

(ATTACHMENT 2) ACTION ON REQUEST TO WAIVE ADMINISTRATIVE POLICY 3.09(9)(e) AND ENTER INTO A MASTER AGREEMENT WITH RICOH USA, INC. TO LEASE A PRINTER BUNDLE

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Contract Number: C030271
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**MILWAUKEE
PUBLIC SCHOOLS**

MASTER LEASE AGREEMENT

COMMODITY OR SERVICE: U.S. Communities Master Lease Agreement

PERIOD OF CONTRACT: April 1, 2022 through March 31, 2027

This Master Agreement is entered into by and between the Milwaukee Board of School Directors (“MPS”) and Ricoh USA, Inc. (“Contractor”).

Whereby, MPS agrees to lease a Xante X33 UV Printer, Xante X16 UV Printer Bundle, and Roland TrueVIS VG2 SeriesWide and Contractor agrees to supply such commodities cited above in accordance with the U.S. Communities Master Lease Agreement Number 4400003732. This Supplemental Agreement is executed pursuant to that Contract. This Master Lease Agreement is made possible due to mutual membership of MPS and Ricoh USA, Inc. to the nationwide cooperative, U.S. Communities.

Contractor acknowledges and agrees that the relationship with MPS is non-exclusive and MPS may contract with as many additional entities as MPS, in MPS’s sole discretion, sees fit.

In accordance with MPS Administrative Policy 3.10, which is hereby incorporated by reference, the following requirements have been assigned to this Agreement: the HUB requirement on this Contract is 0%; the student engagement requirement of this Contract is 0 hours per 36-month term; and the Career Education requirement for this Contract is 0 hours per 36-month term. Failure to achieve these requirements may result in the application of some or all of the sanctions set forth in Policy 3.10.

This Master Lease Agreement, along with Contract C030271 and Amendments, constitutes the entire agreement between the parties relating to the subject matter of this contract. All prior understandings, agreements, correspondence and discussions of the parties are merged into and made a part of this Agreement. To the extent that the terms of the documents conflict, the terms of this Supplemental Agreement shall control.

Total compensation under this Supplemental Agreement will not exceed \$107,288.40.

No amendment or modification of any provision of this Supplemental Agreement shall be effective unless the same shall be in writing and signed by authorized signatories of both parties.

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Ricoh USA, Inc.
18650 corporate dr. #3202
Brookfield, WI 53045

Milwaukee Board of School Directors

By: _____

By: _____
*Janine Adamczyk, Director
Procurement & Risk Management*

Date: _____

Date: _____

Tax ID: XXXXXXXXXX

By: _____
*Keith P. Posley, Ed.D.
Superintendent of Schools*

Date: _____

Budget Code: DUP-0-0-DUP-DU-EMTC

By: _____
*Robert E. Peterson, President
Milwaukee Board of School Directors*

Date: _____



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U.S. Communities Master Lease Agreement

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CUSTOMER INFORMATION

Form with fields: Full Legal Name, Address, City, State, Zip, Contact, Telephone Number, Federal Tax ID Number, Facsimile Number, E-mail Address.

This U.S. Communities Master Lease Agreement ("Lease Agreement") has been written in clear, easy to understand English. When we use the words "you", "your" or "Customer" in this Lease Agreement, we mean you, our customer, as indicated above.

- 1. Agreement. This Lease Agreement is executed pursuant to the contract by and between Ricoh USA, Inc. (successor-in-interest to Ricoh Americas Corporation) and Fairfax County...
2. Schedules; Delivery and Acceptance. This Lease Agreement shall consist of the terms and conditions of the Contract and this Lease Agreement and any Schedule issued pursuant thereto...
3. Term; Payments. (a) The first scheduled Payment (as specified in the applicable Schedule) ("Payment") will be due in arrears within 30 days of the Equipment delivery and acceptance date. (b) In the event that Customer terminates the Maintenance Agreement... (c) A Schedule may be terminated in whole or in part by the Customer... (d) You also agree that, except (a) as set forth in Section 18 below entitled "State and Local Government Provisions" and (b) for the best interest of the Customer as set forth in Section 3(c), THIS IS AN UNCONDITIONAL, NON-CANCELABLE AGREEMENT FOR THE MINIMUM TERM INDICATED ON ANY SCHEDULE TO THIS LEASE AGREEMENT.

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and cash equivalents are not acceptable forms of payment for this Lease Agreement or any Schedule and that you will not remit such forms of payment to us. Payment in any other form may delay processing or be returned to you. Furthermore, only you or your authorized agent as approved by us will remit payments to us.

4. **Product Location; Use and Repair.** You will keep and use the Product only at the Product Location shown in the applicable Schedule. You will not move the Product from the location specified in the applicable Schedule or make any alterations, additions or replacements to the Product without our prior written consent, which consent will not be unreasonably withheld. At your own cost and expense, you will keep the Product eligible for any Manufacturer's certification as to maintenance and in compliance with applicable laws and in good condition, except for ordinary wear and tear. You shall engage Ricoh, its subsidiaries or affiliates, or an independent third party (the "Servicer") to provide maintenance and support services pursuant to a separate agreement for such purpose ("Maintenance Agreement"). You may make alterations, additions or replacements (collectively, "Additions") and add Software to the Product provided that such Additions and Software do not impair the value or originally intended function or purpose of the Product and is not subject to any lien or security interest in favor of any other party; provided, further, that you remove such Additions and Software at your own cost and expense at the expiration or termination of the applicable Schedule. All Additions and Software which are not removed at the expiration or termination of the applicable Schedule will become part of the Product and our property at no cost or expense to us. We may inspect the Product upon proper notice to the customer at any reasonable time during normal working hours.
5. **Taxes and Fees.** You warrant that you are a sales/use tax-exempt entity and you will provide us with a valid sales/use tax-exempt certificate. A valid sales and use tax exemption certificate must be provided to us within ninety (90) days of the first invoice to receive a credit/waiver of sales tax.
6. **Warranties.** We transfer to you, without recourse, for the term of each Schedule, any written warranties made by the Manufacturer or Software Supplier (as defined in Section 10 of this Lease Agreement) with respect to the Product leased or rented pursuant to such Schedule. YOU ACKNOWLEDGE THAT YOU HAVE SELECTED THE PRODUCT BASED ON YOUR OWN JUDGMENT AND YOU HEREBY AFFIRMATIVELY DISCLAIM RELIANCE ON ANY ORAL REPRESENTATION CONCERNING THE PRODUCT MADE TO YOU. However, if you enter into a Maintenance Agreement with Servicer with respect to any Product, no provision, clause or paragraph of this Lease Agreement shall alter, restrict, diminish or waive the rights, remedies or benefits that you may have against Servicer under such Maintenance Agreement. WE MAKE NO WARRANTY, EXPRESS OR IMPLIED, AS TO ANY MATTER WHATSOEVER, INCLUDING, BUT NOT LIMITED TO, THE IMPLIED WARRANTIES OF MERCHANTABILITY OR FITNESS FOR A PARTICULAR PURPOSE. The only warranties, express or implied, made to you are the warranties (if any) made by the Manufacturer and/or Servicer to you in any documents, other than this Lease Agreement, executed by and between the Manufacturer and/or Servicer and you. YOU AGREE THAT, NOTWITHSTANDING ANYTHING TO THE CONTRARY, WE ARE NOT RESPONSIBLE FOR, AND YOU WILL NOT MAKE ANY CLAIM AGAINST US FOR, ANY CONSEQUENTIAL, SPECIAL, OR INDIRECT DAMAGES.
7. **Loss or Damage.** You are responsible for any theft of, destruction of, or damage to the Product (collectively, "Loss") from any cause at all, whether or not insured, from the time of Product acceptance by you until it is delivered to us at the end of the term of the Schedule. You are required to make all Payments even if there is a Loss. You must notify us in writing immediately of any Loss. Then, you shall be responsible to either (a) repair the Product so that it is in good condition and working order, eligible for any Manufacturer's certification, (b) pay us the amounts specified in Section 12 below, or (c) replace the Product with equipment of like age and capacity.
8. **Liability and Insurance.** You agree to maintain insurance, through self-insurance or otherwise, to cover the Product for all types of loss, including, without limitation, theft, in an amount not less than the full replacement value and you will name us as an additional insured and loss payee on your insurance policy. In addition, you agree to maintain comprehensive public liability insurance, which, upon our request, shall be in an amount acceptable to us and shall name us as an additional insured. Such insurance will provide that we will be given thirty (30) days advance notice of any cancellation. Upon our request, you agree to provide us with evidence of such insurance in a form reasonably satisfactory to us. In the event of loss or damage to the Product you agree to remain responsible for the Payment obligations under this Lease Agreement until the Payment obligations are fully satisfied.
9. **Title; Recording.** We are the owner of and will hold title to the Product (except for any Software). You will keep the Product free of all liens and encumbrances. Except as reflected on any Schedule, you agree that this Lease Agreement is a true lease. However, if any Schedule is deemed to be intended for security, you hereby grant to us a purchase money security interest in the Product covered by the applicable Schedule (including any replacements, substitutions, additions, attachments and proceeds) as security for the payment of the amounts under each Schedule. You authorize us to file a copy of this Lease Agreement and/or any Schedule as a financing statement, and you agree to promptly execute and deliver to us any financing statements covering the Product that we may reasonably require; provided, however, that you hereby authorize us to file any such financing statement without your authentication to the extent permitted by applicable law.
10. **Software or Intangibles.** To the extent that the Product includes Software, you understand and agree that we have no right, title or interest in the Software, and you will comply throughout the term of this Lease Agreement with any license and/or other agreement ("Software License") entered into with the supplier of the Software ("Software Supplier"). You are responsible for entering into any Software License with the Software Supplier no later than the Effective Date; provided, however, if you do not enter into the Software License, then we may choose not to lease such Software to you under this Lease Agreement.
11. **Default.** Each of the following is a "Default" under this Lease Agreement and all Schedules: (a) you fail to pay any Payment or any other amount within forty-five (45) days of its due date, (b) any representation or warranty made by you in this Lease Agreement is false or incorrect and/or you do not perform any of your other obligations under this Lease Agreement or any Schedule and/or under any other agreement with us or with any of our affiliates and this failure continues for thirty (30) days after we have notified you of it, (c) a petition is filed by or against you or any guarantor under any bankruptcy or insolvency law or a trustee, receiver or liquidator is appointed for you, any guarantor or any substantial part of your assets, (d) you or any guarantor makes an assignment for the benefit of creditors, (e) any guarantor dies, stops doing business as a going concern or transfers all or substantially all of such guarantor's assets, or (f) you stop doing business as a going concern or transfer all or substantially all of your assets.
12. **Remedies.** If a Default occurs, we may do one or more of the following: (a) we may cancel or terminate this Lease Agreement and/or any or all Schedules; (b) we may require you to immediately pay to us, as compensation for loss of our bargain and not as a penalty, a sum equal to: (i) all past due Payments and all other amounts then due and payable under this Lease Agreement or any Schedule; and (ii) the present value of all unpaid Payments for the remainder of the term of each Schedule plus the present value of our anticipated value of the Product at the end of the initial term of any Schedule (or any renewal of such Schedule), each discounted at a rate equal to 6% per year to the date of default, and we may charge you interest on all amounts due us from the date of default until paid at the rate of 1.5% per month, but in no event more than the maximum rate permitted by applicable law. We agree to apply the net proceeds (as specified below in this Section) of any disposition of the Product to the amounts that you owe us; (c) we may require you to deliver the Product to us as set forth in Section 14; (d) to the extent not prohibited by applicable law, we or our representative may peacefully repossess the Product without a court order (it being agreed that we will provide you with written notice of Default prior to initiating recovery of the Product and will endeavor to contact you telephonically to schedule a convenient time to recover the Product); (e) we may exercise any and all other rights or remedies available to a lender, secured party or lessor under the Uniform Commercial Code ("UCC"), including, without limitation, those set forth in Article 2A of the UCC, and at law or in equity;

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(f) we may immediately terminate your right to use the Software including the disabling (on-site or by remote communication) of any Software; (g) we may demand the immediate return and obtain possession of the Software and re-license the Software at a public or private sale; (h) we may cause the Software Supplier to terminate the Software License, support and other services under the Software License, and/or (i) at our option, we may sell, re-lease, or otherwise dispose of the Product under such terms and conditions as may be acceptable to us in our discretion. If we take possession of the Product (or any Software, if applicable), we may sell or otherwise dispose of it with or without notice, at a public or private disposition, and to apply the net proceeds (after we have deducted all costs, including reasonable attorneys' fees) to the amounts that you owe us. You agree that, if notice of sale is required by law to be given, ten (10) days notice shall constitute reasonable notice. If applicable, you will remain responsible for any deficiency that is due after we have applied any such net proceeds. To the extent permitted by applicable law, in the event an action is brought to enforce or interpret this Lease Agreement, the prevailing party shall be entitled to reimbursement of all costs including, but not limited to, reasonable attorney fees and court costs incurred.

13. **Ownership of Product; Assignment.** YOU HAVE NO RIGHT TO SELL, TRANSFER, ENCUMBER, SUBLET OR ASSIGN THE PRODUCT OR THIS LEASE AGREEMENT OR ANY SCHEDULE WITHOUT OUR PRIOR WRITTEN CONSENT (which consent shall not be unreasonably withheld). You agree that we may sell or assign all or a portion of our interests, but not our obligations, in the Product and/or this Lease Agreement or any Schedule without notice to you even if less than all the Payments have been assigned. In the event the remit to address for Payments is changed during the term of this Lease Agreement or any Schedule, then Ricoh or the Assignee will provide notice to you. In that event, the assignee (the "Assignee") will have such rights as we assign to them but none of our obligations (we will keep those obligations) and the rights of the Assignee will not be subject to any claims, defenses or set offs that you may have against us. No assignment to an Assignee will release Ricoh from any obligations Ricoh may have to you hereunder. The Maintenance Agreement you have entered into with a Servicer will remain in full force and effect with Servicer and will not be affected by any such assignment. You acknowledge that the Assignee did not manufacture or design the Product and that you have selected the Manufacturer, Servicer and the Product based on your own judgment.
14. **Renewal; Return of Product.** AT LEAST 120 DAYS BEFORE THE TERMINATION OF THIS LEASE, BUT NOT LESS THAN 30 DAYS, RICOH SHALL SECURE A WRITTEN EXTENSION OF THIS LEASE. LACK THEREOF WITHIN SAID TIME SHALL BE PRESUMED AS A DECISION OF TERMINATION; THUS, GRANTING RICOH THE RIGHT UPON THIRTY (30) DAYS NOTICE, TO DEMAND THAT THE PRODUCT BE RETURNED TO US IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE TERMS OF THIS SECTION 14. Notwithstanding the foregoing, nothing herein is intended to provide, nor shall be interpreted as providing, (a) you with a legally enforceable option to extend or renew the terms of this Lease Agreement or any Schedule, or (b) us with a legally enforceable option to compel any such extension or renewal. At the end of or upon termination of each Schedule, the Parties shall immediately make arrangements to have the Product subject to such expired Schedule picked up by us (or our designee), in as good condition as when you received it, except for ordinary wear and tear. Ricoh (or our designee) shall bear shipping charges. If the Product is not made available to Ricoh (or our designee) on the scheduled pick up day because of Customer's fault, Customer must pay additional prorated Payments at the same rate as then in effect under a Schedule until the Product is picked up by us or our designees and is received in good condition and working order by us or our designees. The Parties shall cooperate reasonably in scheduling the pick-up of said Product, which must be completed within 30 days. Notwithstanding anything to the contrary set forth in this Lease Agreement, the parties acknowledge and agree that we shall have no obligation to remove, delete, preserve, maintain or otherwise safeguard any information, images or content retained by or resident in any Products leased by you hereunder, whether through a digital storage device, hard drive or other electronic medium ("Data Management Services"). If desired, you may engage Ricoh to perform Data Management Services at then-prevailing contracted rates pursuant to your Maintenance Agreement or other agreement with Ricoh. You acknowledge that you are responsible for ensuring your own compliance with legal requirements in connection with data retention and protection and that we do not provide legal advice or represent that the Products will guarantee compliance with such requirements. The selection, use and design of any Data Management Services, and any decisions arising with respect to the deletion or storage of data, as well as the loss of any data resulting therefrom, shall be your sole and exclusive responsibility.
15. **Miscellaneous.** It is the intent of the parties that this Lease Agreement and any Schedule shall be deemed and constitute a "finance lease" as defined under and governed by Article 2A of the UCC. ORAL AGREEMENTS OR COMMITMENTS TO LOAN MONEY, EXTEND CREDIT OR TO FORBEAR FROM ENFORCING REPAYMENT OF A DEBT INCLUDING PROMISES TO EXTEND OR RENEW SUCH DEBT ARE NOT ENFORCEABLE. YOU AGREE THAT THE TERMS AND CONDITIONS CONTAINED IN THE MPS MLA, CONTRACT, THIS LEASE AGREEMENT, AND IN EACH SCHEDULE MAKE UP THE ENTIRE AGREEMENT BETWEEN US REGARDING THE LEASING OR RENTAL OF THE PRODUCT AND SUPERSEDE ALL PRIOR WRITTEN OR ORAL COMMUNICATIONS, UNDERSTANDINGS OR AGREEMENTS BETWEEN THE PARTIES RELATING TO THE SUBJECT MATTER CONTAINED HEREIN, INCLUDING, WITHOUT LIMITATION, PURCHASE ORDERS. Any purchase order, or other ordering documents, will not modify or affect this Lease Agreement or any Schedule and shall serve only the purpose of identifying the equipment ordered. You authorize us to supply any missing "configure to order" number ("CTO"), other equipment identification numbers (including, without limitation, serial numbers), agreement/schedule identification numbers and/or dates in this Lease Agreement or any Schedule. You acknowledge that you have not been induced to enter into this Lease Agreement by any representation or warranty not expressly set forth in this Lease Agreement. Neither this Lease Agreement nor any Schedule is binding on us until we sign it. ANY CHANGE IN ANY OF THE TERMS AND CONDITIONS OF THIS LEASE AGREEMENT OR ANY SCHEDULE MUST BE IN WRITING AND SIGNED BY BOTH PARTIES. If either party delays or fails to enforce any of its rights under this Lease Agreement with respect to any or all Schedules, such delay or failure shall not prevent such party from exercising them at a later time. All notices shall be given in writing and sent either (a) by certified mail, return receipt requested, or recognized overnight delivery service, postage prepaid, addressed to the party receiving the notice at the address shown on the front of this Lease Agreement, or (b) by facsimile transmission, with oral confirmation, to the facsimile number shown below such party's signature on this Lease Agreement. Either party may change its address or facsimile number by giving written notice of such change to the other party. Notices shall be effective on the date received. Each of our respective rights and indemnities will survive the termination of this Lease Agreement and each Schedule. If more than one customer has signed this Lease Agreement or any Schedule, each customer agrees that its liability is joint and several. It is the express intent of the parties not to violate any applicable usury laws or to exceed the maximum amount of time price differential or interest, as applicable, permitted to be charged or collected by applicable law, and any such excess payment will be applied to payments in the order of maturity, and any remaining excess will be refunded to you. We make no representation or warranty of any kind, express or implied, with respect to the legal, tax or accounting treatment of this Lease Agreement and any Schedule and you acknowledge that we are an independent contractor and not your fiduciary. You will obtain your own legal, tax and accounting advice related to this Lease Agreement or any Schedule and make your own determination of the proper accounting treatment of this Lease Agreement or any Schedule. We may receive compensation from the Manufacturer or supplier of the Product in order to enable us to reduce the cost of leasing or renting the Product to you under this Lease Agreement or any Schedule below what we otherwise would charge. If we received such compensation, the reduction in the cost of leasing or renting the Product is reflected in the Minimum Payment specified in the applicable Schedule. To the fullest extent permitted by applicable law, you authorize us or our agent to obtain credit reports and make credit inquiries regarding you and your financial condition and to provide your information, including payment history, to our assignee and third parties having an economic interest in this Lease Agreement, any Schedule or the Product.
16. **Governing Law; Jurisdiction; Waiver of Trial By Jury and Certain Rights and Remedies Under The Uniform Commercial Code.** YOU AGREE THAT THIS LEASE AGREEMENT AND ANY SCHEDULE WILL BE GOVERNED UNDER THE LAW FOR THE STATE WHERE YOUR PRINCIPAL PLACE OF BUSINESS OR RESIDENCE IS LOCATED. YOU ALSO CONSENT TO THE VENUE AND NON-EXCLUSIVE JURISDICTION OF ANY COURT LOCATED IN THE STATE WHERE YOUR PRINCIPAL PLACE OF BUSINESS OR RESIDENCE IS LOCATED TO RESOLVE ANY CONFLICT UNDER THIS LEASE AGREEMENT. TO THE EXTENT NOT PROHIBITED BY APPLICABLE LAW, THE PARTIES TO THIS LEASE AGREEMENT EACH WAIVE THE RIGHT TO TRIAL BY JURY IN THE EVENT OF A LAWSUIT. TO THE EXTENT PERMITTED BY APPLICABLE LAW, YOU WAIVE ANY AND ALL RIGHTS AND REMEDIES CONFERRED UPON A CUSTOMER OR LESSEE BY SECTIONS 508-522 OF ARTICLE 2A OF THE UCC THAT YOU MAY HAVE AGAINST US (BUT NOT AGAINST THE MANUFACTURER OF THE PRODUCT). TO HELP THE GOVERNMENT FIGHT THE FUNDING OF TERRORISM AND MONEY LAUNDERING ACTIVITIES, FEDERAL LAW REQUIRES ALL FINANCIAL INSTITUTIONS TO OBTAIN, VERIFY AND RECORD INFORMATION THAT IDENTIFIES EACH PERSON WHO OPENS AN ACCOUNT. WHAT THIS MEANS FOR YOU: WHEN YOU OPEN AN ACCOUNT, WE WILL ASK FOR YOUR NAME, ADDRESS AND OTHER INFORMATION THAT WILL ALLOW US TO IDENTIFY YOU. WE MAY ASK TO SEE IDENTIFYING DOCUMENTS.

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17. Counterparts; Facsimiles. Each Schedule may be executed in counterparts. The counterpart which has our original signature and/or is in our possession or control shall constitute chattel paper as that term is defined in the UCC and shall constitute the original agreement for all purposes, including, without limitation, (a) any hearing, trial or proceeding with respect to such Schedule, and (b) any determination as to which version of such Schedule constitutes the single true original item of chattel paper under the UCC. If you sign and transmit a Schedule to us by facsimile or other electronic transmission, the facsimile or such electronic transmission of such Schedule, upon execution by us (manually or electronically, as applicable), shall be binding upon the parties. You agree that the facsimile or other electronic transmission of a Schedule containing your facsimile or other electronically transmitted signature, which is manually or electronically signed by us, shall constitute the original agreement for all purposes, including, without limitation, those outlined above in this Section. You agree to deliver to us upon our request the counterpart of such Schedule containing your original manual signature.
18. State and Local Government Provisions. If the Customer is a State or political subdivision of a State, as those terms are defined in Section 103 of the Internal Revenue Code, the following additional terms and conditions shall apply:
- (a) Essentiality. During the term of this Lease Agreement and any Schedule, the Product will be used solely for the purpose of performing one or more governmental or proprietary functions consistent with the permissible scope of your authority. You represent and warrant that the use of the Product is essential to performing such governmental or proprietary functions.
 - (b) Non-Appropriation/Non-Substitution. (i) If your governing body fails to appropriate sufficient monies in any fiscal period for rentals and other payments coming due under a Schedule to this Lease Agreement in the next succeeding fiscal period for any equipment which will perform services and functions which in whole or in part are essentially the same services and functions performed by the Product covered by any such Schedule, then a "Non-Appropriation" shall be deemed to have occurred. (ii) If a Non-Appropriation occurs, then: (A) you must give us immediate notice of such Non-Appropriation and provide written notice of such failure by your governing body at least sixty (60) days prior to the end of the then current fiscal year or if Non-Appropriation has not occurred by such date, immediately upon Non-Appropriation, (B) no later than the last day of the fiscal year for which appropriations were made for the rental due under any Schedule to this Lease Agreement (the "Return Date"), you shall make available to us (or our designee) all, but not less than all, of the Product covered by such Schedule to this Lease Agreement, at your sole expense, in accordance with the terms hereof; and (C) any Schedule to this Lease Agreement shall terminate on the Return Date without penalty or expense to you and you shall not be obligated to pay the rentals beyond such fiscal year, provided that (x) you shall pay any and all rentals and other payments due up through the end of the last day of the fiscal year for which appropriations were made and (y) you shall pay month-to-month rent at the rate set forth in any such Schedule for each month or part thereof that you fail to make available to us (or our designee) the Product as required herein. (iii) Upon any such Non-Appropriation, upon our request, you will provide an opinion of independent counsel or other legally designated authority (who shall be reasonably acceptable to us), in form reasonably acceptable to us, confirming the Non-Appropriation and providing reasonably sufficient proof of such Non-Appropriation.
 - (c) Funding Intent. You represent and warrant to us that you presently intend to continue this Lease Agreement and any Schedule hereto for the entire term of such Schedule and to pay all rentals relating to such Schedule and to do all things lawfully within your power to obtain and maintain funds from which the rentals and all other payments owing under such Schedule may be made. The parties acknowledge that appropriation for rentals is a governmental function to which you cannot contractually commit yourself in advance and this Lease Agreement shall not constitute such a commitment. To the extent permitted by law, the person or entity in charge of preparing your budget will include in the budget request for each fiscal year during the term of each Schedule, respectively, to this Lease Agreement an amount equal to the rentals (to be used for such rentals) to become due in such fiscal year, and will use all reasonable and lawful means available to secure the appropriation of money for such fiscal year sufficient to pay all rentals coming due during such fiscal year.
 - (d) Authority and Authorization. (i) You represent and warrant to us that: (A) you are a State or political subdivision of a State, as those terms are defined in Section 103 of the Internal Revenue Code; (B) you have the power and authority to enter into this Lease Agreement and all Schedules to this Lease Agreement; (C) this Lease Agreement and all Schedules to this Lease Agreement have been duly authorized, executed and delivered by you and constitute valid, legal and binding agreement(s) enforceable against you in accordance with their terms; and (D) no further approval, consent or withholding of objections is required from any governmental authority with respect to this Lease Agreement or any Schedule to this Lease Agreement. (ii) If and to the extent required by us, you agree to provide us with an opinion of independent counsel or other legally designated authority (who shall be reasonably acceptable to us) confirming the foregoing and other related matters, in form and substance acceptable to us. (iii) You agree to take all required actions and to file all necessary forms, including IRS Forms 8038-G or 8038-GC, as applicable, to preserve the tax exempt status of this Lease Agreement and all Schedules thereto. (iv) You agree to provide us with any other documents that we may reasonably request in connection with the foregoing and this Lease Agreement.
 - (e) Assignment. You agree to acknowledge any assignment to the Assignee in writing, if so requested, and, if applicable, to keep a complete and accurate record of all such assignments in a manner that complies with Section 149(a) of the Internal Revenue Code and the regulations promulgated thereunder.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the parties have executed this Lease Agreement as of the dates set forth below.

THE PERSON SIGNING THIS LEASE AGREEMENT ON BEHALF OF THE CUSTOMER REPRESENTS THAT HE/SHE HAS THE AUTHORITY TO DO SO.

<p>CUSTOMER</p> <p>By: X _____ <i>Authorized Signer Signature</i></p> <p>Printed Name: _____</p> <p>Title: _____ Date: _____</p> <p>Facsimile Number: _____</p>	<p>Accepted by: RICOH USA, INC.</p> <p>By: _____ <i>Authorized Signer Signature</i></p> <p>Printed Name: _____</p> <p>Title: _____ Date: _____</p> <p>Facsimile Number: _____</p>
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