOR:**

| Ву:    |  |  |  |
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| Name:  |  |  |  |
| Title: |  |  |  |

#### Exhibit B

[Letterhead of Assignee]

[Date]

Cleveland Thermal Chilled Water Distribution, LLCInc. 1921 Hamilton Avenue Cleveland, Ohio 44114 Attention: President

Re: <u>Assumption of Chilled Water Distribution Agreement</u>

Ladies and Gentlemen:

| Cleveland Therm            | al Chilled Water Distribution, LLCInc. ("Company") and                         |
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| ("Assignor"), entered in   | nto a Chilled Water Distribution Agreement (the "Agreement") dated             |
| , 20_                      | , pursuant to which Company agreed to distribute processed chilled water to    |
| Assignor to meet Assign    | or's air conditioning and other cooling energy needs.                          |
| ("Assignee") now desires   | to assume and comply with all of the terms, provisions, conditions, warranties |
| and covenants contained i  | in the Agreement, pursuant to the terms and conditions of this Assumption of   |
| Chilled Water Distribution | Agreement (this "Assumption").   |

- 1. Assignee hereby assumes, agrees and covenants with the Assignor and Company to perform and comply with all of the terms, provisions, conditions, warranties and covenants contained in the Agreement, under the terms thereof, as are to be performed and complied with by the Assignor. This Assumption by Assignee is specifically made for the benefit of Company, and from and after the date of the execution of this Assumption. Assignee acknowledges, covenants and agrees that Company may enforce all the terms, conditions and provisions of the Agreement against Assignee to the extent as if Assignee were originally named as the Customer in the Agreement.
- Assignee represents and warrants to Company as follows: (i) this Assumption has been duly and validly executed and constitutes the legal, valid and binding obligation of each the Assignor and Assignee, enforceable against each of the Assignor and the Assignee in accordance with its terms; (ii) the Agreement remains in full force and effect and is enforceable against Assignor and Assignee; (iii) the execution, delivery, performance and effectiveness of this Assumption shall not operate, nor be deemed to be nor construed as, a waiver of any right, power or remedy of the Company under the Agreement, any term, provision, representation, warranty or covenant contained in the Agreement, or any other documentation executed in connection therewith; (iv) none of the provisions of this Assumption shall constitute, be deemed to be or construed as, a waiver of any event of default under the Agreement; and (v) Assignor and Assignee are in compliance with all of the terms and provisions set forth in the Agreement on their part to be observed or performed, and no event of default specified the Agreement, nor any event which upon notice or lapse of time or both would constitute such an event of default, has occurred and is continuing.
- 3. The terms, covenants, conditions and warranties herein shall inure to the benefit of and shall be binding upon the parties hereto and their respective successors and assigns; subject, however, to all limitations on further assignment or transfer contained in the Agreement. In the event any provision of this Assumption should be invalid, the validity of the other provisions hereof and of the Agreement shall

| not be effected thereby. of the State of Ohio. | This Assumption shall be governed by and construed in accordance with the laws |           |  |
|--|--|-----------|--|
|  |  | ASSIGNEE: |  |
|  |  | By:       |  |
|  |  | Name:     |  |
|  |  | Title:    |  |

# Exhibit D Revised Chilled Water Tariff- Clean Version

P.U.C.O. NO. 1

**RULES AND REGULATIONS** 

GOVERNING

DISTRICT COOLING

(CHILLED WATER)

PROVIDED BY

CLEVELAND THERMAL CHILLED WATER DISTRIBUTION, INC.

WITHIN THE

DOWNTOWN CLEVELAND

# P.U.C.O. No. 1 Rules and regulations Governing District Cooling

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APPENDIX A – DISTRICT COOLING AGREEMENT AND EXHIBITS

#### 1. <u>DEFINITIONS</u>

As used in these Rules and Regulations the following are defined terms to mean:

"Actual Demand" means the Customer's demand for cooling expressed as Tons of refrigeration during any one-hour period during a particular calendar month.

"Annual Peak" means the highest amount, of chilled water demanded (expressed as Tons of refrigeration) by the Customer for a one-hour period during the calendar year.

"Building" shall mean the structure(s) or premises owned or leased by the Customer for which District Cooling is provided by the Company.

"Chilled Water" shall mean the same as "District Cooling."

"Company" shall mean Cleveland Thermal Chilled Water Distribution, Inc., its officers, agents, or employees.

"Contract Capacity" means the specific amount of cooling capacity on the Company's system which the Customer and Company agree should be reserved to adequately serve the Customer. The Company has no obligation to provide service in excess of the Contract Demand but will use reasonable efforts to do so. Contract Capacity is also one of the billing determinants in determining the monthly rates.

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"Customer" shall mean that entity, its officers, agents, or employees, which enters into a District Cooling Agreement with the Company to receive district cooling in downtown Cleveland.

"Deg F." means degrees on the Fahrenheit temperature scale.

"District Cooling Agreement" means the written agreement between the Customer and Company which includes not only these rules and regulations but also rates and any other considerations unique to that relationship. See Appendix A.

"District Cooling" shall mean the process by which chilled water is sent out from the Company's plant and circulated through a network of pipes to the premises of customers from which air is cooled; the water is then returned through pipes to the Company's plant.

"Point of Delivery" means the place within, at or near the Customer's premises where the Customer and Company agree that chilled water shall be delivered to the Customer and water shall be returned to the Company. The Point of Delivery shall be designated on Exhibit 3 attached to the District Cooling Agreement.

"PUCO" shall mean the Public Utilities Commission of Ohio.

"Service Commencement Date" shall mean the date the Customer first receives district cooling from the Company.

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#### 2. AVAILABILITY OF DISTRICT COOLING

District Cooling is available to those commercial, industrial or institutional entities with buildings which are located in the Cleveland area and abut the Company's distribution system. District cooling will only be provided to Customers who are willing to enter into a District Cooling Agreement for a term of at least five (5) years, except as provided for in Sections 18 and 19 below.

#### 3. DISTRICT COOLING AGREEMENT

- A. Except as provided for in Section 18 and 19 below, all terms, conditions, regulations, rates, and other provisions governing District Cooling Service are found in the District Cooling Agreement attached as Appendix A to these Rules and Regulations. Except as provided for in Sections 18 and 19 below, all customers must sign a District Cooling Agreement prior to receiving District Cooling Service.
- B. The Company and the Customer may mutually agree to add, delete, or supplement any term, condition, regulation, rate, or other provision of the District Cooling Agreement by reducing the same to writing. Any change which substantially deviates from the terms of Appendix A attached hereto shall be submitted to the Commission for approval pursuant to Section 4905.31, Revised Code. All contracts for service are subject to change in rates, service and in rules and regulations, hereinafter put into effect by the Company, the PUCO, or other public authority, as provided by law.

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#### 4. RESPONSIBILITY FOR CHILLED WATER

The Customer shall be responsible for all chilled water used on the Premises until 48 hours after written notice has been given at the office of the Company to discontinue the supply.

#### 5. DENYING SERVICE DUE TO INDEBTEDNESS

Service may be refused to any applicant in debt to the Company for service previously rendered.

#### 6. DENYING SERVICE DUE TO LOCATION

Applicants shall be accepted for District Cooling at locations served by existing street mains. The Company may, at its sole discretion, extend its facilities to serve prospective loads but shall not be required to provide such service.

#### 7. <u>TEMPORARY SERVICE</u>

Unless otherwise agreed upon, any applicant desiring temporary service shall, in addition to the rates, pay the entire costs of installing and removing such temporary service.

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#### 8. CREDIT REQUIREMENTS

#### A. SECURITY REQUIREMENTS

The Company may require of a Customer as security for the payment of bills, a cash deposit not exceeding an amount sufficient to cover an estimate of the monthly average of the annual consumption by such Customer plus thirty percent, unless the Customer is a freeholder and financially responsible, or unless the Customer gives a reasonably safe guaranty in an amount sufficient to secure the payment of bills for sixty days' supply; upon which deposit there shall be allowed and paid to the Customer interest at the rate of not less than three percent per annum to the date of the final bill, provided it remains on deposit six consecutive months.

#### B. USE OF DEPOSITS

The Company may retain any deposit and apply the same upon bills for service or any indebtedness to the Company.

#### 9. RESALE OF CHILLED WATER

Chilled water furnished is for the sole use of the Customer, who shall not sell any of such chilled water to any other person, or permit any other person to use the same without the specific written permission of the Company to Submeter or Redistribute. The following general standards shall govern the granting of such permission:

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- (a) Any request for permission shall be in writing.
- (b) Submetering or Redistribution shall not be permitted under any circumstances to Premises not owned, leased or otherwise controlled by the Customer.
- (c) Redistribution may be permitted for residential uses.
- (d) Redistribution only shall be permitted where in the opinion of the Company it is incidental to the business conducted by the Customer and is not prohibited by Paragraph (f) hereof.
- (e) Redistribution or Submetering shall not be permitted with respect to aggregations of separate commercial or retail users such as those commonly known as shopping centers.
- (f) Notwithstanding the above, standards, the Company and the Customer may agree to submeter on the basis of unique circumstances and conditions such as year round load or heat rejection equipment (e.g., switch gear, data center, etc.).

#### 10. REASONS FOR DISCONNECTING CHILLED WATER

A. Chilled Water may be disconnected without charge and the Company may remove its pipes, meters, appliances and other property for any of the following reasons:

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- a. For any violation or refusal to comply with the District Cooling Agreement and/or the general service rules and regulations on file with this Commission which apply to the customer's service;
- b. In the event the Customer uses chilled water in a manner detrimental to other customers;
- c. When providing chilled water is in conflict or incompatible with any order of the Commission, laws of the State of Ohio, or any political subdivision thereof or of the federal government or any of its agencies;
- d. When the customer has moved from the Premises;
- e. When supplying chilled water to any Customer creates a dangerous condition on the Customer's Premises or where, because of conditions beyond the Customer's Premises, termination of the supply of chilled water is reasonably necessary. Chilled water will not be restored until a dangerous condition or conditions have been corrected;
- f. In the event the customer resorts to any fraudulent practice in the obtaining of chilled water supplied, or is the beneficiary of any fraudulent practice, or the Company's meter, metering equipment or other property used to supply the service has been damaged

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by the Customer, his servants or agents. Chilled water will not be restored until the Customer has given satisfactory assurance that such fraudulent or damaging practice will be discontinued and has paid the Company an amount estimated by the Company to be a reasonable compensation for the service fraudulently obtained and not paid for and for any damage to the property of the Company including any costs to repair the damage.

- g. For repairs to the Company's equipment;
- h. Upon the request of the Customer;
- i. The Customer's failure to pay any indebtedness to the Company;
- j. The Customer's connection of any unauthorized devices to the Company's lines or equipment;
- k. The Customer's unauthorized use of the Company's chilled water, lines or equipment;
- 1. The Customer's construction or apparatus that does not meet governmental codes and regulations and/or with the reasonable requirements of the Company; and
- m. The Customer's construction, facilities, operations or activities by reason of a location, pollution, contamination or corrosion, which may cause reduced

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reliability, unsafe conditions, or other unreasonable impacts or disturbances on the Company's facilities or property.

#### 11. <u>RECONNECTION CHARGES</u>

- A. When chilled water has been disconnected for failure to comply with the terms and conditions of the District Cooling Agreement or rules and regulations of the Company or has been disconnected at the Customer's request, a reconnection charge of \$250.00 plus the actual labor and materials costs will be required when the Customer requests reconnection.
- B. If chilled water is disconnected at the Customer's request, the Company shall not be under any obligation to resume said chilled water to the same Customer on the same Premises until the Customer has made payment of an amount equal to the minimum monthly charge (if any) for each month of the intervening period, but not to exceed twelve (12) months, plus the cost of making such reconnection.
- C. If payment in full on the outstanding balance is made to a Company employee whose original purpose was to disconnect the chilled water, then a charge of \$150.00 shall be assessed on the Customer's next billing. Chilled water which otherwise would have been disconnected shall remain intact.

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#### 12. FILTER OR STRAINER INSPECTION

The Customer shall inspect its filters or strainers annually.

#### 13. CUSTOMER BILLS

Customers shall be billed on the basis of monthly meter readings and shall pay for the District Cooling on a monthly basis. All bills for service shall be payable on or before the due date indicated on the monthly bill. Interest, at the rate of 1.5 percent per month, may be charged on the previous month's capacity/usage consumption charges if unpaid at the next billing date.

#### 14. METER TESTING, INACCURACY OR FAILURE

Meters shall be tested on the request of a customer, in his presence if desired by the customer, by a representative of the Company. The meter shall be deemed accurate if the variation is not less than three percent (3%); if the meter is deemed accurate, the party requesting the testing shall be charged for the expense of removing it for the purpose of testing. If the meter is proved inaccurate, then it shall be replaced or repaired without charge to the Customer.

If accurate meter readings are not available or if meter readings cover more or less than the usual billing period, bills shall be pro-rated or estimated by the Company on the basis of use during a similar period.

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Where leaks occur in Customer's pipes or apparatus resulting in loss of chilled water, the Customer shall be required to make immediate repairs, and the billing for the period of such leakage shall be adjusted on the basis of an estimated amount of chilled water.

#### 15. ACCOUNTING

The Company shall keep accurate and satisfactory records and books in accordance with the generally accepted accounting principles and the uniform system of accounts showing all costs, payments, rate adjustments, credits and other data.

#### 16. CONTINUITY OF SERVICE AND LIABILITY

#### A. SERVICE CONTINUITY

The Company does not guarantee but will endeavor to furnish a continuous supply of chilled water and to maintain pressure within reasonable limits.

#### B. LIABILITY

The Company shall not be liable for direct and consequential damages which the Customer may sustain due to interruptions in service, variations in pressure, the use of chilled water apparatus or the presence of the Company's property on the Customer's Premises.

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Approval of the above tariff language by the PUCO does not constitute a determination by the Commission that the limitation of liability imposed by the Company should be upheld in a court of law. Approval by the Commission merely recognizes that since it is a court's responsibility to adjudicate negligence and consequential damage claims, it is also the court's responsibility to determine the validity of the exculpatory clause.

# 17. <u>COMPANY FACILITIES</u>

#### A. STANDARD SERVICE

The Company shall, where the Customer's Premises abut upon an existing chilled water main adequate and suitable for Customer supply, install and maintain at its own expense one standard chilled water service (which includes one supply pipeline and one return pipeline) from such main to the property line of such Customer, and shall also install and maintain a service valve; provided, however, any Customer now receiving chilled water from a chilled water main of the Company, directly or indirectly, but whose Premises do not abut upon such chilled water main may continue to receive chilled water if such Customer shall construct and maintain piping satisfactory to the Company from his Premises to such chilled water main.

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# 18. CHILLED WATER DISTRIBUTION DEFAULT SERVICE

# A. Applicability

This service shall be applicable to: (i) all current Customers whose District Cooling Agreement has expired and who have not executed either a new District Cooling Agreement or an extension of their then current Agreements; and (ii) new Customers who elect not to execute a District Cooling Agreement provided for in Section 3, but whose service needs can be accommodated, in the sole judgment of the Company, without impairing the quality of chilled water service to Company's other Customers.

# **B.** General Performance Obligations

- 1. Subject to the more specific identification of Customer's requirements set forth herein, Company shall obtain for and distribute to Customer and Customer shall receive from Company's existing distribution system and at the *Point of Delivery* specified by the Company the total chilled water and cooling requirements of Customer's buildings or premises (hereinafter, the Building). Company shall also receive returned water from Customer at the Point of Delivery pursuant to the terms of this Tariff. Company is not obligated to provide uninterrupted service to Customer, and Customer's service may be interrupted or discontinued by Company when Company cannot maintain service through commercially reasonable measures. In the event that Company cannot provide continuous chilled water distribution service to Customer in accordance with the terms and conditions of this Tariff for a period exceeding twenty-four (24) hours, Company shall make a pro rata adjustment to Customer's Chilled Water and Distribution Capacity Charges (as defined herein) based on the amount of time such service was not provided during the applicable Billing Period (as defined herein). Company shall also provide Customer with periodic invoices stating the charges Customer owes Company for service provided pursuant to this Tariff and, notwithstanding any other provision in this Tariff, Company may discontinue service under this Tariff in the event that Customer has not made full payment for any Billing Period invoice within the period specified in Paragraph F(1) below. Company shall furnish, install, own and maintain, at its expense, isolation valves and such metering equipment as it deems appropriate to measure the chilled water distributed to Customer and water returned to Company by Customer.
- 2. Customer shall use commercially reasonable efforts to receive chilled water from Company's distribution system for the Building, return water in sufficient quantity and without abnormal loss to Company, meet the conditions established by Company to receive chilled water distribution service from Company and timely pay Company for service provided pursuant to this Tariff. Upon Company's request and at no cost to Company, Customer shall provide adequate space and any interest in real property suitable to Company on Customer's property and within the Building to permit Company to meet its initial and ongoing service obligations under this Tariff or otherwise and shall allow Company reasonable access thereto at all times upon request by Company. Customer shall authorize Customer's property manager, any Building manager or such other person that may have the ability to do so, to permit Company to enter the Building for

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the purpose of meeting the terms of this Tariff. Customer acknowledges it is solely responsible for establishing and maintaining such facilities, pumps and other equipment as may be required to redistribute chilled water within the Building and to install and operate such equipment, plant and facilities as may reasonably be necessary to prevent the actions or inactions of Customer, its tenants and other occupants of the Building from negatively affecting Company's ability to safely and adequately meet the needs of its other customers. Upon request. Customer shall furnish Company with information that is sufficient, as determined solely by the Company, to demonstrate that Customer has installed plant, facilities, and equipment and implemented operating procedures to avoid imposing overpressure or pressure-related shocks on Company's distribution system. Beyond such chilled water redistribution as Customer may need to perform to meet the chilled water needs within the Building, Customer shall not redistribute chilled water for any other purpose without prior written consent of Company. The temperature at which Customer returns water to Company's distribution system has a significant effect on Company's ability to effectively distribute chilled water to Customer and Company's other customers and, therefore, Customer shall install and operate such Building equipment and facilities as may reasonably be required to keep the temperature of water returned to Company's distribution system within the range specified herein. Customer shall design, own, construct, install, operate and maintain, at its own expense, piping necessary to receive chilled water from Company at the Point of Delivery and all cooling equipment, including but not limited to pumps, valves, insulation, gauges, and controls necessary to return water to Company at the Point of Delivery within the temperature range specified herein. Customer shall not cause any additive. chemical. or other such item to enter Company's chilled water system or otherwise affect the chemical content of the chilled water received from or retuned to the Company.

3. Each party shall, respectively, design, construct, operate and maintain its plant, facilities, equipment and piping in an efficient, safe and reliable manner. Prior to commencing service, Company shall have the right, but not the duty, to inspect, review and approve the connection of Customer's equipment and piping to Company's chilled water distribution system. Company's right of inspection shall in no way impose a duty or liability on Company with respect to the lawful, safe or proper operation of Customer's equipment and piping. Customer is solely responsible for the design or operation of Customer's equipment and the redistribution or use of chilled water within the Building. If at any time a local regulatory authority, other regulatory authority, or Company judges that Customer's plant or equipment may be unsafe, Company may withhold or discontinue service until Customer has completed corrective actions and the actual or potential unsafe condition has been eliminated. Except in the case of an emergency. Company will attempt to provide Customer with reasonable notice prior to discontinuing or suspending service due to an unsafe condition. By accepting service in accordance with the terms of this Tariff, Customer represents to Company that it is not relying upon Company's expertise or knowledge in connection with the design or operation of Customer's equipment and the redistribution or use of chilled water within the Building.

# C. Commencement, Termination, and Disconnection of Service

1. Company shall commence providing service to Customer on the *Service Commencement Date*, which shall be the date on which Company commences providing chilled water distribution service at the Point of Delivery by opening the Building's supply and return isolation valves to, if needed, initially fill Customer's chilled water redistribution system and cooling equipment within

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the Building or otherwise commences the flow of chilled water to the Building. Customer may terminate this service by providing the Company with written notice at least thirty (30) days prior to the effective date of such termination and by making a lump sum termination charge payment to Company equal to the unamortized balance of any connection costs incurred by Company to commence service under this Tariff as identified in Paragraph C(5), provided there is such an unamortized balance.

- 2. Company may terminate this service upon thirty (30) days prior written notice to Customer in the event of any default by Customer which default continues for a period of more than thirty (30) days following a written demand by Company to cure such default. Any cure right that Customer may have pursuant to this Paragraph shall not extend to any default that arises as a result of Customer's failure to make timely payment. In such event, Customer shall pay to Company a cancellation charge equal to the unamortized balance of any connection costs incurred by Company to commence service under this Tariff as identified in Paragraph C(5). This cancellation charge shall be in addition to any other damages incurred by Company as a result of Customer's default.
- 3. In the event of termination of service, Customer shall provide Company with such access to Customer's Building and property as Company may reasonably require to remove Company's plant, equipment, facilities and piping for so long as Company may reasonably require to remove such equipment and piping.
- 4. Customer's obligation to pay any unpaid invoices plus late charges for service provided by Company prior to termination of service, shall survive the termination of service. No eminent domain or condemnation proceedings with respect to Customer's premises shall relieve Customer of its obligations hereunder.
- 5. In accordance with Paragraph C(2) and (3), Customer is obligated to pay to Company certain rates and charges upon early termination of service, including the balance of unpaid connection costs. The formula that shall apply for the purpose of determining any balance of such connection costs and the amount of such balance that Customer shall pay Company upon early termination service is specified in this paragraph. The actual connection costs incurred by Company pursuant to this Tariff shall be calculated using on a straight-line basis at a rate of twelve percent (12%) per annum applied to the starting balance. Upon Company's final determination of the actual connection costs, Company shall provide Customer with written notice of such actual costs. For purposes of determining the amount of the unpaid balance that is outstanding on the date of early termination, each payment installment shall be deemed to occur on the last business day of each month of service. Below, for illustration purposes only, is an example of an amortization schedule that assumes the actual connection and carrying costs total \$85,000.

# Amortization Schedule

| Beginning Balance     | \$ 85,000 | Ending Balance |
|-----------------------|-----------|----------------|
| Last Day – Year On    | e         | \$95,200       |
| Last Day – Year Two   |           | \$75,281       |
| Last Day – Year Three |           | \$52,972       |
| Last Day – Year For   | ır        | \$27.985       |

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- 6. When chilled water has been disconnected for failure to comply with the terms and conditions of this Tariff, or rules and regulations of the Company or has been disconnected at the Customer's request, a reconnection charge of \$250.00 plus the actual labor and material costs will be required when the Customer requests reconnection.
- 7. If the chilled water is disconnected at the Customer's request, the Company shall not be under any obligation to resume said chilled water to the same Customer on the same premises until the Customer has made payment of an amount equal to the minimum monthly charge (if any) for each month of the intervening period, but not to exceed twelve (12) months, plus the cost of making such reconnection.

# D. Installation of Equipment

- 1. Company shall design, locate, own, construct and install, at its own expense, all equipment and piping necessary for Customer to receive chilled water from Company at the Point of Delivery in such amounts as may be reasonably required to meet Customer's cooling needs as identified to, and accepted by. Company in accordance with the provisions below and to receive into its distribution system returned water from Customer at the Point of Delivery. In order to assist Company with chilled water acquisition and distribution capacity planning efforts, Customer shall notify Company of any anticipated changes in Customer's capacity requirements and shall do so not later than thirty (30) days prior to the start of each calendar year and promptly at any time during the year if the information provided in the annual notice changes. By accepting service under this Tariff, Customer acknowledges that failure to provide Company with information identifying anticipated changes in Customer's capacity requirements may negatively affect Company's ability to timely obtain and distribute sufficient chilled water to meet Customer's needs.
- 2. If the Point of Delivery is located within the Building or other structure, then Customer shall provide Company with suitable pipe penetrations through the Building's or structure's wall or foundation to provide for suitable space for the installation and maintenance of Company's piping, metering and other plant, facilities or equipment associated with the provision of service to Customer. However, upon Customer's request. Company may elect to install, on behalf of Customer, such pipe penetrations for Customer, provided that Customer's request for Company to act in such capacity on behalf of Customer shall obligate Customer to hold Company harmless from any claim or liability arising from Company's actions and provided that Customer first properly executes and delivers to Company the form of a release as specified by the Company, the terms and provisions of which, if and when executed and delivered, shall automatically be incorporated into this Tariff as applicable to Customer.

# E. Cooling Capacity Requirements and Billing Determinants

1. The initial amount of chilled water distribution capacity (hereinafter, *Tariff Capacity*) reserved by the Company for Customer's use under this Tariff shall be the amount identified in writing by Company and the Customer. Identification of Tariff Capacity shall be made prior to the provision of service under this Tariff.

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- 2. If Customer's highest actual demand for chilled water measured over an integrated sixty (60) minute period during any Billing Period (hereinafter, *Actual Demand*) exceeds the then existing Tariff Capacity, the then existing Tariff Capacity shall be restated to the level of such Actual Demand, thereby prospectively establishing Customer's new Tariff Capacity. Upon written request by Customer, Company may agree to forgive an Actual Demand's restatement of Customer's Tariff Capacity where the Actual Demand was the result of conditions or circumstances not reasonably within Customer's control.
- 3. In the event a new Tariff Capacity has been established as described in Paragraph E(2), Company shall, upon Customer's written request and at the end of the next Summer Period, make a downward adjustment to and reset the Tariff Capacity in recognition of actions taken by Customer to effectively manage its demand for chilled water distributed by Company. Such downward adjustment shall be based on an examination of the two most recent Summer Period's highest actual monthly demands with the average of such actual demands becoming the Customer's new Tariff Capacity. In no event, however, shall the Customer's Tariff Capacity be less than 0 tons.
- 4. Company is not obligated to distribute chilled water to Customer in excess of the Tariff Capacity as it may be revised from time to time. Company will, consistent with generally accepted industry practices and subject to its other service obligations, use reasonable efforts to meet Customer's Actual Demand to the extent that it exceeds the stated amount of Tariff Capacity then in effect. To the extent that Company reasonably believes that Customer's Actual Demand may negatively affect Company's ability to meet the needs of its customers, Company may restrict or otherwise limit the distribution of chilled water to Customer.

# F. Rates, Charges and Billing

- 1. The Rate Schedule for Chilled Water Service is set out in Section 19 below. Customer shall be billed by Company on billing cycle basis (herein, the *Billing Period*) with approximately twelve Billing Periods in each calendar year and each Billing Period approximating one service month. Company's invoices shall be based on the rates, charges and fees stated herein as applied to Customer's billing determinants during the Billing Period. Customer shall pay Company's invoice within fifteen (15) days of the invoice date. Any invoice unpaid in full within thirty (30) days of the invoice date shall be deemed late and subject to an additional charge of one and one-half percent (1.5%) per month multiplied by the balance not timely paid. Company's invoice for service supplied to Customer pursuant to this Tariff shall include the following:
  - a. Distribution Capacity Charge. The Distribution Capacity Charge shall be equal to the product of the Distribution Capacity Rate (as shown in Section 19) multiplied by Customer's then current Tariff Capacity for the Billing Period as such Tariff Capacity has been established in accordance with Paragraph E(2). The Distribution Capacity Charge shall escalate on an annual basis each April 1st following the Service Commencement Date, in an amount equal to two percent (2%) plus one-half (1/2) of any annual increase in the Consumer Price Index All Urban Consumers (hereinafter, CPI-AUC) for the prior calendar year.
  - b. *Distribution Consumption Charge*. The *Distribution Consumption Charge* shall be equal to the product of the *Distribution Consumption Rate* (as shown in Section 19) multiplied

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- by the total number of ton hours of chilled water distributed to Customer by Company during the Billing Period.
- c. Purchased Chilled Water Cost Recovery Charge. The Purchased Chilled Water Cost Recovery Charge shall recover the dollar-for-dollar delivered cost of chilled water which Company purchases to meet Customer's chilled water requirements at the Point of Delivery. The Purchased Chilled Water Cost Recovery Charge shall be adjusted and reconciled periodically based on such delivered cost in accordance with the formula specified in Section 19 and multiplied, as adjusted, on a bills rendered basis to the total number of ton hours of chilled water distributed to Customer by Company during the Billing Period.
- d. Lost Water Charge. The Lost Water Charge shall be equal to the Lost Water Rate (as shown in Section 19) times the total gallons of chilled water lost on the Customer's side of the Point of Delivery during the Billing Period, as verified by Company-installed flow device(s).
- e. Return Temperature Adjustment Charge or Credit. The Return Temperature Adjustment Charge or Credit shall be equal to the charge or credit, as applicable, multiplied by the quantity of Billing Period ton hours at less than 55°F or in excess of 57°F, respectively. A Return Temperature Adjustment Charge shall be applied only during months when the Actual Demand is greater than or equal to twenty percent (20%) of the Tariff Capacity then in effect. No Return Temperature Adjustment Charge shall apply during a seasonal start-up or shut-down of Customer's system.
- f. *Late Charge*. Company shall render invoices to Customer for chilled water for each Billing Period and such invoices shall be due and payable when issued by Company. The *Late Charge* shall be equal to the monthly interest rate specified herein times the balance not timely paid.
- g. Adjustments to Charges. The Distribution Consumption Charge, the Lost Water Charge and the Return Temperature Adjustment Charge or Credit shall each be subject to annual escalations each April 1st following the Service Commencement Date, by an amount not to exceed one and one-quarter (1.25) times the annual increase in the CPI-AUC for the prior calendar year. In the event the publication of the CPI-AUC is discontinued, the Company will use a revised or replacement index that is similar to the discontinued CPI-AUC for purposes of computing all charge adjustments authorized by this Tariff based on changes in the CPI-AUC.
- 2. Metering and Billing. Company will install metering equipment sufficient to measure Customer's capacity requirements, usage of chilled water and amount and temperature of water returned to Company's system at each Delivery Point and to bill and collect for service provided by Company pursuant to this Tariff. Such metering equipment shall permit Company to measure and, over time, record chilled water flow and water temperature difference and convert this relationship to ton hours with each ton hour equivalent to 12,000 Btu's of cooling within sixty (60) minutes. No person, except a duly authorized employee of Company, shall be authorized to alter or interfere with the operation of any Company meter, or its connections, regulators or any other item of plant, facilities or equipment furnished by Company. In the event of an emergency,

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Customer may operate stop valves and meter stop valves provided that such operation is warranted based on emergency conditions. Customer notifies Company of such operation as quickly as possible, the operation is limited to the duration of the emergency and provided that the emergency does not arise after Company has discontinued or suspended service to Customer. A quantity of chilled water supply sufficient to initially fill Customer's system downstream of the Delivery Point shall be subtracted from Customer's initial invoice under this Tariff with any additional requirements beyond normal make-up charged at the Lost Water Charge Rate then in effect.

- a. A meter shall be deemed accurate if it is measuring within three percent (3%), more or less, of actual quantities. When a meter fails to accurately register the quantity of chilled water consumed or returned. Company will change or repair the meter and invoice Customer for the relevant Billing Period(s) based on either of the following methods:
  - i. Estimates of the chilled water consumed on the basis of past usage during a similar period and under similar conditions; or
  - ii. Estimates of the chilled water consumed on the basis of usage registered by the new or repaired meter during a subsequent period.
- b. Company may inspect and maintain its metering equipment located within the Building, as Company may determine to be reasonably necessary. In the event Customer believes that the meters located within the Building are not operating properly, Customer may request, in writing, a test of the meters whereupon Company shall conduct a test upon the meters located in the Building. If the results of such test show that the meters have overstated the amount of product used by Customer by at least three percent (3%), then Company will bear the costs of such test and shall either repair or replace the defective meters at its own expense. In all other cases, Customer shall bear the costs of such test. Customer and Company agree to negotiate in good faith the amount of any billing adjustment, if any, made by Company as a result of any meter test, whether such adjustment would result in payments by, or credits issued to, Customer.
- c. Company may, at its option, estimate Billing Period invoices. Differences between estimated bills and actual amounts due for the Billing Period(s) subject to estimated invoices shall be reconciled in the first subsequent invoice that is based on actual meter data. In no event will Company estimate meter readings for more than three (3) consecutive months unless it is unable to read Customer's meter for reasons beyond Company's control.
- d. Upon request by Customer, Company may, in its discretion, provide Customer with one or more additional Delivery Points. Unless otherwise specifically agreed by Company, service provided to each Delivery Point shall be separately metered and billed by Company and paid for by Customer.
- 3. For so long as the State of Ohio or any other taxing authority or authorities impose a tax on Company's gross receipts, the rates and charges established in this Tariff shall be increased by an amount equal to the total rate of gross receipts tax(es) imposed by all taxing authorities multiplied by the total of such rates and charges. In the event that any tax, fee, levy, surcharge, assessment, imposition or similar charge (other than a gross receipts tax) is imposed or assessed by any taxing authority on Company or Customer (but only to the extent that such charge is

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required to be collected by Company from Customer and remitted to such taxing authority), which tax or other charge is identifiable to, or measured by Customer's use, consumption, invoice, or purchase of Company's products or services (or the sale thereof by Company to Customer), the Customer's rates and charges established herein shall be increased by an amount equal to the amount necessary for Company to recover such charge(s) imposed or assessed on Company or which Company is required to collect.

# G. Conditions to Receive and Maintain Service and Changes in Conditions

1. Customer's rights and Company's obligations under this Tariff are contingent on Customer satisfying the Conditions to Receive Chilled Water Distribution Service (hereinafter, *Conditions*) set out in Paragraph G(2) below. Company may, with written notice to Customer, change the Conditions to the extent that Company reasonably determines that such changes are necessary for proper, efficient, and safe operation of Company's system provided that such changes shall have effect on a prospective basis commencing thirty (30) days following the date of Company's written notice. All such changes shall, to the extent practicable, be applied uniformly and shall, become effective automatically without need for regulatory approval.

#### 2. Conditions to Receive and Maintain Service.

- a. Company will distribute chilled water to Customer and receive returned water from the Customer through Company's distribution system at the Point of Delivery at a normal operating pressure of between 90 psig and 150 psig and a maximum pressure of 180 psig. Company shall use its best efforts to obtain and distribute chilled water to Customer at a temperature of between 40°F and 42°F during the calendar months of May through October (hereinafter, the *Summer Period*), and no more than 50°F during the calendar months of November through April (hereinafter, the *Winter Period*) provided that such temperature range shall only apply during Customer's normal business hours (8 AM to 5 PM) during the Winter Period. Company shall use commercially reasonable efforts to provide Customer with continuous chilled water distribution service and receipt of returned water from Customer from or through Company's existing distribution network.
- b. During the Summer Period, Customer will return water to Company's distribution system at a temperature of not less than 55°F. In addition to all other rates and charges applicable according to this Agreement and if Customer returns water to Company at a temperature of less than 55°F during the Summer Period, Company may assess Customer a *Return Temperature Adjustment Charge* (as defined below) that applies when Customer is causing the return water temperature at less than 55°F. In addition to such other actions as the Company may take under this Tariff, Company may restrict or control Customer's service to insure the return chilled water temperature is 55°F or higher. If Customer returns water to Company at temperatures greater than 57°F during the Summer Period, Company may reduce Customer's bill by application of a *Return Temperature Adjustment Credit* (as defined below). Any *Return Temperature Adjustment Charge* and Return Temperature Adjustment Credit shall occur only when the Building is operating at or above 20% of *Contract Capacity* (as defined in the Agreement).

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- c. Customer shall give immediate notice to Company of any leakage or escape of chilled water.
- d. All repairs to or replacements of Customer's piping and equipment shall be made promptly by the Customer at Customer's expense and shall not interfere with Company's ability to meet the service needs of its other customers.
- e. Customer will provide Company's duly authorized representatives with access at all reasonable times to all of Company's property on the premises of Customer and on all other premises which Customer may own or control for the purposes of meeting Company service responsibilities to Customer and its other customers. Company shall attempt to provide Customer with reasonable notice prior to accessing such property provided that the access sought by Company is not related to an existing or impending emergency condition.
- f. On or prior to the Service Commencement Date, Company will furnish shut-off valves and cathodic protection isolation flanges when, in Company's judgment, such equipment is needed to efficiently and safely meet Customer's service needs. Company shall also furnish the meter primary flow element, separable thermometer wells, the meter proper and the necessary electronics and recorders and Customer shall properly install such items. Customer shall provide to Company, at Customer's expense and at a location or locations Company determines to be suitable, 120-volt, 60-cycle, single-phase and reliable electricity supply. Customer shall also provide to Company, at Customer's expense and at a location or locations Company determines to be suitable, secure land phone line, Ethernet, LAN, cable or WAN access communications capability suitable to meet Company's metering, monitoring and data collection needs.
- g. Customer shall provide the temperature control indicated for the control valve in accordance with Company's specifications.
- h. Customer shall furnish, install, and operate pressure gauges and a straining device or devices in its return line as close as possible to the Point of Delivery to prevent foreign matter from entering Company's chilled water system. Customer shall ensure that the pressure drop through the straining device or devices is included in Customer's determination of the friction losses that Customer shall be responsible for overcoming through the installation and use of booster pumps. Customer shall periodically inspect, clean and, as needed, replace filters and straining devices to ensure efficient operation of its and Company's system.
- i. For design purposes, the maximum combined running head on the chilled water distribution system will be 180 psig measured at point chilled water is produced and supplied to Company's distribution system, the maximum supply pressure anticipated at Customer's main supply valve will be 150 psig and the maximum residual static head shall be 90 psig. Customer shall not design, install or operate its plant, equipment or facilities so as to exert static pressure head in excess of 90 psig. In addition. Customer shall install, operate and maintain any provided booster pumps that may be reasonably required to supply the dynamic

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head sufficient to overcome friction loss that may occur on its property or within the Building and to supply any elevation head required above that provided by Company at the Point of Delivery.

- j. Company will be responsible for obtaining a chilled water supply sufficient to meet normal make-up water requirements of its distribution system. Customer shall not take any action to cause make-up water requirements met by Company to exceed normal levels, shall promptly notify Company any loss of chilled water that occurs on Customer's property or within the Building and act in a commercially responsible fashion to promptly minimize make-up water requirements. Chilled water supply requirements associated with thermal expansion of Company's chilled water distribution system will be the responsibility of Company.
- k. Customer shall adopt and implement commercially reasonable practices to properly clean, degrease and flush the chilled water system within its control and install, operate and maintain such system so as to eliminate any leaks that might or do occur at the maximum operating pressure. Customer shall be responsible for determining the means and methods by which its system shall be cleaned, degreased and flushed and shall provide Company with reasonable notice of the means and methods selected by Customer so that Company has a reasonable opportunity to object to such means and methods. In the event Company does so object, Company and Customer shall promptly engage in good faith discussions to identify mutually acceptable means and methods. Nothing in this Tariff will be construed as causing Company to assent to an improper means or method in circumstances where Company has not stated an objection or to impose an affirmative duty on Company to communicate an objection to Customer.

# H. Miscellaneous

- 1. Company shall use all commercially reasonable efforts to secure and maintain all necessary permits, easements, ordinances and licenses over private and public property and any other approvals that may be required to operate its distribution system. The obligations of Company to perform under this Tariff are contingent upon and subject to securing and maintaining all such permits, easements, ordinances, licenses and approvals. Customer agrees to assist and cooperate with Company, and further agrees to permit the installation, operation, maintenance and replacement of service lines and valve pits within and on Customer's property or within the Building, and hereby grants to Company, at no cost to Company, the right to access and use such property and Building for the purpose of performing the actions required or permitted by this Tariff. Company shall provide advance notice and coordinate the installation of such service lines and valve pits with Customer.
- 2. Except with regard to Customer's obligation to make payment(s) due pursuant to this Tariff, neither party shall be liable to the other for failure to perform an obligation to the extent such failure was caused by Force Majeure. The term Force Majeure as employed herein means any cause not reasonably within the control of the party claiming the suspension as further defined herein. Force Majeure shall include, but not limited to the following: (1) physical events such as acts of God, landslides, lightening, earthquakes, fires, storms or storm warnings, such as hurricanes or tornadoes, which result in evacuation of the affected area, floods, washouts,

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explosions, breakage or accident or necessity of repairs to machinery, plant or equipment or lines or pipe; (2) weather related events affecting an entire geographic region, such as low temperatures which cause freezing of lines or pipes; (3) interruption or curtailment of chilled water supply to Company's distribution system; (3) acts of others such as strikes, lockouts, or other industrial disturbances, riots, sabotage, insurrections or wars; and (4) governmental action such as the necessity for compliance with any court order, law, statute, ordinance, regulation or policy having the affect of law promulgated by a governmental authority having jurisdiction. Customer and Company shall make reasonable efforts to avoid the adverse impacts of a Force Majeure and to resolve the event or occurrence once it has occurred in order to resume performance. Notwithstanding anything to the contrary herein, the settlement of strikes, lockouts or other industrial disturbances shall be within the sole discretion of the party experiencing such disturbance. The party whose performance is prevented by Force Majeure must provide notice to the other party. Initial notice may be given orally; however, written notice with reasonably full particulars of the event or occurrence is required as soon as reasonably possible. Upon providing written notice of Force Majeure to the other party, the affected party will be relieved of its obligation, from the onset of the Force Majeure event and to the extent and duration of Force Majeure.

- 3. If Company has reasonable grounds for insecurity regarding Customer's performance of any obligation under this Tariff (whether or not then due), including, without limitation, the occurrence of a material change in creditworthiness. Company may demand that Customer provide adequate assurance of performance and provide sufficient security in the form, amount and for the term reasonably acceptable to Company, including but not limited to, a standby irrevocable letter of credit, a prepayment, a security interest in an asset or a performance bond or guaranty.
- 4. Company is not responsible for any loss, damage, expense (including reasonable attorney's fees), or claim for personal injury, death, property damage, or otherwise arising from Company's distribution of chilled water to the Point of Delivery pursuant to this Tariff unless such loss, damage, expense or claim is determined to be the direct result of a final determination by the PUCO that Company violated its public utility obligations. Customer shall indemnify and hold Company harmless against any loss, damage, expense (including reasonable attorney's fees), or claim for personal injury, death, property damage, or otherwise arising from Customer's receipt of chilled water at the Point of Delivery, Customer's utilization of such chilled water and Customer's return of water to Company's distribution system to the extent such loss, damage, expense or claim is caused by negligence of Customer, its employees or agents.

# 19. RATE SCHEDULE FOR CHILLED WATER DISTRIBUTION DEFAULT SERVICE

#### A. Distribution Capacity Rate

\$0.517 per ton hour consumed or \$71.09 per ton per month of refrigeration.

# **B.** Distribution Consumption Rate

\$0.148 per ton hour consumed.

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# C. Purchased Chilled Water Cost Recovery Charge

Base Charge: \$0.185 per ton hour consumed.

The Base Charge specified shall be adjusted up or down annually by Company to recover the delivered cost of chilled water purchased by Company to meet the chilled water needs of Customer at the Point of Delivery and annually reconciled to ensure that the revenues obtained by Company match the Company's delivered cost of purchased chilled water. On an annual basis Company shall forecast its actual delivered cost of purchased chilled water, net of any prior period over or under recovery, and the ton hours subject to the Purchased Chilled Water Cost Recovery Charge and compute a new Purchased Chilled Water Cost Recovery Charge based on such forecasts. The new Purchased Chilled Water Cost Recovery Charge shall be computed by dividing the forecasted annual ton hours subject to such Charge into the forecasted annual delivered cost of purchased chilled water net of any prior period over or under recovery. The Base Charge specified above shall be adjusted up or down annually by the positive or negative difference between each newly computed Purchased Chilled Water Cost Recovery Charge and the Base Charge. Company shall notify Customer of the as adjusted Purchased Chilled Water Cost Recovery Charge 30 days prior to the effective date of such Charge. Should events or circumstances indicate to Company that actual purchased chilled water costs or actual ton hours subject to said Charge are substantially different than the amounts forecasted, Company may adjust the Base Charge more frequently than annually to avoid abrupt annual adjustments and substantial swings or volatility in the over or under recovery of the actual delivered cost of purchased chilled water.

# E. Lost Water Rate

\$0.086 per gallon lost in Customer's building during each Billing Period.

# F. Return Temperature Adjustment Rate

\$0.065 per ton hour when the provisions of Paragraph 18G(2) of the Tariff are applicable.

- a. When return water temperature is between 55°F and 57°F, no adjustment is applied;
- b. When return water temperature is greater than 57°F, the metered volume of ton hours consumed under those conditions multiplied by the above rate is subtracted from Customer's invoice for the applicable Billing Period;
- c. When return water temperature is less than 55°F, the metered volume of ton hours consumed under those conditions multiplied by the above rate is added to Customer's invoice for the applicable Billing Period.

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# APPENDIX A

# CHILLED WATER DISTRIBUTION AGREEMENT

# **BY AND BETWEEN**

CLEVELAND THERMAL CHILLED WATER DISTRIBUTION, INC.

**AND** 

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# CHILLED WATER DISTRIBUTION AGREEMENT

This Chilled Water Distribution Agreement (hereinafter, the *Agreement*) is entered into as of the [ ] day of [ ], 2014 (*Effective Date*), between [\_\_\_\_\_\_], located at the Southwest corner of East Sixth Street and St. Clair Avenue, Cleveland, Ohio [Zipcode], (hereinafter, the *Customer*) and **CLEVELAND THERMAL CHILLED WATER DISTRIBUTION, INC**, located at 1921 Hamilton Avenue, Cleveland, Ohio 44114 (hereinafter, the *Company*).

WHEREAS, Company is a district energy company engaged in the business of distributing chilled water to owners of buildings located in certain areas of the City of Cleveland, Ohio (hereinafter, the *City*) in accordance with reasonable arrangements or otherwise applicable tariff schedules (*Tariff*) filed with the Public Utilities Commission of Ohio (hereinafter, *PUCO*); and

WHEREAS, Customer is the owner of the Building, as hereinafter defined, located in the City and desires that Company obtain for and distribute processed chilled water to Customer to meet Customer's air conditioning and other cooling energy needs for the Building during the renovation thereof as a hotel and after its opening, expected as of the Effective Date to be in February, 2016 (such opening date hereinafter the *Opening Date*).

**NOW THEREFORE**, in consideration of the mutual promises hereinafter set forth, and subject to the terms and provisions hereof, Company and Customer agree as follows:

# 1. GENERAL PERFORMANCE OBLIGATIONS

Subject to the more specific identification of Customer's requirements set forth A. herein, Company shall obtain for and distribute to Customer and Customer shall receive from Company's existing distribution system and at the *Point of Delivery* (as specified in accordance with this Agreement) the total chilled water and cooling requirements of the building or premises identified on Appendix A attached hereto and incorporated herein by reference (hereinafter, the Building). Company shall also receive returned water from Customer at the Point of Delivery pursuant to this Agreement. However, this Agreement does not obligate Company to provide uninterrupted service to Customer and Customer acknowledges, by executing this Agreement, that Customer's service may be interrupted or discontinued by Company when Company cannot maintain service through commercially reasonable measures. In the event that Company cannot provide continuous chilled water distribution service to Customer in accordance with the terms and conditions of this Agreement for a period exceeding twenty-four (24) hours, Company shall make a pro rata adjustment to Customer's chilled water service charges described below based on the amount of time such service was not provided during the applicable Billing Period (as defined below). Company shall also provide Customer with periodic invoices stating the charges Customer owes Company for service provided under this Agreement and, notwithstanding any other provision in this Agreement, Company may discontinue service under this Agreement in the event that Customer has not made full payment for any Billing Period invoice within the period specified in Paragraph 5.A below. Company shall furnish, install, own and maintain, at its expense, isolation valves and such metering equipment as it deems appropriate to measure the chilled water distributed to Customer and water retuned to Company by Customer.

- Customer shall be responsible for all provisions of Sections 1 through 17, inclusive, of Company's Tariff (except to the extent inconsistent with the provisions of this Agreement), including all amendments, supplements and replacements of any thereof, in addition to the terms and conditions of this Agreement. Customer shall pay all costs of connecting the Building to Company's distribution mains and shall use commercially reasonable efforts to receive chilled water from Company's distribution system for the Building, return water in sufficient quantity and without abnormal loss to Company, meet the conditions established by Company to receive chilled water distribution service from Company and timely pay Company for service provided pursuant to this Agreement. Upon Company's request and at no cost to Company, Customer shall provide adequate space and any interest in real property suitable to Company on Customer's property and within the Building to permit Company to meet its initial and ongoing service obligations under this Agreement or otherwise and shall allow Company reasonable access thereto at all times upon request by Company. By executing this Agreement, Customer authorizes Customer's property manager, any Building manager or such other person that may have the ability to do so, to permit Company to enter the Building for the purpose of performing this Agreement. By executing this Agreement, Customer acknowledges that it is solely responsible for establishing and maintaining such facilities, pumps and other equipment as may be required to redistribute chilled water within the Building and to install and operate such equipment, plant and facilities as may reasonably be necessary to avoid the actions or inactions of Customer and occupants of the Building from negatively affecting Company's ability to safely and adequately meet the needs of its other customers. Upon request, Customer shall furnish Company with information that is sufficient to demonstrate that Customer has installed plant, facilities, and equipment and implemented operating procedures to avoid imposing overpressure or pressure-related shocks on Company's distribution system. Beyond such chilled water redistribution as Customer may need to perform to meet the chilled water needs within the Building, Customer shall not redistribute chilled water, with or without a charge to the receiving party, for any other purpose without prior written consent of Company. By executing this Agreement, Customer agrees that the temperature at which Customer returns water to Company's distribution system has a significant effect on Company's ability to effectively distribute chilled water to Customer and Company's other customers and that Customer shall install and operate such Building equipment and facilities as may reasonably be required to keep the temperature of water returned to Company's distribution system within the range specified herein. Unless otherwise specifically agreed to by Company, Customer shall design, own, construct, install, operate and maintain, at its own expense, piping necessary to receive chilled water from Company at the Point of Delivery and all cooling equipment, including but not limited to pumps, valves, insulation, gauges, and controls necessary to return water to Company at the Point of Delivery within the temperature range specified herein. Customer shall not cause any additive, chemical, or other such item to enter Company's chilled water system or otherwise affect the chemical content of the chilled water received from or returned to the Company.
- C. Each party shall, respectively, design, construct, operate and maintain its plant, facilities, equipment and piping in an efficient, safe and reliable manner so that the purpose of this Agreement may be fulfilled. Prior to commencing service under this Agreement and throughout the Term, as defined below, Company shall have the right, but not the duty, to inspect, review and approve the connection of Customer's equipment and piping to Company's chilled water distribution system. Company's right of inspection shall in no way impose a duty or liability on Company with respect to the lawful, safe or proper operation of Customer's equipment and piping.

By executing this Agreement, Customer represents to Company that it is not relying upon Company's expertise or knowledge in connection with the design or operation of Customer's equipment and the redistribution or use of chilled water within the Building. Notwithstanding the foregoing, from and after the Effective Date to the Opening Date, Company shall cooperate with Customer, as reasonably requested, in providing information related to Company's facilities which will facilitate the design, construction and installation of the Building's piping and equipment and connection thereof to Company's mains.

D. Throughout the Term, the utility chilled water service provided by Company shall be the sole source of Customer's air conditioning and cooling energy requirements for the Building and the sole source of chilled water service to the Building.

# 2. TERM OF AGREEMENT AND EARLY TERMINATION

- A. The initial term of this Agreement (such initial term, together with any extension or renewal thereof, the *Term*) shall commence on the Effective Date and shall terminate on the initial termination date set forth in Appendix B, attached hereto and incorporated herein by reference, unless sooner terminated pursuant to the provisions hereof.
- B. At the end of the initial term, this Agreement shall be renewed or extended as set forth in Appendix B.
- C. Customer may cancel or terminate this Agreement prior to the end of the Term only as set forth in Appendix B.
- Company may terminate this Agreement upon fifteen (15) days prior written notice D. to Customer in the event of any default by Customer which default continues for a period of more than fifteen (15) days following a written demand by Company to cure such default. Any cure right that Customer may have pursuant to this Paragraph shall not extend to any default that arises as a result of Customer's failure to make timely payment. In such event, Customer shall pay to Company a cancellation charge equal to the sum of: (1) the Distribution Capacity Charge (as defined below) in effect at the time of the written notice multiplied by the Contract Capacity (as defined below) then in effect and the number of months remaining under the Term of the Agreement; (2) an amount equal to all amounts, if any, due with respect to unamortized costs from the date of termination to the end of the amortization period as shown on any then current Schedule, as defined below, with interest thereon as may be set forth in the Schedule or as otherwise determined by Company; and (3) all costs incurred by Company in disconnecting the Building from Company's chilled water distribution system. This cancellation charge shall be in addition to any other damages incurred by Company as a result of Customer's default. Company reserves the right to seek damages from Customer to compensate Company for all losses, damages, costs and expenses, including reasonable attorneys' fees and lost profits, suffered by Company as a result of Customer's breach of this Agreement. In lieu of terminating the Agreement upon a default by Customer, Company shall have the right, and may elect, in its sole discretion, to discontinue or suspend service to Customer and the Building upon the giving of such notice as may then be required by law (or upon fifteen (15) days prior written notice if no notice is then required by law). In the event that Company suspends or discontinues service pursuant to this Paragraph, Company reserves the right to seek damages from Customer to compensate Company for all losses, costs,

damages and expenses, including reasonable attorneys' fees and lost profits, suffered by Company as a result of Customer's default.

- In the event of any suspension or discontinuance of service or cancellation of the Agreement, (1) pursuant to Paragraph D above, or (2) by Customer pursuant to any right under Appendix B, or (3) as a result of the end of the Term, Company shall discontinue providing chilled water and distribution services hereunder, and Customer shall provide Company with such access to Customer's Building and property as Company may reasonably request to remove Company's plant, equipment, facilities and piping. Customer's obligation to provide Company with such access for the purpose of removing such equipment and piping shall survive the termination of this Agreement for so long as Company may reasonably require to remove such equipment and piping. When chilled water service to the Building has been disconnected for any reason covered by Paragraph D above, a reconnection charge of Two Hundred Fifty Dollars (\$250.00) plus the actual labor and materials cost to reconnect will be required if the former Customer requests reconnection, but Company shall be under no obligation to reconnect such Customer unless such Customer, prior to any reconnection, has paid all outstanding indebtedness in full to Company and has provided any security required by Company and, in addition, in the event that there has occurred any tampering, interference or unauthorized use of Company's lines or equipment by Customer, its employees or agents (as contemplated by Sections 4933.18 and 4933.23, Ohio Revised Code) or has fraudulently or illegally obtained service from Company or been the beneficiary of such fraudulent or illegal action (as contemplated by Section 4933.18, Ohio Revised Code), has paid the Company an investigation fee of One Hundred Dollars (\$100) plus the actual costs of such investigation (if Company has undertaken an investigation of the matter) plus, further, an amount determined by the Company to be reasonable compensation for the service fraudulently or illegally obtained and not paid for and for any damage to the property of Company, including any costs to repair any damage or tampering.
- F. By executing this Agreement, Customer assents to Company's receipt, in advance, of any such regulatory authority as Company may need to suspend, discontinue, cancel or terminate service pursuant to this Agreement either at the end of the Term of this Agreement or upon early cancellation.
- G. All obligations of Customer that arose prior to the cancellation of this Agreement, including, without limitation, the obligation to pay in full any cancellation charge and any unpaid invoices plus late charges for service provided by Company prior to the effective date of cancellation, shall survive the cancellation or termination of this Agreement. No eminent domain or condemnation proceedings with respect to the Building's premises shall relieve Customer of its obligations hereunder.
- H. By executing this Agreement, Customer acknowledges that Company's service obligations pursuant to this Agreement involve the incurrence of fixed costs associated with long-lived assets and that cancellation charges specified herein are designed to require Customer to provide Company with sufficient revenue upon early termination to approximate Customer's just and reasonable return of and return on the capital invested to make service available pursuant to this Agreement. Customer and Company have agreed to the cancellation charges with the understanding that the calculation of the actual fixed costs incurred by Company to meet Customer's service needs is subject to judgment and assumptions, as it is in any situation involving

network utility service and costs incurred to meet the needs in common of multiple customers, and that the method of computing the cancellation charges set forth is this Agreement is appropriate and reasonable.

I. If at any time a local regulatory authority, other regulatory authority, or Company judges that Customer's plant or equipment may be unsafe, Company may withhold or discontinue service until Customer has completed corrective actions and the actual or potential unsafe condition has been eliminated. Except in the case of an emergency, Company will attempt to provide Customer with reasonable notice prior to discontinuing or suspending service due to an unsafe condition.

# 3. Installation of Equipment

- A. Company shall design, locate, own, construct and install, at its own expense, all equipment and piping (except for such equipment and piping required to be paid for by Customer pursuant to Paragraph 1.B above) necessary for Customer to receive chilled water from Company at the Point of Delivery in such amounts as may be reasonably required to meet Customer's cooling needs as specified herein and to receive into its distribution system returned water from Customer at the Point of Delivery.
- B. If the Point of Delivery is located within the Building or other structure, then Customer shall provide Company with suitable pipe penetrations through the Building's or structure's wall or foundation to provide for suitable space for the installation and maintenance of Company's piping, metering and other plant, facilities or equipment associated with the provision of service to Customer. However, upon Customer's request, Company may elect, in its sole discretion, to install, on behalf of Customer, such pipe penetrations or other improvements for Customer, provided that Customer's request for Company to act in such capacity on behalf of Customer shall obligate Customer to hold Company harmless from any claim or liability arising from Company's actions and provided that Customer first properly executes and delivers to Company the form of release attached hereto as Appendix 3, the terms and provisions of which, if and when executed and delivered, shall automatically be incorporated into this Agreement. Any costs incurred by Company in undertaking such installation shall be subject to the provisions of Paragraph 5.E below.

# 4. COOLING CAPACITY REQUIREMENTS AND BILLING DETERMINANTS

A. The initial amount of chilled water distribution capacity reserved by the Company for Customer's use under this Agreement shall be the amount identified in Appendix A attached hereto and incorporated herein (hereinafter, the *Contract Capacity*). In order to assist Company with chilled water acquisition and distribution capacity planning efforts, Customer shall notify Company of any anticipated changes in Customer's Contract Capacity requirements as identified herein and shall do so not later than thirty (30) days prior to the start of each calendar year and promptly at any time during the year if the information provided in the annual notice changes. By executing this Agreement, Customer acknowledges that failure to provide Company with information identifying anticipated changes in Customer's Contract Capacity requirements may negatively affect Company's ability to timely obtain and distribute sufficient chilled water to meet Customer's needs.

- B. If, during the Term of this Agreement, Customer's highest actual demand for chilled water measured over an integrated sixty (60) minute period during any Billing Period (hereinafter, *Actual Demand*) exceeds the then existing Contract Capacity, the then existing Contract Capacity shall be restated to the level of such Actual Demand, thereby prospectively establishing Customer's new Contract Capacity. Upon written request by Customer, Company may agree to forgive an Actual Demand's restatement of Customer's Contract Capacity where the Actual Demand was the result of conditions or circumstances not reasonably within Customer's control.
- C. In the event a new Contract Capacity has been established as describe in paragraph 4B, Company shall, upon Customer's written request and at the end of the next *Summer Period* (defined as May through October), make a downward adjustment to and reset the Contract Capacity in recognition of actions taken by Customer to effectively manage its demand for chilled water distributed by Company. Such downward adjustment shall be based on an examination of the two most recent Summer Periods' highest actual monthly demands with the average of such actual demands becoming the Customer's new Contract Capacity. In no event, however, shall the Customer's Contract Capacity be less than the initial Contract Capacity set forth in Appendix A.
- D. The parties agree that Company is not obligated to distribute chilled water to Customer in excess of the Contract Capacity. However, Company shall, consistent with generally accepted industry practices and subject to its other service obligations, use reasonable efforts to meet Customer's Actual Demand to the extent that it exceeds the stated amount of Contract Capacity. To the extent that Company reasonably believes that Customer's Actual Demand may negatively affect Company's ability to meet the needs of its other customers, Company may restrict or otherwise limit the distribution of chilled water to Customer.

# 5. RATES, CHARGES AND BILLING

- A. From and after the *Service Commencement Date* (as defined in Appendix A attached to this Agreement and incorporated herein), Customer shall be billed by Company on billing cycle basis (herein, a *Billing Period*) with approximately twelve (12) Billing Periods in each calendar year and each Billing Period approximating one service month. Company's invoices shall be based on the rates, charges and fees stated herein as applied to Customer's billing determinants during the Billing Period. Customer shall pay Company's invoice within fifteen (15) days of the invoice date. Any invoice unpaid in full within thirty (30) days of the invoice date shall be deemed late and subject to an additional charge of one and one-half percent (1.5%) per month multiplied by the balance not timely paid or two dollars (\$2.00), whichever is higher. Company's invoice for service supplied to Customer pursuant to this Agreement shall include the following:
  - a. Distribution Capacity Charge. The Distribution Capacity Charge shall be equal to the product of the then current Distribution Capacity Rate (as shown in Appendix 1) multiplied by Customer's Contract Capacity for the Billing Period. The Distribution Capacity Charge shall escalate on an annual basis each April 1st following the Service Commencement Date until the end of the Term, in an amount equal to two percent (2%) plus one-half (1/2) of any annual increase in the Consumer Price Index- All Urban Consumers (hereinafter, CPI-AUC) for the prior calendar year.

- b. *Distribution Consumption Charge*. The *Distribution Consumption Charge* shall be equal to the product of the *Distribution Consumption Rate* (as shown in Appendix 1) multiplied by the total number of ton hours of chilled water distributed to Customer by Company during the Billing Period.
- c. Purchased Chilled Water Cost Recovery Charge. The Purchased Chilled Water Cost Recovery Charge shall recover the dollar-for-dollar delivered cost of the chilled water which Company purchases to meet Customer's chilled water requirements at the Point of Delivery. The Purchased Chilled Water Cost Recovery Charge shall be adjusted and reconciled periodically based on such delivered cost in accordance with the formula specified in Appendix 1 and multiplied, as adjusted, on a bills rendered basis to the total number of ton hours of chilled water distributed to Customer by Company during each Billing Period.
- d. Lost Water Charge. The Lost Water Charge shall be equal to the Lost Water Rate (as shown in Appendix 1) times the total gallons of chilled water lost on the Customer's side of the Point of Delivery during the Billing Period, as verified by Company.
- e. Return Temperature Adjustment Charge or Credit. The Return Temperature Adjustment Charge or Credit shall be equal to the charge or credit, as applicable, multiplied by the quantity of Billing Period ton hours at less than 55°F or in excess of 57°F, respectively. A Return Temperature Adjustment Charge shall be applied only during months when the Building's actual demand is greater than or equal to twenty percent (20%) of the Contract Capacity. No Return Temperature Adjustment Charge shall apply during a seasonal start-up or shut-down of Customer's system.
- f. *Late Charge*. Company shall render invoices to Customer for chilled water for each Billing Period and such invoices shall be due and payable when issued by Company. The *Late Charge* shall be equal to the monthly interest rate specified herein times the balance not timely paid or two dollars (\$2.00), whichever is higher.
- g. *GRT Charge*. The total amount of all rates and charges shown on each Billing Period invoice shall be adjusted upwards by a *GRT Charge* specified in Appendix 1. The value of the GRT Charge shall be specified as a percentage calculated so as to permit the billing and collection of incremental revenue sufficient for Company to recover the amount of any gross receipts, sales or other charges to which Company may, from time to time, be subject under the laws and regulations of the State of Ohio or other taxing authority, excluding taxes imposed on net income by federal, state and other taxing authorities. Company shall have the right to amend the GRT Charge from time to time to account for changes in the taxes imposed by the applicable taxing authorities.
- h. Regulatory Recovery Charge. In the event that Company incurs any cost or charge as described in subparagraph D below, the prorated amount determined in accordance with such subparagraph shall be included on Customer's invoice for each Billing Period as a Regulatory Recovery Charge.
- i. *Adjustments to Charges*. The Distribution Consumption Charge, the Lost Water Charge and the Return Temperature Adjustment Charge or Credit shall each be subject to annual escalations each April 1st following the Service Commencement Date, by an amount not to exceed one and one-quarter (1.25) times the annual increase in the CPI-

AUC for the prior calendar year. In the event the publication of the CPI-AUC is discontinued, the Company will use a revised or replacement index that is similar to the discontinued CPI-AUC for purposes of computing all charge adjustments authorized by this Agreement based on changes in the CPI-AUC.

- Metering and Billing. Company shall install metering equipment sufficient to В. measure Customer's capacity requirements, usage of chilled water and amount and temperature of water returned to Company's system at each Point of Delivery and to bill and collect for service provided by Company pursuant to this Agreement. Such metering equipment shall permit Company to measure and, over time, record chilled water flow and water temperature differences and convert this relationship to ton hours with each ton hour equivalent to 12,000 British thermal unit's of cooling within sixty (60) minutes. No person, except a duly authorized employee of Company, shall be authorized herein or elsewhere to alter or interfere with the operation of any Company meter, or its connections, regulators or any other item of plant, facilities or equipment furnished by Company. In the event of an emergency, Customer may operate stop valves and meter stop valves provided that such operation is warranted based on emergency conditions, Customer notifies Company of such operation as quickly as possible, the operation is limited to the duration of the emergency and provided that the emergency does not arise after Company has discontinued or suspended service to Customer. A quantity of chilled water supply sufficient to initially fill Customer's system downstream of the Point of Delivery shall be subtracted from Customer's initial invoice under this Agreement with any additional requirements beyond normal make-up charged at the Lost Water Charge Rate then in effect.
  - (i) A meter shall be deemed accurate if it is measuring within three percent (3%), more or less, of actual quantities. When a meter fails to accurately register the quantity of chilled water consumed or retuned, Company will change or repair the meter and invoice Customer for the relevant Billing Period(s) based on either of the following methods:
    - a. Estimates of the chilled water consumed on the basis of past usage during a similar period and under similar conditions; or
    - b. Estimates of the chilled water consumed on the basis of usage registered by the new or repaired meter during a subsequent period.
  - (ii) Company may inspect and maintain its metering equipment located within the Building, as Company may determine to be reasonably necessary. In the event Customer believes that the meters located within the Building are not operating properly, Customer may request, in writing, a test of the meters whereupon Company shall conduct a test, in Customer's presence if desired by Customer, upon the meters located in the Building. If the results of such test show that the meters are inaccurate, then Company shall bear the costs of such test and shall either repair or replace the defective meters at its own expense. If the results of the test show the meters to be accurate, Customer shall bear the costs of such test. Customer and Company agree to negotiate in good faith the amount of any billing adjustment, if any, made by Company as a result of any meter test, whether such adjustment would result in payments by, or credits issued to, Customer.

- (iii) Company may, at its option, estimate Billing Period invoices. Differences between estimated bills and actual amounts due for the Billing Period(s) subject to estimated invoices shall be reconciled in the first subsequent invoice that is based on actual meter data. In no event shall Company estimate meter readings for more than three (3) consecutive months unless it is unable to read Customer's meter for reasons beyond Company's control.
- (iv) Upon request by Customer, Company may, in its discretion, provide Customer with one or more additional Points of Delivery. Unless otherwise specifically agreed by Company, service provided to each Point of Delivery shall be separately metered and billed by Company and paid for by Customer.
- C. In the event that any tax, fee, levy, surcharge, assessment, imposition or similar charge (other than a gross receipts tax or other charge included in the GRT Charge set forth above) is imposed or assessed by any taxing authority on Company or Customer (but only to the extent that such charge is required to be collected by Company from Customer and remitted to such taxing authority), which tax or other charge is identifiable to, or measured by Customer's use, consumption, invoice, or purchase of Company's products or services (or the sale thereof by Company to Customer), the Customer's rates and charges established herein shall be increased by an amount equal to the amount necessary for Company to recover such charge(s) imposed or assessed on Company or which Company is required to collect. In the event that Company is required to collect any such charge or imposition imposed on Customer, Company shall have no obligation at any time to reimburse Customer for any such amount collected or any portion thereof.
- D. Governmental Authority or Insurance Company Mandated Changes or Modifications. Changes or modifications as mandated, from time to time, by any governmental authority or insurance company and required to produce, obtain or distribute chilled water for Company's customers' needs are not a part of this Agreement. In the event that financial costs for compliance with such requirements must be incurred, a prorated amount of the total expense from time to time outstanding will be applied by Company to each ton of chilled water sold to customers over a reasonable period so as to permit the recovery of the cost thereof.
- E. Mutually Agreed Charges. Upon the mutual agreement of the parties hereto, Company may elect to provide assistance to Customer in installing equipment and/or improvements to the Building related to the use of Company's products or service or the commencement of service to the Building. The type and amount of such assistance to be provided by Company, and the manner of repayment of such costs by Customer, if any, shall be set forth in a supplemental schedule to Appendix 3 to this Agreement (Schedule) mutually agreed to by the parties and attached to this Agreement. In the event that Company shall provide such assistance, Customer shall cooperate with Company and execute any instruments, certificates and other documents reasonably requested by Company in connection with providing such assistance, including but not limited to any consents to assignment by Company of this Agreement or any part hereof, or of any revenues hereunder, including any amounts to be paid by Customer pursuant to the Schedule, to any lender providing funds to Company for such assistance or other party.

# 6. CONDITIONS TO RECEIVE AND MAINTAIN SERVICE AND CHANGES IN CONDITIONS

Customer's rights and Company's obligations under this Agreement are contingent on Customer satisfying the Conditions to Receive Chilled Water Distribution Service (hereinafter, *Conditions*) attached hereto as Appendix 2 and incorporated herein. Customer agrees that Company may, with written notice to Customer change the Conditions to the extent that Company reasonably determines that such changes are necessary for proper, efficient, and safe operation of Company's system provided that such changes shall have effect on a prospective basis commencing thirty (30) days following the date of Company's written notice. All such changes shall, to the extent practicable, be applied uniformly and shall, on their effective date, automatically become a part of this Agreement without need for Customer and Company to formally execute an amendment or otherwise modify this Agreement.

# 7. MISCELLANEOUS

- A. Permits. Company shall use all commercially reasonable efforts to secure and maintain all necessary permits, easements, ordinances, franchises and licenses over private and public property and any other approvals that may be required to operate its distribution system. Company and Customer agree that all obligations of Company to perform under this Agreement are contingent upon and subject to securing and maintaining all such permits, easements, ordinances, franchises, licenses and approvals; otherwise, unless specifically agreed to by the parties hereto in writing, this Agreement shall terminate and neither party shall have any further obligation hereunder. Customer agrees to assist and cooperate with Company, and further agrees to permit the installation, operation, maintenance and replacement of service lines and valve pits within and on Customer's property or within the Building, and hereby grants to Company, at no cost to Company, the right to access and use such property and Building for the purpose of performing the actions required or permitted by this Agreement. Company shall provide advance notice and coordinate the installation of such service lines and valve pits with Customer.
- В. <u>Force Majeure</u>. Except with regard to Customer's obligation to make payment(s) due pursuant to this Agreement, neither party shall be liable to the other for failure to perform an obligation to the extent such failure was caused by Force Majeure. The term Force Majeure as employed herein means any cause not reasonably within the control of the party claiming the suspension as further defined herein. Force Majeure shall include, but not limited to the following: (1) physical events such as acts of God, landslides, lightening, earthquakes, fires, storms or storm warnings, such as hurricanes or tornadoes, which result in evacuation of the affected area, floods, washouts, explosions, breakage or accident or necessity of repairs to machinery, plant or equipment or lines or pipe; (2) weather related events affecting an entire geographic region, such as low temperatures which cause freezing of lines or pipes; (3) interruption or curtailment of chilled water supply to Company's distribution system; (3) acts of others such as strikes, lockouts, or other industrial disturbances, riots, sabotage, insurrections or wars; and (4) governmental action such as the necessity for compliance with any court order, law, statute, ordinance, regulation or policy having the effect of law promulgated by a governmental authority having jurisdiction. Customer and Company shall make reasonable efforts to avoid the adverse impacts of a Force Majeure and to resolve the event or occurrence once it has occurred in order to resume performance. Notwithstanding anything to the contrary herein, the parties agree that the settlement of strikes, lockouts or other industrial disturbances shall be within the sole discretion of the party

experiencing such disturbance. The party whose performance is prevented by Force Majeure must provide notice to the other party. Initial notice may be given orally; however, written notice with reasonably full particulars of the event or occurrence is required as soon as reasonably possible. Upon providing written notice of Force Majeure to the other party, the affected party will be relieved of its obligation, from the onset of the Force Majeure event and to the extent and duration of Force Majeure.

- Assignment. This Agreement shall inure to the benefit of and be binding upon the parties' respective successors and assigns; provided, however, that any assignment by Customer of this Agreement or any rights hereunder shall be void and of no effect and Customer shall not be relieved of its obligations and liabilities hereunder, except as set forth in the following sentence. If there occurs any act (by a transfer of assets, stock or other equity interests, long term lease, management or operating agreement, or otherwise) whereby a third party (Assignee) acquires the right to control the Building or its operations, Customer may assign this Agreement and be relieved of its obligations and liabilities hereunder for any obligations not having theretofore accrued only if (i) Customer and such Assignee execute, respectively, assignment and assumption agreements substantially in the forms set forth in Exhibits A and B hereto or as otherwise satisfactory to Company in its sole discretion, and (ii) Company approves such assignment and the creditworthiness of such Assignee, which approval shall not be unreasonably withheld or delayed after being given reasonable notice of such assignment and evidence of such creditworthiness. Any assignment by Customer that does not adhere to the terms and conditions of this provision shall give Company the right, in its sole discretion, to terminate this Agreement and be relieved of its obligations hereunder. Company may assign this Agreement upon giving not less than thirty (30) days prior written notice to Customer of its intent to make such assignment. Except in any instance in which the assignment shall be a collateral assignment in favor of a secured lender, any such assignment shall relieve Company of all its obligations under this Agreement provided that Company obtains any such regulatory approvals for such assignment as may be required. Customer agrees that, at any time and from time to time, it will promptly and duly execute and deliver any and all such further instruments and documents and take such further action as Company may reasonably request in writing in order to evidence Customer's acknowledgment of such assignment by Company and to implement the provisions of this paragraph. This Agreement does not, and shall not be construed as to confer any rights of a third party beneficiary upon any person or entity.
- D. <u>Estoppel Certificate</u>. Customer and Company agree, upon the written request of the other party, to execute and deliver to the other party, or to such person or entity as may be designated by the other party, a certificate which: (a) identifies this Agreement and any amendments and states that this Agreement as so amended is in full force and effect and has not been further amended as of the date of such certificate; (b) specifies the date through which amounts owing under this Agreement have been paid; and (c) states that, to the best of the knowledge of the party delivering such certificate, neither Company nor Customer are in default of any of its respective obligations under this Agreement (or, if any such default is claimed, identifying the same).
- E. <u>Entire Agreement</u>. This Agreement, including all attachments hereto, sets forth all the understandings, either oral or otherwise, between the parties as to the subject matter hereof and any prior understandings, contracts or agreements are superseded by this Agreement. Except as

otherwise specified herein, this Agreement may be amended only by a writing executed by both parties. The headings and subheadings contained in this Agreement are used solely for convenience and do not constitute a part of this Agreement and shall not be used to construe or interpret the provisions of this Agreement.

- F. <u>Severability</u>. If any provision in this Agreement is deemed to be invalid, void or unenforceable by any court having jurisdiction, such determination shall not invalidate, void, or make unenforceable any other provision of this Agreement.
- G. <u>Waiver</u>. No waiver of breach of this Agreement shall be held to be a waiver of any other or subsequent breach.
- H. <u>Governing Law/Jurisdiction</u>. The interpretation and performance of this Agreement shall be governed by the laws of Ohio excluding, however, any conflict of laws rule which would apply the law of another jurisdiction. The parties agree that the state and federal courts sitting in Cleveland, Ohio will have exclusive jurisdiction over any claim arising out of this Agreement, and each party consents to the exclusive jurisdiction of such courts, except as necessary to effect any right of appeal.
- I. <u>Authority</u>. Each party to this Agreement represents that it has full and complete authority to enter into and perform this Agreement. Each person who executes this Agreement on behalf of either party represents and warrants that it has full and complete authority to do so and such party will be bound thereby.
- J. <u>Notices</u>. All notices, demands, requests, reports and statements provided for in this Agreement shall be made in writing and sent by facsimile or electronic means, a nationally recognized overnight courier service, hand delivered, or by regular mail addressed as follows:

To Company:

Cleveland Thermal Chilled Water Distribution, Inc. 1921 Hamilton Avenue
Cleveland, Ohio 44114
Attention: President
Fax: 216-241-6486
mdivis@clevelandthermal.com

To Customer:

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or to such other address and person as either party may, from time to time, notify the other in writing delivered to the address stated above. Notice and all other communications will be given

when received on a business day by the addressee. In the absence of proof of the actual receipt date, the following presumptions will apply. Notices and other communications sent by facsimile or other electronic means shall be deemed to have been received upon the sending party's receipt of its facsimile or other machine's confirmation of successful transmission. If the day on which such facsimile is received is not a business day or is after five p.m. on a business day, then the facsimile or other electronic transmission shall be deemed to have been received on the next following business day. Communications by overnight mail or courier shall be deemed to have been received on the business day after it was sent or such earlier time as is confirmed by the receiving party. Communications via regular mail shall be considered delivered five (5) business days after mailing.

- K. Remedies Cumulative. Each remedy under this Agreement shall be cumulative and in addition to any other remedy provided by law. The failure of either party to insist on strict performance of any provision under this Agreement, or to take advantage of any right hereunder shall not be construed as a waiver of such provision or right. No single or partial exercise of any right, power or privilege hereunder shall preclude any other or future exercise thereof or the exercise of any other right, power or privilege. Any suspension or waiver of a default or other provision under this Agreement shall not suspend, waive or affect any other default or other provision under this Agreement, and shall not be construed as a bar to any right or remedy that a party would otherwise have had on any future occasion.
- L. <u>No Warranty</u>. Except as expressly stated herein, Company makes no warranties or representations, express or implied, as to any matter whatsoever related to the interconnection or performance of the district cooling system to the Building including the design, capacity, efficiency and operation thereof.
- M. <u>Arbitration</u>. Any claim or dispute involving an amount in controversy less than \$300,000 that arises out of or related to this Agreement or any breach thereof, shall be resolved by arbitration in accordance with the rules of the American Arbitration Association and judgment upon the award rendered by the arbitrators may be entered in any court having jurisdiction thereof. Any arbitration shall be conducted in Cleveland, Ohio. Reasonable discovery shall be permitted in any such arbitration subject to the control of the arbitrators and shall include, but not be limited to, depositions of the parties and production of documents. Claims or disputes involving an amount in controversy in excess of \$300,000 may be resolved by arbitration, but only at the election of the parties at the time of the dispute.
- N. <u>Security</u>. If Company has reasonable grounds for insecurity regarding Customer's performance of any obligation under this Agreement (whether or not then due), including, without limitation, the occurrence of a material change in creditworthiness, Company shall have the right to require that Customer provide adequate assurance of performance and provide sufficient security in the form, amount and for the term reasonably acceptable to Company, including but not limited to, a standby irrevocable letter of credit, a prepayment, a security interest in an asset or a performance bond or guaranty.
- O. <u>Indemnity</u>. Company agrees to indemnify and hold Customer harmless against any loss, damage, expense (including reasonable attorney's fees), or claim for personal injury, death, property damage, or otherwise arising from Company's distribution of chilled water to the Point

of Delivery pursuant to this Agreement to the extent such loss, damage, expense or claim is determined to be the direct result of Company's violation of its public utility obligations as determined in a final determination by the PUCO. Customer agrees to indemnify and hold Company harmless against any loss, damage, expense (including reasonable attorney's fees), or claim for personal injury, death, property damage, or otherwise arising from Customer's receipt of chilled water at the Point of Delivery, Customer's utilization of such chilled water and Customer's return of water to Company's distribution system pursuant to this Agreement to the extent such loss, damage, expense or claim is caused by negligence of Customer, its employees or agents.

LIMITATION OF DAMAGES. FOR BREACH OF ANY PROVISION FOR P. WHICH AN EXPRESS REMEDY OR MEASURE OF DAMAGES IS PROVIDED, SUCH EXPRESS REMEDY OR MEASURE OF DAMAGES SHALL BE THE SOLE AND EXCLUSIVE REMEDY. A PARTY'S LIABILITY HEREUNDER SHALL BE LIMITED AS SET FORTH IN SUCH PROVISION, AND ALL OTHER REMEDIES AT LAW OR IN EQUITY ARE WAIVED. IF NO REMEDY OR MEASURE OF DAMAGES IS EXPRESSLY PROVIDED HEREIN, A PARTY'S LIABILITY SHALL BE LIMITED TO DIRECT ACTUAL DAMAGES ONLY. SUCH DIRECT AND ACTUAL DAMAGES SHALL BE THE SOLE AND EXCLUSIVE REMEDY, AND ALL OTHER REMEDIES OR DAMAGES AT LAW OR IN EQUITY ARE WAIVED. UNLESS EXPRESSLY HEREIN PROVIDED, NEITHER PARTY SHALL BE LIABLE FOR CONSEQUENTIAL, INCIDENTAL, PUNITIVE, EXEMPLARY OR INDIRECT DAMAGES OR OTHER BUSINESS INTERRUPTION DAMAGES, BY STATUTE, IN TORT OR CONTRACT, UNDER ANY INDEMNITY PROVISION OR OTHERWISE. IT IS THE INTENT TO THE PARTIES THAT ANY LIMITATIONS HEREIN IMPOSED ON REMDIES AND THE MEASURE OF DAMAGES BE WITHOUT REGARD TO THE CAUSE OR CAUSES RELATED THERETO, INCLUDING THE NEGLIGENCE OF ANY PARTY, WHETHER SUCH NEGLIGENCE BE SOLE, JOINT OR CONCURRENT, OR ACTIVE OR PASSIVE. TO THE EXTENT THAT ANY DAMAGES REQUIRED TO BE PAID HEREUNDER ARE LIQUIDATED, THE PARTIES ACKNOWLEDGE THAT THE DAMAGES ARE DIFFICULT OR IMPOSSIBLE TO DETERMINE, OR OTHERWISE OBTAINING AN ADEQUATE REMEDY IS INCONVENIENT AND THE DAMAGES CALCULATED HEREUNDER CONSTITUTE A REASONABLE APPROXIMATION OF THE HARM OR LOSS.

[Signature page follows.]

**IN WITNESS WHEREOF**, the parties have executed this Agreement by their duly authorized officers as of the date first above written.

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| COMPANY: CLEVELAND T | THERMAL C | CHILLED WAT | TER DISTRIBU | UTION, INC. |
| By:                  |           |             |              |             |
| Name: Marc Divis     |           |             |              |             |
| Title: President     |           |             |              |             |
| Phone: 216-241-4274  |           |             |              |             |
| Fax: 216-241-6486    |           |             |              |             |

# APPENDICES & EXHIBITS

# APPENDIX A

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| Ι.  | Building: |
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- 2. Service Commencement Date: The date on which Company commences providing chilled water distribution service at the Point of Delivery by opening the Building's supply and return isolation valves to, if needed, initially fill the Building's chilled water redistribution system and cooling equipment within the Building or otherwise commences the flow of chilled water to the Building. The Service Commencement Date for the Building expected as of the Effective Date is on or around \_\_\_\_\_\_ Company shall provide written confirmation to Customer of the actual date service commences.
- 3. Contract Capacity: The Contract Capacity is estimated as of the Effective Date to be \_\_\_\_ tons. From and after the Service Commencement Date, this initial estimated Contract Capacity shall be subject to adjustment in accordance with Paragraphs 4.B. and 4.C. of the Agreement.

# APPENDIX B

# TERM AND CUSTOMER TERMINATION

The provisions of this Appendix B supplement the foregoing Agreement and are incorporated therein. Defined terms used in this Appendix but not defined herein shall have the same meanings as set forth in the Agreement, unless the context clearly requires otherwise.

# INITIAL TERMINATION DATE

The initial term shall terminate on the 20<sup>th</sup> anniversary of the Service Commencement Date.

# RENEWAL

At the end of the initial term, the Agreement shall automatically renew for an additional 10 years, unless either party provides to the other party not less than six (6) months prior written notice to the contrary.

# EARLY TERMINATION BY CUSTOMER

Customer may cancel the Agreement at any time by providing the Company with written notice at least twelve (12) months prior to the effective date of such cancellation and by making, no later than fifteen (15) days after the effective date of the termination of the Agreement, a lump sum early cancellation charge payment to Company equal to the sum of: (1) the Distribution Capacity Charge in effect as of the effective date of termination of this Agreement multiplied by the Contract Capacity then in effect and the number of months remaining under the term of the Agreement; and (2) an amount equal to all amounts, if any, due with respect to unpaid or unamortized costs from the date of termination to the end of the amortization period as shown on any then current Schedule, with interest thereon as may be set forth in the Schedule or as otherwise determined by Company. Such early cancellation charge shall be in addition to the charges for service received by Customer to the date of termination.

# APPENDIX 1

### RATE SCHEDULE FOR CHILLED WATER SERVICE

# A. DISTRIBUTION CAPACITY RATE

\$25.8201\* per month per ton of refrigeration.

# B. DISTRIBUTION CONSUMPTION RATE

\$0.1500\*\* per ton hour consumed.

# C. PURCHASED CHILLED WATER COST RECOVERY CHARGE

Base Charge: \$0.1674 per ton hour consumed.

The Base Charge specified shall be adjusted up or down at least quarterly by Company to recover the delivered cost of chilled water purchased by Company to meet the chilled water needs of Customer at the Point of Delivery and reconciled on Customer's Billing Period invoices over not least than three (3) Billing Periods to avoid abrupt adjustments and substantial swings or volatility in Customer's invoices but to ensure that the revenues obtained by Company match the Company's delivered cost of purchased chilled water. Company shall forecast its actual delivered cost of purchased chilled water on at least a quarterly basis, net of any prior period over or under recovery, and the ton hours subject to the Purchased Chilled Water Cost Recovery Charge and compute a new quarterly (or other period not to exceed a quarter) Purchased Chilled Water Cost Recovery Charge based on such forecasts. The new Purchased Chilled Water Cost Recovery Charge shall be computed by dividing the forecasted period's ton hours subject to such Charge into the forecasted period's delivered cost of purchased chilled water net of any prior period over or under recovery. The Base Charge specified above shall be adjusted up or down for the forecasted period by the positive or negative difference between each newly computed Purchased Chilled Water Cost Recovery Charge. Company shall notify Customer of the as adjusted Purchased Chilled Water Cost Recovery Charge thirty (30) days prior to the effective date of such Charge. Should events or circumstances (for example, significant market volatility in fuel costs or extreme weather conditions) indicate to Company that actual purchased chilled water costs or actual ton hours subject to said Charge may be substantially different than the amounts forecasted, Company may adjust the Base Charge more frequently than quarterly.

# E. LOST WATER RATE

\$0.0316\*\* per gallon lost in the Building during each Billing Period.

# F. RETURN TEMPERATURE ADJUSTMENT RATE

\$0.0316\*\* per ton hour when the provisions of Paragraph 5.A.e of the Agreement are applicable.

- a. When return water temperature is between 55°F and 57°F, no adjustment is applied;
- b. When return water temperature is greater than 57°F, the metered volume of ton hours consumed under those conditions multiplied by the above rate is subtracted from Customer's invoice for the applicable Billing Period;

c. When return water temperature is less than 55°F, the metered volume of ton hours consumed under those conditions multiplied by the above rate is added to Customer's invoice for the applicable Billing Period.

# G. GRT CHARGE

There is currently no GRT Charge as of the Effective Date of the Agreement.

\* 2014 rate, subject to escalation beginning in 2015 as set forth in Paragraph 5.A.a. of the Agreement. 
\*\* 2014 rate, subject to escalation beginning in 2015 as set forth in Paragraph 5.A.i. of the Agreement.

# APPENDIX 2

# CONDITIONS TO RECEIVE AND MAINTAIN SERVICE

As stated in Paragraph 6 of the foregoing Agreement, Customer's rights and Company's obligations under this Agreement are contingent on Customer satisfying the Conditions to Receive Chilled Water Distribution Service (*Conditions*) set forth in this Appendix and incorporated in such Agreement. Customer agrees that Company may, with written notice to Customer change the Conditions to the extent that Company reasonably determines that such changes are necessary for proper, efficient, and safe operation of Company's system provided that such changes shall have effect on a prospective basis commencing thirty (30) days following the date of Company's written notice. All such changes shall, to the extent practicable, be applied uniformly and shall, on their effective date, automatically become a part of this Agreement without need for Customer and Company to formally execute an amendment or otherwise modify this Agreement.

- 1. Company shall distribute chilled water to Customer and receive returned water from the Customer through Company's distribution system at the Point of Delivery at a normal operating pressure of between 90 psig and 150 psig and a maximum pressure of 180 psig. Company shall use commercially reasonable efforts to obtain and distribute chilled water to Customer at a temperature of between 40°F and 42°F during the calendar months of May through October (hereinafter, the *Summer Period*), and no more than 50°F during the calendar months of November through April (hereinafter, the *Winter Period*) provided that such temperature range shall only apply during Customer's normal business hours (8:00 am to 5:00 pm) during the Winter Period. Company shall use commercially reasonable efforts to provide Customer with continuous chilled water distribution service and to receive returned water from Customer from or through Company's existing distribution network.
- 2. During the Summer Period, Customer shall return water to Company's distribution system at a temperature of not less than 55°F. In addition to all other rates and charges applicable according to this Agreement and if Customer returns water to Company at a temperature of less than 55°F during the Summer Period, Company may assess Customer a Return Temperature Adjustment Charge (as defined in the Agreement) that applies when Customer's return water temperature is less than 55°F. In addition to such other actions as the Company may take under this Agreement, Company shall have the right to restrict or control Customer's service to insure the return chilled water temperature is 55°F or higher. If Customer returns water to Company at temperatures greater than 57°F during the Summer Period, Company may reduce Customer's bill by application of a Return Temperature Adjustment Credit (as defined in the Agreement). Any Return Temperature Adjustment Charge and Return Temperature Adjustment Credit shall occur only when the Building is operating at or above 20% of Contract Capacity (as defined in the Agreement).
- 3. Customer shall give immediate notice to Company of any leakage or escape of chilled water.
- 4. All repairs to or replacements of Customer's piping and equipment shall be made promptly by the Customer at Customer's expense and shall not interfere with Company's ability to meet the service needs of its other customers.
- Customer shall provide Company's duly authorized representatives with access at all reasonable times and to all of Company's property on the premises of Customer and on all other premises which Customer may own or control for the purposes of meeting Company service responsibilities

- to Customer and its other customers. Company shall attempt to provide Customer with reasonable notice prior to accessing such property provided that the access sought by Company is not related to an existing or impending emergency condition.
- 6. On or prior to the Service Commencement Date, Company shall furnish shut-off valves and cathodic protection isolation flanges when, in Company's judgment, such equipment is needed to efficiently and safely meet Customer's service needs. Company shall also furnish the meter primary flow element, separable thermometer wells, the meter proper and the necessary electronics and recorders and Customer shall properly install such items. Customer shall provide to Company, at Customer's expense and at a location or locations Company determines to be suitable, 120-volt, 60-cycle, single-phase and reliable electricity supply. Customer shall also provide to Company, at Customer's expense and at a location or locations Company determines to be suitable, secure land phone line, Ethernet, LAN, cable or WAN access communications capability suitable to meet Company's metering, monitoring and data collection needs.
- 7. Customer shall provide the temperature control indicated for the control valves in accordance with Company's specifications.
- 8. Customer will furnish install and operate pressure gauges and a straining device or devices in its return line as close as possible to the Point of Delivery to prevent foreign matter from entering Company's chilled water system. Customer shall ensure that the pressure drop through the straining device or devices is included in Customer's determination of the friction losses that Customer shall be responsible for overcoming through the installation and use of booster pumps. Customer shall periodically inspect, clean and, as needed, replace filters and straining devices to ensure efficient operation of its and Company's system.
- 9. For design purposes, Customer understands that Company expects that the maximum combined running head on the chilled water distribution system will be 180 psig measured at the point chilled water is produced and supplied to Company's distribution system, the maximum supply pressure anticipated at Customer's main supply valve will be 150 psig and the maximum residual static head shall be 90 psig. Based on this understanding, Customer shall not design, install or operate its plant, equipment or facilities so as to exert static pressure head in excess of 90 psig. In addition, Customer shall provide, install, operate and maintain any booster pumps that may be reasonably required to supply the dynamic head sufficient to overcome friction loss that may occur on its property or within the Building and to supply any elevation head required above that provided by Company at the Point of Delivery.
- 10. Company shall be responsible for obtaining a chilled water supply sufficient to meet normal make-up water requirements of its distribution system. However, Customer shall not take any action to cause make-up water requirements met by Company to exceed normal levels, shall promptly notify Company of any loss of chilled water that occurs on Customer's property or within the Building and act in a commercially responsible fashion to promptly minimize make-up water requirements. Chilled water supply requirements associated with thermal expansion of Company's chilled water distribution system shall be the responsibility of Company.
- 11. Customer shall adopt and implement commercially reasonable practices to properly clean, degrease and flush the chilled water system within its control and install, operate and maintain such system so as to eliminate any leaks that might or do occur at the maximum operating pressure. Customer's shall be responsible for determining the means and methods by which its system shall be cleaned, degreased and flushed and shall provide Company with reasonable notice of the means and methods selected by Customer so that Company has a reasonable opportunity to object to such means and

methods. In the event Company does so object, Company and Customer shall promptly engage in good faith discussions to identify mutually acceptable means and methods. However nothing herein will be construed as causing Company to assent to an improper means or method in circumstances where Company has not stated an objection or to impose an affirmative duty on Company to communicate an objection to Customer.

### APPENDIX 3

### CUSTOMER RELEASE PIPE PENETRATIONS

| This CUSTOMER RELEASE PIPE PENETRATIONS ( <i>Release</i> ) is attached to that certain Chilled Water Distribution Agreement, dated as of the day of, 2014, ( <i>Agreement</i> ) between Cleveland Thermal Chilled Water Distribution, Inc. ( <i>Company</i> ) and [] ( <i>Customer</i> ) and, when executed by Customer shall automatically be incorporated into the Agreement. Defined terms used but not defined in this Release shall have the meanings set forth in the Agreement.   |
|--|
| By executing this Release, Customer acknowledges and agrees that, pursuant to Paragraph 3B of the Agreement, it has requested Company to install pipe penetrations through the Building's or structure's wall or foundation to provide for suitable space for the installation and maintenance of Company's piping, metering and other plant, facilities or equipment associated with the provision of service to Customer and Company has elected, subject to the execution of this Release by Customer, to install such pipe penetrations.   |
| Customer, for and in consideration of the installation by Company of the wall sleeves for the pipe penetrations in the Building and other good and valuable consideration, the receipt and sufficiency of which are hereby acknowledged, does for itself and all of its affiliates and related business entities, and each of their present and former parents, subsidiaries, affiliates, officers, directors, partners, shareholders, employees, agents, representatives, successors and assigns, hereby remises, releases and forever discharges, and covenants not to sue, the Company and anyone acting in concert or participation with it, whether acting individually or otherwise through any other person or entity, and all of their affiliates and related business entities, and each of their present and former parents, subsidiaries, affiliates, officers, directors, partners, shareholders, employees, agents and representatives, successors and assigns, from any and all actions and causes of action, damages, suits, debts, accounts, bonds, contracts, promises, judgments, costs, claims and demands whatsoever, of any nature, kind or description, at law or in equity, which they had, now have or which they or any of them may have in the future, by reason of anything done or omitted by any person or entity, or by reason of any matter, cause, thing or event whatsoever, from the beginning of time, whether known or unknown at the present time, arising out of or in any way relating to or connected with, directly or indirectly, Company's provision of wall sleeves for the pipe penetrations in the Building. |
| Customer:  |
| By: Name: Title:   |
| Date: 20   |

### Appendix 4

### **Company Provided Building Improvements**

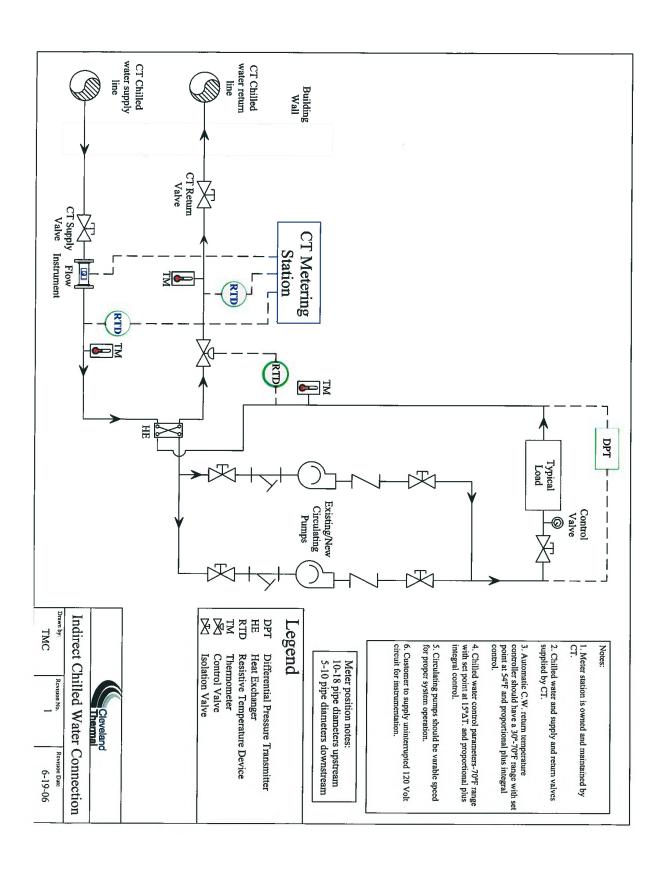
In accordance with Paragraph 5.E of the foregoing Agreement between Customer and Company, Company may elect to incur certain costs in connection with the construction and installation of certain improvements on behalf of Customer, which costs Customer would be obligated to repay to Company, with interest, as mutually agreed by the parties or upon early termination of such Agreement. The purpose of this Appendix is to identify how such costs shall be amortized for purposes of such repayment, including the determination of any unamortized balance of such costs that Customer shall pay Company upon early termination of such Agreement.

The estimated costs to be incurred by Company pursuant to Paragraph 5.E of the foregoing Agreement shall be determined by Company and Company shall provide Customer with written notice of such estimated costs, whereupon Company and Customer shall mutually agree upon the schedule and manner of repayment and applicable interest rate and include such calculation in the Schedule to be attached hereto. If the actual costs of such improvements, as determined upon completion thereof, differ from the initial estimates included in the Schedule, the Schedule shall be modified to reflect such actual costs. Upon any early termination pursuant to Paragraph 2 of the foregoing Agreement and Appendix B thereto, any unpaid and unamortized costs as shown on the then current Schedule as of the effective date of termination shall be due and owing from Customer to Company as part of the cancellation charge set forth in the applicable provision in Appendix B.

Notwithstanding anything contained in this Appendix, the Agreement or elsewhere, nothing shall obligate Company to incur any costs pursuant to Paragraph 5.E or this Appendix until the Schedule has been agreed to by Company and Customer and attached hereto.

## Appendix 5

TYPICAL INTERCONNECTION DIAGRAM



#### Exhibit A

[Letterhead of Assignor]

[Date]

Cleveland Thermal Chilled Water Distribution, Inc. 1921 Hamilton Avenue Cleveland, Ohio 44114
Attention: President

Re: Assignment of Chilled Water Distribution Agreement

Ladies and Gentlemen:

| Cleveland Thermal Chilled Water Distribution, Inc. ("Company") and                           |            |
|--|------------|
| ("Assignor"), entered into a Chilled Water Distribution Agreement (the "Agreement"           | ') dated   |
| , 20, pursuant to which Company agreed to distribute processed chilled                       | water to   |
| Assignor to meet Assignor's air conditioning and other cooling energy needs. Assignor now of | lesires to |
| transfer its right, title, interest and obligations in the Agreement to ("As                 | signee"),  |
| pursuant to the terms and conditions of this Assignment of Chilled Water Distribution Agreen | nent (this |
| "Assignment").   |            |

- 1. Assignor hereby irrevocably assigns, conveys, transfers and sets over to Assignee all of Assignor's right, title, interest and obligations in and to the Agreement.
- 2. Assignor represents and warrants to Company as follows: (i) this Assignment has been duly and validly executed and constitutes the legal, valid and binding obligation of each the Assignor and Assignee, enforceable against each of the Assignor and the Assignee in accordance with its terms; (ii) the Agreement remains in full force and effect and is enforceable against Assignor and Assignee; (iii) the execution, delivery, performance and effectiveness of this Assignment shall not operate, nor be deemed to be nor construed as, a waiver of any right, power or remedy of the Company under the Agreement, any term, provision, representation, warranty or covenant contained in the Agreement, or any other documentation executed in connection therewith; (iv) none of the provisions of this Assignment shall constitute, be deemed to be or construed as, a waiver of any event of default under the Agreement; and (v) Assignor and Assignee are in compliance with all of the terms and provisions set forth in the Agreement on their part to be observed or performed, and no event of default specified the Agreement, nor any event which upon notice or lapse of time or both would constitute such an event of default, has occurred and is continuing.
- 3. The terms, covenants, conditions and warranties herein shall inure to the benefit of and shall be binding upon the parties hereto and their respective successors and assigns; subject, however, to all limitations on further assignment or transfer contained in the Agreement. In the event any provision of this Assignment should be invalid, the validity of the other provisions hereof and of the Agreement shall not be effected thereby. This Assignment shall be governed by and construed in accordance with the laws of the State of Ohio.

#### **ASSIGNOR:**

| Ву:    |  |  |  |
|--------|--|--|--|
| Name:  |  |  |  |
| Title: |  |  |  |

#### Exhibit B

[Letterhead of Assignee]

[Date]

Cleveland Thermal Chilled Water Distribution, Inc. 1921 Hamilton Avenue Cleveland, Ohio 44114 Attention: President

Re: Assumption of Chilled Water Distribution Agreement

Ladies and Gentlemen:

| Cleveland Thermal Chilled Water Distribution, Inc. ("Company") and                                     |
|--|
| ("Assignor"), entered into a Chilled Water Distribution Agreement (the "Agreement") date               |
| , 20, pursuant to which Company agreed to distribute processed chilled water t                         |
| Assignor to meet Assignor's air conditioning and other cooling energy needs.                           |
| ("Assignee") now desires to assume and comply with all of the terms, provisions, conditions, warrantie |
| and covenants contained in the Agreement, pursuant to the terms and conditions of this Assumption of   |
| Chilled Water Distribution Agreement (this "Assumption").  |

- 1. Assignee hereby assumes, agrees and covenants with the Assignor and Company to perform and comply with all of the terms, provisions, conditions, warranties and covenants contained in the Agreement, under the terms thereof, as are to be performed and complied with by the Assignor. This Assumption by Assignee is specifically made for the benefit of Company, and from and after the date of the execution of this Assumption. Assignee acknowledges, covenants and agrees that Company may enforce all the terms, conditions and provisions of the Agreement against Assignee to the extent as if Assignee were originally named as the Customer in the Agreement.
- 2. Assignee represents and warrants to Company as follows: (i) this Assumption has been duly and validly executed and constitutes the legal, valid and binding obligation of each the Assignor and Assignee, enforceable against each of the Assignor and the Assignee in accordance with its terms; (ii) the Agreement remains in full force and effect and is enforceable against Assignor and Assignee; (iii) the execution, delivery, performance and effectiveness of this Assumption shall not operate, nor be deemed to be nor construed as, a waiver of any right, power or remedy of the Company under the Agreement, any term, provision, representation, warranty or covenant contained in the Agreement, or any other documentation executed in connection therewith; (iv) none of the provisions of this Assumption shall constitute, be deemed to be or construed as, a waiver of any event of default under the Agreement; and (v) Assignor and Assignee are in compliance with all of the terms and provisions set forth in the Agreement on their part to be observed or performed, and no event of default specified the Agreement, nor any event which upon notice or lapse of time or both would constitute such an event of default, has occurred and is continuing.
- 3. The terms, covenants, conditions and warranties herein shall inure to the benefit of and shall be binding upon the parties hereto and their respective successors and assigns; subject, however, to all limitations on further assignment or transfer contained in the Agreement. In the event any provision of this Assumption should be invalid, the validity of the other provisions hereof and of the Agreement shall

| not be effected thereby. of the State of Ohio. | This Assumption shall be governed by | and construed in accordance with the laws |
|--|--------------------------------------|---|
|  |                                      | ASSIGNEE:                                 |
|  |                                      | By:                                       |
|  |                                      | Name:                                     |
|  |                                      | Title:                                    |

# **EXHIBIT E Steam Service Bill (Redline)**

## CLEVELAND THERMAL STEAM DISTRIBUTION, <u>LLGINC.</u> a subsidiary of Cleveland Thermal, <u>LLGINC.</u>

#### MONTHLY STEAM INVOICE

Invoice Date

Account #: 12345678

Service Address:

Steam Service Period: 10/31/2018 thru 11/29/2018

Rate Schedule: STD

| METER READ SUMMARY                                    |           |  |   |  | MLB usage       | 0.000  |  |
|---|-----------|--|---|--|-----------------|--|--|
| CONSUMPTION CHARGES                                   |           |  |   | Rates  |                 | Consumption<br>Charge                        |  |
|   |           | 0.000<br>0.000<br>0.000<br>0.000<br>0.000<br>0.000 | MLB used @ \$ MLB used @ | 0.00<br>0.00<br>0.00<br>0.00<br>0.00<br>0.00 |                 | 0.00<br>0.00<br>0.00<br>0.00<br>0.00<br>0.00 |  |
|   | Total MLB | 0.000  |   |  | Total \$        | 0.00   |  |
| BILLING SUMMARY                                       |           |  | Previous I  | Balance                                      | <b>)</b> :      | \$0.00                                       |  |
| Terms: Net 10   |           |  | Pa<br>Balance I   | ayments<br>Forward                           |                 | \$0.00<br>\$0.00                             |  |
|   | -         |  | Cons<br>Steam Cost R  | umptior<br>ecovery                           |                 | \$0.00<br>\$0.00                             |  |
|   |           |  | Regulatory R<br>Adj   | ecover<br>ustmen                             |                 | \$0.00<br>\$0.00                             |  |
|   |           | Gros   | s Receipts Tax Su<br>Current Finance<br>Total Current C                         | Charges                                      | e:<br><b>6:</b> | \$0.00<br>\$0.00<br><b>\$0.00</b>            |  |
| Interest is about ad at the vate of 4 EU/ new month / | 400/      | -1   | Total Amou  |  | -               | \$0.00                                       |  |

Interest is charged at the rate of 1.5% per month (18% annually) on all past due

Please call Accounting at (216) 241-3636 for questions regarding this

NOTE: Pursuant to Section 4933.19 of the Ohio Revised Code, Cleveland Thermal must notify all customers that tampering with or bypassing a meter constitutes a theft offense that could result in the imposition of criminal sanctions.

Please detach and return this portion with your payment

Month Year

Account Due Amount Due Amount Paid 12345678 \$0.00

Customer Address:

Send payment Cleveland Thermal, <u>LLC-Inc.</u> P.O. Box 951937 Cleveland, OH 44193

Month Year

# **EXHIBIT F Steam Service Bill**

## CLEVELAND THERMAL STEAM DISTRIBUTION, INC. a subsidiary of Cleveland Thermal, Inc.

#### MONTHLY STEAM INVOICE

Invoice Date

Account #: 12345678

Service Address:

Steam Service Period: 10/31/2018 thru 11/29/2018

Rate Schedule: STD

| METER READ SUMMARY  |           |  |   |  | MLB usage       | 0.000  |
|---------------------|-----------|--|---|--|-----------------|--|
| CONSUMPTION CHARGES |           |  |   | Rates  |                 | Consumption<br>Charge                        |
|                     |           | 0.000<br>0.000<br>0.000<br>0.000<br>0.000<br>0.000 | MLB used @ \$ MLB used @ | 0.00<br>0.00<br>0.00<br>0.00<br>0.00<br>0.00 |                 | 0.00<br>0.00<br>0.00<br>0.00<br>0.00<br>0.00 |
|                     | Total MLB | 0.000  |   |  | Total \$        | 0.00   |
| BILLING SUMMARY     |           |  | Previous I  | Balance                                      | э:              | \$0.00                                       |
| Terms: Net 10       |           |  | Pa<br>Balance I   | ayments<br>Forward                           |                 | \$0.00<br>\$0.00                             |
|                     | -         |  | Cons<br>Steam Cost R  | umptior<br>ecovery                           |                 | \$0.00<br>\$0.00                             |
|                     |           |  | Regulatory R<br>Adj   | ecover                                       |                 | \$0.00<br>\$0.00                             |
|                     |           | Gros   | ss Receipts Tax Su<br>Current Finance<br>Total Current C                        | Charges                                      | e:<br><b>s:</b> | \$0.00<br>\$0.00<br><b>\$0.00</b>            |
|                     |           |  | Total Amou  | ınt Due                                      | <b>e</b> :      | \$0.00                                       |

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Please detach and return this portion with your payment

Month Year

Account Due Amount Due Amount Paid 12345678 \$0.00

Customer Address:

Send payment Cleveland Thermal, Inc. P.O. Box 951937 Cleveland, OH 44193 Month Year

# **EXHIBIT G Chilled Water Service Bill (Redline)**

### CLEVELAND THERMAL CHILLED WATER DISTRIBUTION, LLGINC.

## a subsidiary of Cleveland Thermal, <u>LLCInc.</u> Monthly Chilled Water Invoice

December 2018

Service Address:

Account Number 12345678

Billing Period 12/01/2018 thru 12/31/2018

Invoice CW123
Invoice Date Dec 31, 2018
Terms Due Upon Receipt

|                              |                         | Less pa             | Previous ayment received | \$0.00<br>\$0.00 |
|------------------------------|-------------------------|---------------------|--------------------------|------------------|
| <u>Capacity</u>              | Chilled Water           | 0.00                | 00.0000                  | \$0.00           |
| Consumption                  | Chilled Water Ton Hours | 0.00                | 0.0000                   | \$0.00           |
| Recovery Charge              | Chilled Water Ton       | 0.00                | 0.0000                   | \$0.00           |
| Meter detail on following pa | age                     | Return / Lost Water | er charge/(credit)       | \$0.00           |
|                              |                         |                     | Finance                  | \$0.00           |
|                              | _                       | Т                   | otal Current Due         | \$0.00           |
|                              |                         |                     | Total Due:               | \$0.00           |

Interest is charged at the rate of 1.5% per month (18% annually) on all past due balances

Please call Accounting at (216) 241-3636 for questions regarding this invoice

Notice: Pursuant to Section 4933.19 of the Ohio Revised Code, Cleveland Thermal must notify all customers that tampering with or bypassing a meter constitutes a theft offense that could result in the imposition of criminal sanctions

Please detach and return this portion with your payment

Account Number Interest Accrues After Amount Due Amount Paid 12345678 January 2019 \$0.00

**Customer Address:** 

Send payments to: Cleveland Thermal, Inc. P.O. Box 951937 Cleveland, OH 44193

# **EXHIBIT H Chilled Water Service Bill**

#### CLEVELAND THERMAL CHILLED WATER DISTRIBUTION, INC.

### a subsidiary of Cleveland Thermal, Inc. Monthly Chilled Water Invoice

December 2018

Account Number 12345678 Service Address:

Billing Period 12/01/2018 thru 12/31/2018

Invoice CW123 Invoice Date Dec 31, 2018 Due Upon Receipt Terms

|                              |                         | Less pa             | Previous ayment received | \$0.00<br>\$0.00 |
|------------------------------|-------------------------|---------------------|--------------------------|------------------|
| Capacity                     | Chilled Water           | 0.00                | 00.0000                  | \$0.00           |
| Consumption                  | Chilled Water Ton Hours | 0.00                | 0.0000                   | \$0.00           |
| Recovery Charge              | Chilled Water Ton       | 0.00                | 0.0000                   | \$0.00           |
| Meter detail on following pa | age                     | Return / Lost Water | er charge/(credit)       | \$0.00           |
|                              |                         |                     | Finance                  | \$0.00           |
|                              | _                       | Т                   | otal Current Due         | \$0.00           |
|                              |                         |                     | Total Due:               | \$0.00           |

Interest is charged at the rate of 1.5% per month (18% annually) on all past due balances Please call Accounting at (216) 241-3636 for questions regarding this invoice

Notice: Pursuant to Section 4933.19 of the Ohio Revised Code, Cleveland Thermal must notify all customers that tampering with or bypassing a meter constitutes a theft offense that could result in the imposition of criminal sanctions

Please detach and return this portion with your payment

Account Number Interest Accrues After Amount Due **Amount Paid** 12345678 \$0.00 January 2019

Send payments to: **Customer Address:** Cleveland Thermal, Inc. P.O. Box 951937

Cleveland, OH 44193

# **EXHIBIT I Steam Service Customer Notice**

#### **Exhibit I: Steam Service Customer Notice**

You will notice a change in the name of our entity from Cleveland Thermal Steam Distribution, LLC to Cleveland Thermal Steam Distribution, Inc. This change simply reflects a conversion of the type of corporate entity from an LLC to a corporation. We want to reassure you that, as certified to and approved by the Public Utilities Commission of Ohio, this change will not result in any change in our management, operations, or the terms and conditions of the services you receive.

# **EXHIBIT J Chilled Water Service Customer Notice**

#### **Exhibit J: Chilled Water Service Customer Notice**

You will notice a change in the name of our entity from Cleveland Thermal Chilled Water Distribution, LLC to Cleveland Thermal Chilled Water Distribution, Inc. This change simply reflects a conversion of the type of corporate entity from an LLC to a corporation. We want to reassure you that, as certified to and approved by the Public Utilities Commission of Ohio, this change will not result in any change in our management, operations, or the terms and conditions of the services you receive.

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