

ATTACHMENT A – WSCA-NASPO Terms and Conditions



WSCA-NASPO Master Agreement Terms and Conditions

1. AGREEMENT ORDER OF PRECEDENCE:

The Master Agreement shall consist of the following documents:

1. A Participating Entity's Participating Addendum ("PA");
2. WSCA-NASPO Master Agreement Terms and Conditions;
3. The Statement of Work;
4. The Solicitation; and
5. Contractor's response to the Solicitation.

These documents shall be read to be consistent and complementary. Any conflict among these documents shall be resolved by giving priority to these documents in the order listed above. Contractor terms and conditions that apply to this Master Agreement are only those that are expressly accepted by the Lead State and must be in writing and attached to this Master Agreement as an Exhibit or Attachment. No other terms and conditions shall apply, including terms and conditions listed in the Contractor's response to the Solicitation, or terms listed or referenced on the Contractor's website, in the Contractor quotation/sales order or in similar documents subsequently provided by the Contractor.

2. AMENDMENTS The terms of this Master Agreement shall not be waived, altered, modified, supplemented or amended in any manner whatsoever without prior written approval of the WSCA-NASPO Contract Administrator.

3. ASSIGNMENT/SUBCONTRACT Contractor shall not assign, sell, transfer, subcontract or sublet rights, or delegate responsibilities under this contract, in whole or in part, without the prior written approval of the WSCA-NASPO Contract Administrator.

4. CANCELLATION Unless otherwise stated in the special terms and conditions, any Master Agreement may be canceled by either party upon 60 days notice, in writing, prior to the effective date of the cancellation. Further, any Participating State may cancel its

participation upon 30 days written notice, unless otherwise limited or stated in the special terms and conditions of this solicitation. Cancellation may be in whole or in part. Any cancellation under this provision shall not effect the rights and obligations attending orders outstanding at the time of cancellation, including any right of and Purchasing Entity to indemnification by the Contractor, rights of payment for goods/services delivered and accepted, and rights attending any warranty or default in performance in association with any order. Cancellation of the Master Agreement due to Contractor default may be immediate.

5. CONFIDENTIALITY, NON-DISCLOSURE AND INJUNCTIVE RELIEF

5.1 Confidentiality. Contractor acknowledges that it and its employees or agents may, in the course of providing the Product under this Master Agreement, be exposed to or acquire information that is confidential to Participating Entity or Participating Entity's clients. Any and all information of any form that is marked as confidential or would by its nature be deemed confidential obtained by Contractor or its employees or agents in the performance of this Master Agreement, including, but not necessarily limited to (a) any Participating Entity records, (b) personnel records, and (c) information concerning individuals, is confidential information of Participating Entity ("Confidential Information"). Any reports or other documents or items (including software) that result from the use of the Confidential Information by Contractor shall be treated in the same manner as the Confidential Information. Confidential Information does not include information that (a) is or becomes (other than by disclosure by Contractor) publicly known; (b) is furnished by Participating Entity to others without restrictions similar to those imposed by this Master Agreement; (c) is rightfully in Contractor's possession without the obligation of nondisclosure prior to the time of its disclosure under this Master Agreement; (d) is obtained from a source other than Participating Entity without the obligation of confidentiality, (e) is disclosed with the written consent of Participating Entity or; (f) is independently developed by employees, agents or subcontractors of Contractor who can be shown to have had no access to the Confidential Information.

5.2 Non-Disclosure. Contractor shall hold Confidential Information in confidence, using at least the industry standard of confidentiality, and not to copy, reproduce, sell, assign, license, market, transfer or otherwise dispose of, give, or disclose Confidential Information to third parties or use Confidential Information for any purposes whatsoever other than the performance of this Master Agreement to Participating Entity hereunder, and to advise each of its employees and agents of their obligations to keep Confidential Information confidential. Contractor shall use commercially reasonable efforts to assist Participating Entity in identifying and preventing any unauthorized use or disclosure of any Confidential Information. Without limiting the generality of the foregoing, Contractor shall advise Participating Entity immediately if Contractor learns or has reason to believe that any person who has had access to Confidential Information has violated or intends to violate the terms of this Master Agreement and Contractor shall at its expense cooperate with Participating Entity in seeking injunctive or other equitable relief in the name of Participating Entity or Contractor against any such person. Except as directed by Participating Entity, Contractor will not at any time

during or after the term of this Master Agreement disclose, directly or indirectly, any Confidential Information to any person, except in accordance with this Master Agreement, and that upon termination of this Master Agreement or at Participating Entity's request, Contractor shall turn over to Participating Entity all documents, papers, and other matter in Contractor's possession that embody Confidential Information. Notwithstanding the foregoing, Contractor may keep one copy of such Confidential Information necessary for quality assurance, audits and evidence of the performance of this Master Agreement.

5.3 Injunctive Relief. Contractor acknowledges that breach of this Section, including disclosure of any Confidential Information, will cause irreparable injury to Participating Entity that is inadequately compensable in damages. Accordingly, Participating Entity may seek and obtain injunctive relief against the breach or threatened breach of the foregoing undertakings, in addition to any other legal remedies that may be available. Contractor acknowledges and agrees that the covenants contained herein are necessary for the protection of the legitimate business interests of Participating Entity and are reasonable in scope and content.

6. DEBARMENT The contractor certifies that neither it nor its principals are presently debarred, suspended, proposed for debarment, declared ineligible, or voluntarily excluded from participation in this transaction (contract) by any governmental department or agency. If the contractor cannot certify this statement, attach a written explanation for review by WSCA-NASPO.

7. DEFAULTS & REMEDIES

a. The occurrence of any of the following events shall be an event of default under this Master Agreement:

- i. Nonperformance of contractual requirements; or
- ii. A material breach of any term or condition of this Master Agreement; or
- iii. Any representation or warranty by Contractor in response to the solicitation or in this Master Agreement proves to be untrue or materially misleading; or
- iv. Institution of proceedings under any bankruptcy, insolvency, reorganization or similar law, by or against Contractor, or the appointment of a receiver or similar officer for Contractor or any of its property, which is not vacated or fully stayed within thirty (30) calendar days after the institution or occurrence thereof; or
- v. Any default specified in another section of this Master Agreement.

b. Upon the occurrence of an event of default, Lead State shall issue a written notice of default, identifying the nature of the default, and providing a period of 15 calendar days in which Contractor shall have an opportunity to cure the default. The Lead State shall not be required to provide advance written notice or a cure period and may immediately terminate this Master Agreement in whole or in part if the Lead State, in its sole discretion, determines that it is reasonably necessary to preserve public safety or prevent immediate public crisis. Time allowed for cure shall not diminish or eliminate Contractor's liability for damages.

c. If Contractor is afforded an opportunity to cure and fails to cure the default within the period specified in the written notice of default, Contractor shall be in breach of its obligations under this Master Agreement and Lead State shall have the right to exercise any or all of the following remedies:

- i. Exercise any remedy provided by law; and
 - ii. Terminate this Master Agreement and any related Contracts or portions thereof; and
 - iii. Suspend Contractor from receiving future bid solicitations; and
 - iv. Suspend Contractor's performance; and
 - v. Withhold payment until the default is remedied.
- d. In the event of a default under a Participating Addendum, a Participating Entity shall provide a written notice of default as described in this section and have all of the rights and remedies under this paragraph regarding its participation in the Master Agreement, in addition to those set forth in its Participating Addendum.

8. DELIVERY Unless otherwise indicated in the Master Agreement, the prices are the delivered price to any Participating State agency or political subdivision. All deliveries shall be F.O.B. destination with all transportation and handling charges paid by the Contractor or its subcontractors. Responsibility and liability for loss or damage shall remain the Contractor until delivery to the Buyer. The foregoing shall not limit Buyer's remedies for latent defects, fraud and Contractor's warranty obligations. . The minimum shipment amount will be found in the special terms and conditions. Any order for less than the specified amount is to be shipped with the freight prepaid and added as a separate item on the invoice. Any portion of an order to be shipped without transportation charges that is back ordered shall be shipped without charge.

9. FORCE MAJEURE Neither party to this Master Agreement shall be held responsible for delay or default caused by fire, riot, acts of God and/or war which is beyond that party's reasonable control. WSCA-NASPO may terminate this Master Agreement after determining such delay or default will reasonably prevent successful performance of the Master Agreement.

10. GOVERNING LAW This procurement and the resulting agreement shall be governed by and construed in accordance with the laws of the state sponsoring and administering the procurement. The construction and effect of any Participating Addendum or order against the Master Agreement(s) shall be governed by and construed in accordance with the laws of the Participating Entity's State. Venue for any claim, dispute or action concerning an order placed against the Master Agreement(s) or the effect of an Participating Addendum shall be in the Purchasing Entity's State.

11. INDEMNIFICATION a. The Contractor shall defend, indemnify and hold harmless WSCA-NASPO, the Lead State and Participating Entities along with their officers, agencies, and employees as well as any person or entity for which they may be liable from and against claims, damages or causes of action including reasonable attorneys' fees and related costs for any death, injury, or damage to property arising from negligence or intentionally wrongful act(s) or omission(s) of the Contractor, its employees or subcontractors, at any tier, relating to the performance under the Master Agreement.

b. EXCEPT FOR CONTRACTOR'S BREACH OF SECTION 5, CONFIDENTIALITY, AND EXCEPT AS SET FORTH IN SECTION 11, INDEMNIFICATION, AND SECTION 12, INDEMNIFICATION - INTELLECTUAL PROPERTY, IN NO EVENT SHALL CONTRACTOR BE LIABLE FOR ANY CONSEQUENTIAL, INDIRECT, INCIDENTAL, SPECIAL, EXEMPLARY, OR PUNITIVE DAMAGES, INCLUDING ANY DAMAGES FOR BUSINESS INTERRUPTION, LOSS OF USE, DATA, REVENUE OR PROFIT, ARISING OUT OF OR RELATING TO ANY BREACH OF THIS AGREEMENT, WHETHER OR NOT THE POSSIBILITY OF SUCH DAMAGES HAS BEEN DISCLOSED IN ADVANCE OR COULD HAVE BEEN REASONABLY FORESEEN, REGARDLESS OF THE LEGAL OR EQUITABLE THEORY (CONTRACT, TORT OR OTHERWISE) UPON WHICH THE CLAIM IS BASED, AND NOTWITHSTANDING THE FAILURE OF ANY AGREED OR OTHER REMEDY OF ITS ESSENTIAL PURPOSE.

c. IN NO EVENT SHALL CONTRACTOR'S AGGREGATE LIABILITY ARISING OUT OF OR RELATED TO THIS AGREEMENT, WHETHER ARISING OUT OF OR RELATED TO BREACH OF CONTRACT, TORT (INCLUDING NEGLIGENCE OR OTHERWISE) EXCEED \$5,000,000 (FIVE MILLION DOLLARS).

12. INDEMNIFICATION - INTELLECTUAL PROPERTY The Contractor shall defend, indemnify and hold harmless WSCA-NASPO, the Lead State and Participating Entities along with their officers, agencies, and employees ("Indemnified Party") from and against claims, damages or causes of action including reasonable attorneys' fees and related costs arising out of the claim that the Product or its use, infringes any U.S. patent or U.S. copyright ("Intellectual Property Claim"). The Contractor's obligations under this section shall not extend to any combination of the Product with any other product, system or method, unless:

(1) the Product, system or method is:

(a) specified by the Contractor to work with the Product; or

(b) reasonably required, in order to use the Product in its intended manner, and the infringement could not have been avoided by substituting another reasonably available product, system or method capable of performing the same function.

The Indemnified Party shall notify the Contractor within a reasonable time after receiving notice of an Intellectual Property Claim. Even if the Indemnified Party fails to provide reasonable notice, the Contractor shall not be relieved from its obligations unless the Contractor can demonstrate that it was prejudiced in defending the Intellectual Property Claim resulting in increased expenses or loss to the Contractor. If the Contractor promptly and reasonably investigates and defends any Intellectual Property Claim, it shall have control over the defense and settlement of it. However, the Indemnified Party must consent in writing for any money damages or obligations for which it may be responsible. The Indemnified Party shall furnish, at the Contractor's reasonable request and expense, information and assistance necessary for such defense. If the Contractor fails to vigorously pursue the defense or settlement of the Intellectual Property Claim, the Indemnified Party may assume the defense or settlement of it and the Contractor shall be liable for all costs and

expenses, including reasonable attorneys' fees and related costs, incurred by the Indemnified Party in the pursuit of the Intellectual Property Claim.

13. INDEPENDENT CONTRACTOR The contractor shall be an independent contractor, and as such shall have no authorization, express or implied to bind WSCA-NASPO or the respective states to any agreements, settlements, liability or understanding whatsoever, and agrees not to perform any acts as agent for WSCA-NASPO or the states, except as expressly set forth herein.

14. INDIVIDUAL CUSTOMER Except to the extent modified by a Participating Addendum, each Participating Entity shall follow the terms and conditions of the Master Agreement and applicable Participating Addendum and will have the same rights and responsibilities for their purchases as the Lead State has in the Master Agreement, including but not limited to, any indemnity or to recover any costs allowed in the Master Agreement and applicable Participating Addendum for their purchases. Each Participating Entity will be responsible for its own charges, fees, and liabilities. The Contractor will apply the charges and invoice each Participating Entity individually.

15. INSURANCE Contractor shall, during the term of this Master Agreement, maintain in full force and effect, the insurance described in this section. Contractor shall acquire such insurance from an insurance carrier or carriers licensed to conduct business in the Participating Entity's state and having a rating of A-, Class VII or better, in the most recently published edition of Best's Reports. Failure to buy and maintain the required insurance may result in this Master Agreement's termination or at a Participating Entity's option, result in termination of its Participating Addendum.

Coverage shall be written on an occurrence basis. The minimum acceptable limits shall be as indicated below, with no deductible for Commercial General Liability:

- a) Commercial General Liability covering the risks of bodily injury (including death), property damage and personal injury, including coverage for contractual liability, with a limit of not less than \$1 million per occurrence/\$2 million general aggregate;
- b) Contractor must comply with any applicable State Workers Compensation or Employers Liability Insurance requirements.

Contractor shall pay premiums on all insurance policies. Contractor shall notify Participating Entity of cancellation of the coverage by insurer.

Prior to commencement of the work, Contractor shall provide to the Participating Entity a written endorsement to the Contractor's general liability insurance policy that (i) names the Participating Entity as an additional insured, (ii) provides that no material alteration, cancellation, non-renewal, or expiration of the coverage contained in such policy shall have effect unless the named Participating Entity has been given at least thirty (30) days prior written notice, and (iii) provides that the Contractor's liability insurance policy shall be primary, with any liability insurance of the Participating Entity as secondary and noncontributory.

Contractor shall furnish to Participating Entity copies of certificates of all required insurance within thirty (30) calendar days of the Participating Addendum's effective date and prior to performing any work. Copies of renewal certificates of all required insurance shall be furnished within thirty (30) days after renewal date. These certificates of insurance must expressly indicate compliance with each and every insurance requirement specified in this section. Failure to provide evidence of coverage may, at State's sole option, result in this Master Agreement's termination.

Coverage and limits shall not limit Contractor's liability and obligations under this Master Agreement.

16. LAWS AND REGULATIONS Any and all supplies, services and equipment offered and furnished shall comply fully with all applicable Federal and State laws and regulations.

17. LICENSE OF PRE-EXISTING INTELLECTUAL PROPERTY Contractor grants to the Participating Entity a nonexclusive, perpetual, royalty-free, irrevocable, limited license to the Intellectual Property of Contractor necessary for Participating Entity's use of the Product(s) purchased under this Master Agreement ("Pre-existing Intellectual Property"). The license shall be subject to the Contractor's rights and any third party rights in the Pre-existing Intellectual Property. Contractor shall obtain, at its own expense, on behalf of the Participating Entity, written consent of the owner for the licensed Pre-existing Intellectual Property.

18. NO WAIVER OF SOVEREIGN IMMUNITY In no event shall this Master Agreement, any Participating Addendum or any contract or any purchase order issued thereunder, or any act of a Lead State or a Participating Entity, be a waiver by the Participating Entity of any form of defense or immunity, whether sovereign immunity, governmental immunity, immunity based on the Eleventh Amendment to the Constitution of the United States or otherwise, from any claim or from the jurisdiction of any court.

If a claim must be brought in a federal forum, then it must be brought and adjudicated solely and exclusively within the United States District Court for the Participating State. This section applies to a claim brought against the Participating State only to the extent Congress has appropriately abrogated the Participating State's sovereign immunity and is not consent by the Participating State to be sued in federal court. This section is also not a waiver by the Participating State of any form of immunity, including but not limited to sovereign immunity and immunity based on the Eleventh Amendment to the Constitution of the United States.

19. ORDER NUMBERS Master Agreement order and purchase order numbers shall be clearly shown on all acknowledgments, shipping labels, packing slips, invoices, and on all correspondence.

20. PARTICIPANTS WSCA-NASPO is the cooperative purchasing arm of the National Association of State Procurement Officials. It is a cooperative group contracting consortium for state government departments, institutions, agencies and political subdivisions (e.g., colleges, school districts, counties, cities, etc.) for all 50 states, the District of Columbia and the organized US territories. Obligations under this Master Agreement are limited to those Participating States who have signed a Participating Addendum where contemplated by the solicitation. Financial obligations of Participating States are limited to the orders placed by the departments or other state agencies and institutions having available funds. Participating States incur no financial obligations on behalf of political subdivisions. Unless otherwise specified in the solicitation, the resulting award(s) will be permissive.

21. ENTITY PARTICIPATION Use of specific WSCA-NASPO cooperative Master Agreements by state agencies, political subdivisions and other entities (including cooperatives) authorized by individual state's statutes to use state contracts are subject to the approval of the respective State Chief Procurement Official. Issues of interpretation and eligibility for participation are solely within the authority of the respective State Chief Procurement Official.

22. PAYMENT Payment for completion of a contract order is normally made within 30 days following the date the entire order is delivered or the date a correct invoice is received, whichever is later. After 45 days the Contractor may assess overdue account charges up to a maximum rate of one percent per month on the outstanding balance. Payments will be remitted by mail. Payments may be made via a State or political subdivision "Purchasing Card" with no additional charge.

23. PUBLIC INFORMATION This Master Agreement and all related documents are subject to disclosure pursuant to the Participating Entity's public information laws.

24. RECORDS ADMINISTRATION AND AUDIT The contractor will maintain, or supervise the maintenance of all records necessary to properly account for the payments made to the contractor for costs authorized by this Master Agreement. These records will be retained by the contractor for at least four years after the Master Agreement terminates, or until all audits initiated within the four years have been completed, whichever is later. The contractor agrees to allow WSCA-NASPO, State and Federal auditors, and state agency staff access to all the records of this Master Agreement and any order placed under this Master Agreement, for audit and inspection, and monitoring of services. Such access will be during normal business hours, or by appointment.

25. REPORTS and ADMINISTRATIVE FEES The contractor shall submit quarterly reports to the WSCA-NASPO Contract Administrator showing the quantities and dollar volume of purchases by each participating entity.

The contractor must pay a WSCA-NASPO administrative fee of one quarter of one percent (.25%) in accordance with the terms and conditions of the Master Agreement. The WSCA-

NASPO administrative fee shall be submitted quarterly and is based on sales of products and services. The WSCA-NASPO administration fee is not negotiable. This fee is to be included as part of the pricing submitted with proposal.

Additionally, some States may require that an additional fee be paid directly to the State on purchases made by procuring entities within that State. For all such requests, the fee level, payment method and schedule for such reports and payments will be incorporated in a Participating Addendum that is made a part of the Master Agreement. The contractor may adjust the Master Agreement pricing accordingly for purchases made by procuring agencies within the jurisdiction of the State. All such agreements may not affect the WSCA-NASPO administrative fee or the prices paid by the procuring agencies outside the jurisdiction of the State requesting the additional fee.

26. STANDARD OF PERFORMANCE AND ACCEPTANCE The Standard of Performance (as defined in the relevant Participating Addendum) applies to all Product(s) purchased under this Master Agreement, including any additional, replacement, or substitute Product(s) and any Product(s) which are modified by or with the written approval of Contractor after Acceptance by the Participating Entity. The Acceptance Testing period shall be thirty (30) calendar days or other time period identified in the solicitation or the Participating Addendum, starting from the day after the Product is installed and Contractor certifies that the Product is ready for Acceptance Testing. If the Product does not meet the Standard of Performance during the initial period of Acceptance Testing, Participating Entity may, at its discretion, continue Acceptance Testing on a day-to-day basis until the Standard of Performance is met. Upon rejection, the Contractor will have fifteen (15) calendar days to cure the Standard of Performance issue(s). If after the cure period, the Product still has not met the Standard of Performance Participating Entity may, at its option: (1) declare Contractor to be in breach and terminate the Order; (2) demand replacement Product from Contractor at no additional cost to Participating Entity; or, (3) continue the cure period for an additional time period agreed upon by the Participating Entity and the Contractor. Contractor shall pay all costs related to the preparation and shipping of Product returned pursuant to the section. No Product shall be accepted and no charges shall be paid until the Standard of Performance is met. The warranty period will begin upon Acceptance.

27. SYSTEM FAILURE OR DAMAGE In the event of system failure or damage caused by the Contractor or its Product, the Contractor agrees to use its best efforts to restore or assist in restoring the system to operational capacity.

28. TITLE OF PRODUCT Upon delivery of the Product to Buyer, Contractor shall convey to Participating Entity title to the Product free and clear of all liens, encumbrances, or other security interests. Transfer of title to the Product shall include an irrevocable and perpetual license to use the Embedded Software in the Product. If Participating Entity subsequently transfers title of the Product to another entity, Participating Entity shall have the right to transfer the license to use the Embedded Software with the transfer of Product title. A

subsequent transfer of this software license shall be at no additional cost or charge to either Participating Entity or Participating Entity's transferee.

29. WAIVER OF BREACH Failure of Lead State or Participating Entity to declare a default or enforce any rights and remedies shall not operate as a waiver under this Master Agreement or Participating Addendum. Any waiver by the Lead State or Participating Entity must be in writing. Waiver by the Lead State or Participating Entity of any default, right or remedy under this Master Agreement or Participating Addendum, or breach of any terms or requirements shall not be construed or operate as a waiver of any subsequent default or breach of such term or requirement, or of any other term or requirement under this Master Agreement or Participating Addendum.

30. WARRANTY The Contractor warrants for a period of one year from the date of Acceptance that: (a) the Product performs according to all specific claims that the Contractor made in its response to the solicitation, (b) the Product is suitable for the ordinary purposes for which such Product is used, (c) the Product is suitable for any special purposes identified in the solicitation or for which the Participating Entity has relied on the Contractor's skill or judgment, (d) the Product is designed and manufactured in a commercially reasonable manner, and (e) the Product is free of defects in materials and workmanship. Upon breach of the warranty, the Contractor will repair or replace (at no charge to the Participating Entity) the Product whose nonconformance is discovered and made known to the Contractor. The rights and remedies of the parties under this warranty are in addition to any other rights and remedies of the parties provided by law or equity, including, without limitation, actual damages, and, as applicable and awarded under the law, to a prevailing party, reasonable attorneys' fees and costs.

31. ASSIGNMENT OF ANTITRUST RIGHTS Contractor irrevocably assigns to a Participating Entity any claim for relief or cause of action which the Contractor now has or which may accrue to the Contractor in the future by reason of any violation of state or federal antitrust laws (15 U.S.C. § 1-15 or a Participating Entity's state antitrust provisions), as now in effect and as may be amended from time to time, in connection with any goods or services provided to the Contractor for the purpose of carrying out the Contractor's obligations under this Master Agreement or Participating Addendum, including, at a Participating Entity's option, the right to control any such litigation on such claim for relief or cause of action.

Contractor shall require any subcontractors hired to perform any of Contractor's obligations, under this Master Agreement or Participating Addendum, to irrevocably assign to a Participating Entity, as third party beneficiary, any right, title or interest that has accrued or which may accrue in the future by reason of any violation of state or federal antitrust laws (15 U.S.C. § 1-15 or a Participating Entity's state antitrust provisions), as now in effect and as may be amended from time to time, in connection with any goods or services provided to the subcontractor for the purpose of carrying out the subcontractor's obligations to the Contractor in pursuance of this Master Agreement or Participating Addendum, including, at a

Participating Entity's option, the right to control any such litigation on such claim for relief or cause of action.

32. WSCA-NASPO eMARKET CENTER Awarded responders are required to participate in the WSCA-NASPO eMarket Center and, working through WSCA-NASPO's contractor (SciQuest), connect with the eMarket Center. The ideal situation would be to use either a hosted (by SciQuest) or Punchout Level 2 catalog configurations, but actual requirements will be determined by the Lead State Contract Administrator, WSCA-NASPO, WSCA-NASPO's contractor (SciQuest) and the awarded contractor, after award. Participation does not require an awarded responder to have any special level of technology or technological understanding.

Definitions

Acceptance - means a written notice from a purchasing entity to contractor advising Contractor that the Product has passed its Acceptance Testing. Acceptance of a product for which acceptance testing is not required shall occur following the completion of delivery, installation, if required, and a reasonable time for inspection of the product, unless the Purchasing Entity provides a written notice of rejection to contractor.

Acceptance Testing - means the process for ascertaining that the Product meets the standards set forth in the section titled Standard of Performance and Acceptance, prior to Acceptance by the Purchasing Entity.

Contractor - means the person or entity delivering Products or performing services under the terms and conditions set forth in this Master Agreement.

Intellectual Property - means any and all patents, copyrights, service marks, trademarks, trade secrets, trade names, patentable inventions, or other similar proprietary rights, in tangible or intangible form, and all rights, title, and interest therein.

Lead State - means the State conducting this cooperative solicitation and centrally administering any resulting Master Agreement with the permission of the Signatory States.

Master Agreement - means the underlying agreement executed by and between the Lead State, as WSCA-NASPO contract administrator, acting on behalf of WSCA-NASPO, and the Contractor, as now or hereafter amended.

Order - means any purchase order, sales order, or other document used by a Participating Entity to order the Products.

Participating Addendum - means a bilateral agreement executed by a Contractor and a Participating Entity incorporating this Master Agreement and any other additional Participating Entity specific language or other requirements ,e.g. ordering procedures specific to the Participating Entity, other terms and conditions.

Participating Entity - means a state, or other legal entity, properly authorized by a state to enter into the Master Agreement or Participating Addendum or who is authorized to order under the Master Agreement or Participating Addendum.

Product - Any equipment, software (including embedded software), documentation, or deliverable supplied or created by the Contractor pursuant to this Master Agreement.

WSCA-NASPO - is a cooperative group contracting consortium for state procurement officials, representing departments, institutions, agencies, and political subdivisions (i.e., colleges, school districts, counties, cities, etc.) for all states and the District of Columbia. WSCA-NASPO is a cooperative purchasing arm of the National Association of State Procurement Officials (NASPO).

Additional Definitions and Alternative Terms for Consideration

Below are additional definitions and alternative terms for consideration by the sourcing teams depending upon the nature of the solicitation and negotiations between the Contractor and Vendor.

Embedded Software - means one or more software applications which permanently reside on a computing device.

Machine Code - means microcode, basic input/output system code, utility programs, device drivers, diagnostics, and another code delivered with a computing device for the purpose of enabling the function of the computing device, as stated in its published specifications.

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