



GEA United States
Standard Terms of Sale
for Spare Parts and Services
(Domestic and Export)

Definitions

Term	Meaning
Buyer	the party who contracts to buy the Scope of Work.
Buyer Scope	all works relevant to the Scope of Work which are not expressly included in Seller's Scope of Work, including any works specified in these Terms or Seller's Offer as being the responsibility of Buyer.
Contract	the contract formed between Buyer and Seller for purchase and sale of the Scope of Work.
Contract Price	the price set out in Seller's Offer or, in case of binding contract, in the Contract.
Costs	all costs and expenses incurred or to be incurred by Seller, including overhead, insurance, financing costs and similar charges and a reasonable profit; when calculating Costs, the costs of Seller's personnel shall be based on Seller's periodic rates as set forth in Seller's Offer or, if not contained therein, according to its rates prevailing when the work is performed.
day	a calendar day.
Defect	a flaw in the workmanship or materials of Seller's equipment at the time of delivery or a failure to prepare documentation or provide Site Services according to commercially reasonable skill and care.
Export Control Event	a situation where the Export Control Regulations may require an Export License or may cause additional costs, delay, prohibit Seller's performance and/or render the Contract not reasonable to perform.
Export Control Regulations	all applicable national and international laws, regulations, orders, embargoes, administrative practices or resolutions that may prohibit or restrict the trade of the Goods including, but not limited to, those specified in Annex B.
Export License	license or an equivalent formal approval by the competent authorities for the supply of the Goods under this Contract which is required to be obtained by Seller under the Export Control Regulations.
Force Majeure	acts of war or terrorism, riots, civil commotion, embargoes, export/import permit delays or refusals, epidemics, strikes, fires, delays in transport or customs clearance, earthquakes, floods, hurricanes, typhoons, storms, other acts of God or government or any other circumstances beyond the reasonable control of a party.
including	including without limitation.
Incoterm	the series of pre-defined commercial terms published under the name Incoterm® by the International Chamber of Commerce (Paris) as in force at the date of Seller's Offer.
Schedule	the time schedule for the Scope of Work as set out in Seller Offer or, in case of binding contract, in the Contract, as such schedule may be modified according to Clause 5 of these Terms.
Scope of Work	the goods, documentation and services (including Site Services, if any) expressly listed as Seller's responsibility in Seller's Offer or, in case of binding contract, the Contract.
Seller	The GEA entity identified in Seller's Offer or, in case of binding contract, the Contract.
Seller's Offer	Seller's quotation, proposal or offer for the Scope of Work.
Site	the place at which the Scope of Work is to be performed.
Site Services	the services (if any) provided by Seller at the Site expressly listed as Seller's responsibility in Seller's Offer or, in case of binding contract, the Contract.
Terms	these Terms and Conditions, including Annex A (where applicable)
Warranty Conditions	has the meaning set out in Clause 7.1.4.
Warranty Period	ninety (90) days from performance of the Scope of Work.

General Provisions

These Terms shall apply to and form an integral part of any Seller's Offer and any Contract.

Any provision of Buyer's purchase order, offer, acceptance or other document or requirement of Buyer which forms a part of the Contract and is in conflict or inconsistent with these Terms or which imposes on Seller liabilities that are additional to or different from those set forth in the Terms shall not apply to the Contract and is of no force or effect. Buyer's terms of purchase and/or service, if any, shall not apply to the Contract and are of no force or effect.

These Terms shall prevail over any inconsistent or conflicting provision of the Contract (including Seller's Offer), except only where (i) Seller has by way of its Seller's Offer or a duly signed document expressly amended a provision of these Terms and has referenced the specific provision of these Terms being amended or (ii) these Terms expressly provide for an option to deviate from the respective provision in Seller's Offer or, as the case may be, in the Contract.

1. Scope of Work:

1.1 Seller's works shall be limited to the Scope of Work. Buyer shall be responsible for the Buyer Scope.

2. Site Services:

- 2.1 If Site Services are included in the Scope of Work, Buyer shall ensure that Seller has safe and appropriate access to the Site at all times required by Seller. Any failure by Buyer to perform this obligation and any failure as regards readiness of the civil works or equipment outside the Scope of Work at the Site will entitle Seller to suspend its Site Services.
- 2.2 For the purpose of Seller carrying out the Site Services, Buyer shall be responsible for providing all of the following: (i) civil works; (ii) feed and other raw materials for making product; consumables and utilities, each in strict conformity with all requirements of the Contract; (iii) communications connections; (iv) trained and qualified laborers, operators and other personnel required by Seller; (v) safe and reliable equipment to assist in the transport of the Goods at the Site, including cranes and other lifting and transport equipment (to be operated and maintained by Buyer's personnel); (vi) a secure lock-up dry room for keeping tools and small machine parts; (vii) security; (viii) sufficient lighting; (ix) heating or cooling of the buildings at the Site to ensure reasonable climate and required ambient conditions for performing Site Services; (x) office space and facilities and welfare, messing, changing and washing facilities; (xi) any drawings or information which Seller may require for the purposes of carrying out the Site Services; (xii) special tools required for commissioning of the Goods; and (xiii) analyses of feed, utilities and product according to Seller's requirements.
- 2.3 Under no circumstances will Seller be responsible for the acts and/or omissions of any other contractor or person provided or made available by Buyer or for any works or equipment supplied by them, either by way of a deemed employer or otherwise, or for their payment, welfare, provision of safety equipment or safe means of working, or for their work, productivity or workmanship. Buyer shall be solely responsible for any failure of such persons or contractors to strictly comply with the instructions and requirements of Seller. Buyer shall indemnify, defend and hold Seller harmless from any resulting claims and liability for loss or damage to any property or for bodily injury or death in any way arising out of the acts or omissions of any such persons and contractors, save in each case to the extent directly caused by the negligence of Seller.

3. Payment:

- 3.1 Buyer shall pay Seller the Contract Price pursuant to the milestone schedule set forth in Seller's Offer or the Contract.
- 3.2 All payments are to be made by electronic transfer, net cash without any deduction, in United States Dollars unless a different currency is stated in Seller's Offer and within 30 days of the date of Seller's applicable invoice.
- 3.3 Payment shall not be deemed effected until irrevocably available funds have been received in full by Seller in its nominated bank account.
- 3.4 Buyer shall notify Seller in writing of any objection to the validity of any invoice within 5 days of receipt, absent which the invoice shall be deemed valid and payable.

- 3.5 Buyer shall have no right of set-off or right to make any form of withholding or retention against any payment of the Contract Price.
- 3.6 If any payment is not received by the applicable date for payment, Seller shall be entitled to interest thereon at 2.5% per month and pro rata for any part thereof, without formal demand being made. In addition, and upon 7 days' written notice to that effect, Seller may suspend all or part of its performance under the Contract until the payment and any due interest is received in full.
- 3.7 Seller reserves the right to adjust the Contract Price for any escalation in the cost of materials or any surcharge due to tax, tariff, duty or other price change in material supply that occur prior to completion of the Scope of Work (a "Contract Price Adjustment"). Any Contract Price Adjustment shall be based solely on an escalation of Seller's direct cost for material purchased to produce the Scope of Work, equipment supplied by a subsupplier, delivery of the Scope of Work, or otherwise to perform the Contract.

4. Taxes:

- 4.1 The Contract Price and any other amounts to be paid to Seller are exclusive of, and Buyer shall be responsible for, all federal, local, or municipal duties, taxes (including value added, sales, use, business, excise, gross receipts, contractor's, withholding, or similar taxes), assessments or charges of any kind, except to the extent any taxes or other charges that are assessed on the profits of Seller or which under the applicable Incoterm relating to delivery of the Scope of Work are payable by Seller. The payment of all such duties, taxes, assessments, or charges are the responsibility of Buyer. Seller must receive appropriate tax exemption certificates from Buyer; otherwise, applicable taxes will be charged by Seller on each invoice.
- 4.2 If any duties, taxes, assessments or charges are imposed on Seller by authorities in the country where the Scope of Work will be installed in connection with any Site Services and/or in connection with the Contract itself, Buyer shall reimburse Seller all such amounts.
- 4.3 Where Buyer is obliged by applicable law to make a deduction from any payment due to Seller in relation to any such duties, taxes, assessments or charges, Buyer shall increase the payment to be made such that the net payment received by Seller is without any such deduction.

5. Delivery / Risk of Loss / Delays:

- 5.1 Seller shall deliver the Scope of Work according to the applicable Incoterms by the date specified in the Schedule. If no Incoterm is stipulated, delivery shall be Ex Works manufacturer plant as specified by Seller. In case the respective stipulated Incoterm obliges Seller to perform any import formalities for the import into the country of delivery, Buyer at its cost is obliged to support Seller in any way reasonably required by Seller. Any delay (other than a delay by Seller) in completion of import formalities shall be an event entitling Seller to an extension of time and compensation of Costs.
- 5.2 Transfer of risk of loss and damage to the Scope of Work shall be in accordance with the stipulated Incoterm. The inclusion of any Site Services within Seller's Scope of Work shall not alter this transfer of risk of loss and damage and shall not create any assumption by Seller of any form of care, custody and control over any Buyer Scope and/or the Site.
- 5.3 In case of any delay, disruption, impediment or prevention of Seller or any breach of contract by Buyer (including third parties for whom it is responsible), Seller shall be entitled to payment by Buyer of its additional Costs and to an extension of time for any delay incurred.
- 5.4 Each party shall be released from the performance of its obligations under the Contract to the extent such performance is delayed, disrupted, hindered or obstructed by Force Majeure. The time for performance shall be extended by at least the amount of time lost due to the Force Majeure event.

6. Ownership:

Title in any goods included in the Scope of Work will transfer to Buyer when Seller has received payment of the Contract Price in full.

7. Warranties:

- 7.1 Warranties regarding Scope of Work:
 - 7.1.1 Subject to the provisions of this Clause 7.1 and Clause 7.2, Seller warrants that the Scope of Work shall be free of Defects. This warranty shall expire on the last day of the Warranty Period.
 - 7.1.2 Seller shall be responsible for remedying any Defect provided that Buyer promptly gives detailed written notice to Seller of the Defect and in any event before the end of the Warranty Period. To the maximum

extent permitted by applicable law, Seller shall have no liability for any form of Defect, latent or otherwise, for which it received written notification after the Warranty Period.

7.1.3 Where Seller is responsible for a Defect, Seller shall investigate and rectify the same as soon as reasonably practicable (taking into consideration the nature of the Defect, lead-time for replacement parts, etc.). Rectification of a Defect relating to goods included in the Scope of Work shall be by way of repair or replacement, at Seller's option, of the relevant part of the goods that is defective. Rectification of a Defect relating to Site Services and documentation included in the Scope of Work shall be by way of re-performance by Seller of the relevant part of the Site Service or documentation that is defective. Such rectification may include remediation implemented via a remote access solution (e.g., via an IoT edge device or IoT gateway). Buyer shall in each case give Seller all necessary and safe access to and possession of the Site. Purchaser also grants Contractor the right to use any remote access capability installed by or for Contractor in relation to the Scope of Supply or installed equipment at the Site for investigating and rectifying Defects. Any replacement parts shall be delivered according to the same delivery (Incoterms) terms as specified in the Contract. Buyer shall be responsible for all labor, equipment, costs used or incurred in the disassembly, removal, transport, installation and commissioning of repaired or replaced defective parts. Seller shall not be deemed to have breached any of its warranty obligations where it has rectified a Defect according to this Clause. Should Purchaser disable or otherwise restrict, hinder or prevent Contractor from remotely accessing the Scope of Supply or related installed equipment at the Site, Contractor's ability to perform its warranty obligations may be impaired or delayed; any investigation or resolution of Defects by Contractor may be incomplete or inaccurate; Contractor may incur additional costs in connection with the investigation and/or the rectification of a Defect (including the incurrence of travel costs), which Contractor will be entitled to recover from Purchaser; Contractor's warranty obligations will be void insofar as Contractor's ability to discharge such obligations are materially impaired.

7.1.4 Seller's responsibility for any Defect is subject to the condition that it is not caused by one or more of the following: (i) normal wear and tear of parts; (ii) use of non-original spare parts; (iii) use of feed, consumables or utilities not in strict conformity with the specifications stated in the Contract or in Seller's written manuals; (iv) any failure of upstream and/or downstream equipment; (v) modifications without Seller's express prior written consent; (vi) use of corrosive or abrasive substances; (vii) the storage, handling, use, operation or maintenance of any goods which is not in strict conformity with good engineering practice, the Contract or any written requirements of Seller, including any failure to comply with Seller's written manuals or instructions and Buyer's own quality assurance requirements; (viii) information, services, personnel, equipment or other items supplied by Buyer; (ix) failure to permit Seller to perform supervision of installation and/or installation; and/or (x) other conditions or circumstances not due to the fault of Seller (collectively, "Warranty Conditions").

7.2 Disclaimer and Limitations:

Seller hereby excludes and disclaims all conditions, warranties, guarantees and representations that are not expressly set out in Clause 7.1 or which are implied, statutory, customary or otherwise and which, but for this exclusion and disclaimer, would or might subsist in favor of Buyer, including any warranties as to fitness for specific purpose or merchantability. Buyer's remedies as set forth in Clause 7.1.3 above shall be Buyer's sole and exclusive remedies in respect of any Defect. If it is ultimately determined that this remedy fails of its essential purpose, then Seller's maximum liability is limited to the Contract Price attributable to the portion of the Scope of Work for which the exclusive remedy has failed. Seller's warranty does not include the replacement of lost refrigerant. Seller assumes no responsibility and shall have no liability for any repairs or replacements by Buyer without Seller's prior written authorization. Seller shall have no liability for the costs of removing or segregating any defective equipment so that the repairs or replacements can be made.

8. Confidentiality and IP; Software; Technical Data and Smart Equipment:

8.1 Buyer shall treat all information, drawings and data of any kind made available or provided by Seller in Seller's Offer or under the Contract whether orally, electronically, in writing, visually (such as through site visits, tests or audits) or otherwise and regardless of whether marked "confidential" ("Confidential Information") as private and confidential. Buyer shall not publish or disclose Confidential Information or any particulars thereof (except as may be necessary for the purposes of the Contract, including disclosure to its and its affiliates' officers, directors and employees, and/or as required by a recognized stock exchange or by applicable law), without the previous written consent of Seller. Buyer may use Confidential Information only for the work covered by the Contract and not for any other project. Nothing in this Clause 8 shall prevent the publication or disclosure of any Confidential Information which either has come within

the public domain otherwise than by breach of this provision or was already in the possession of Buyer with a right to disclose and use such information.

- 8.2 Intellectual property or patent rights which may be obtained on the basis of the information given or made available to Buyer in Seller's Offer or under the Contract or with respect to Seller's Scope of Work, including, without limitation, any discovery, invention, improvement or enhancement to Seller's Scope of Work or the process, operating parameters, or controls associated with such Scope of Work will remain the exclusive property of Seller or its subcontractors and/or sub-suppliers, respectively. Buyer shall not, nor shall Buyer permit any third party to, reverse engineer or otherwise technically examine, measure or test Seller's Scope of Work (except for the purposes of maintaining and operating the Scope of Work) without Seller's prior written consent.
- 8.3 To the extent the Scope of Supply includes the furnishing of engineering deliverables such as, but not limited to, engineering studies, process studies, detailed price proposals, preliminary drawings, preliminary bills of materials, process and instrumentation diagrams, or specifications not concurrent with a contract for the sale of tangible goods ("Engineering Deliverables"), such Engineering Deliverables are licensed to Purchaser by Contractor on a fully-paid up basis only for the purpose of Purchaser utilizing such Engineering Deliverables to procure equipment from Contractor and no other supplier. Purchaser is not authorized to use or disclose the Engineering Deliverables in connection with the purchase of equipment from any other supplier and Purchaser will indemnify and hold Contractor harmless from any claims, damages, losses and costs (including reasonable attorney's fees) that result from the use of any Engineering Deliverables in conflict with this provision.
- 8.4 This clause applies insofar as any software, programming, control system or automation of any kind (collectively "Software") are included in the Contractor's Scope of Supply. Software also includes all enhancements, upgrades and related documentation that Contractor may make available in its sole discretion. Upon receipt of the full Contract Price and subject to Purchaser's compliance with its obligations under this clause, Contractor grants Purchaser a non-exclusive and (except as stated expressly below) a non-transferable license to use the Software solely for operating the Goods for the purposes and within the requirements stated in Contractor's Offer. Except as stated below, Contractor warrants for a period of one year after the date (whichever is earlier) the Software is shipped or otherwise first made available to Purchaser ("Software Warranty Period") that the Software, when properly installed and used in conformity with the Contract, will function substantially in accordance with the software specifications (if any) stated in Contractor's Offer. Contractor does not warrant that the Software meets Purchaser's or any third parties' data protection or IT security requirements. If Purchaser discovers a nonconformity with the warranty and provides Contractor promptly with a detailed written notice of the nonconformity within the Software Warranty Period (including a description of the nonconformity and complete information about its discovery), Contractor will use commercially reasonable efforts to substantially correct the nonconformity by, at its option, one of the following: (i) providing a suitable fix, patch or workaround which may include a future revision of the Software; (ii) making available to Purchaser instructions for modifying the Software or indicating a reasonable way for avoiding the effect of the nonconformity; or (iii) making available at Contractor's facility corrected or replacement Software. Contractor will have no obligation under the warranty stated in this clause in case of improper installation of the Software or any modification or configuration of the Software not authorized in writing by Contractor, nor shall it have any responsibility for any non-conformities arising from Purchaser supplied software or interfacing; in each such case, Purchaser shall defend and hold Contractor harmless for any resulting loss, injury or damage. In respect of any Software that is acquired by Contractor from third parties, Contractor's obligation will be limited to transferring to Purchaser any warranty rights obtained by Contractor in respect of that Software and the non-conformity. Except as may be stated expressly in this clause, the Software is licensed as is. Contractor has no obligation to provide any maintenance, enhancements or upgrades. As between the Parties, Contractor retains all copyright, trademarks, patents and other intellectual property rights in the Software and all information other than Purchaser generated information that may be used or transmitted via or processed by the Software. The Software may not be sold or otherwise transferred or given to any third party without the prior written consent of Contractor and prior written agreement between Contractor and the third party, except that the Software (and the license granted herein) may be transferred to persons who have acquired the Goods without obtaining Contractor's prior consent. Purchaser shall not reverse engineer, modify or decompile the Software or in any other manner attempt to locate or identify the source code. To the extent that the Software contains open source software ("OS-Software"), the following applies: notwithstanding anything to the contrary in this Clause, Contractor makes the OS-Software available to Purchaser on the basis of the applicable OS-Software license terms, which terms will govern Purchaser's use of the OS-Software exclusively (including, for the avoidance of doubt, with respect to

warranty and liability). To the extent permitted by law, Purchaser's rights and remedies in respect of the Software are stated exclusively above.

- 8.5 Contractor annually publicly discloses its audited greenhouse gas emissions according to the Corporate Value Chain (Scope 3) Accounting and Reporting Standard ("GHG protocol"). In order to increase the accuracy of its reporting on the use phase of its sold products (Scope 3.11 greenhouse gas emissions), Contractor is interested in its customers' specific energy grid mix. Thus, Purchaser shall disclose towards Contractor the specific energy grid mix, i.e. the share of renewable energy used to power the specific sold product, to the extent such information is collected and tracked. Purchaser shall provide the required information and shall agree, that Contractor may utilize this information in an aggregated form for its annual sustainability reporting and auditing. Apart from that, this information will be kept confidential.
- 8.6 Where Contractor's Scope of Supply includes a Connected Product or a Related Service, GEA Group Companies each have a perpetual, world-wide, irrevocable, non-exclusive, transferable, sub-licensable and royalty-free right to generate, collect, process, analyse, store, aggregate, and otherwise use Technical Data transmitted to the GEA Cloud from the Connected Product or Related Service for one or more of the following purposes: providing the Scope of Supply; discharging Contractor's warranty and other obligations under the Contract; troubleshooting, monitoring, improving the function of and further developing the Scope of Supply (including the Connected Product and/or Related Service) and the Installed Works; providing Purchaser with product support and information on the Scope of Supply and Installed Works; establishing benchmarks and optimization potentials and optimizing the Scope of Supply and Installed Works; developing, designing, engineering, manufacturing, supplying, automating, improving, updating, monitoring and/or servicing equipment, software, cloud-based solutions, processes and services; creating and modifying algorithms, statistical analyses and artificial intelligence solutions; optimizing project execution and similar capabilities; supporting the marketing and sales efforts; and generating and using for commercial purposes any Derived Data, including with the aim of making such Derived Data available to third parties; and other similar purposes. Contractor shall exclusively have all rights, title and interest in and to all Derived Data, provided that Purchaser may use any Derived Data provided to it via a Connected Product or a Related Service for operating and maintaining the Scope of Supply and auxiliary equipment at the Site.
- 8.7 Purchaser will transmit to the GEA Cloud such Technical Data as is needed or appropriate for Contractor to discharge its warranty and other obligations under this Contract. Further, upon a GEA Group Company's written request, Purchaser will undertake such measures as may be reasonably required to enable such company's secure access to the Scope of Supply, Installed Works and related Technical Data and to provide at its discretion updates to the installed automation, software and control systems. Purchaser will enable Contractor to connect, or if agreed Purchaser will connect, the Scope of Supply (or a portion thereof) during its installation or (if requested by a GEA Group Company) at a later point of time and the Installed Works (if and when requested by a GEA Group Company) to Contractor's cloud and/or IT environment or other similar solution. Purchaser will ensure that the internet or other connection to the IoT edge device or IoT gateway is fully accessible to Contractor remotely and at Site and the connection meets such requirements (e.g., configuration, security, etc.) that may be issued by Contractor from time to time or which are recommended or required by applicable regulations or standards. Nothing in these Terms obligates Contractor to provide digital solutions; Purchaser acknowledges that Contractor may offer from time to time digital solutions for the Scope of Supply and or Installed Works pursuant to supplemental terms. This clause does not result in any warranty or other similar obligation being given or undertaken by Contractor in respect of any Technical Data or Derived Data. Contractor may, in its discretion, delete any stored Technical Data at any time, provided such deletion will be in accordance with applicable laws. Except to the extent required by applicable law, nothing in these Terms requires Contractor to provide any access to Technical Data or make such data available where doing so i) would result in disclosure of Contractor's trade secrets; ii) could undermine the security or safety of the Scope of Supply; or iii) would result in the disclosure of data relating to the testing of new products, substances or processes that are not yet placed on the market.
- 8.8 As used in these Terms, "GEA Group Companies" means Contractor and its affiliated companies; "Connected Product" means a physical product at the Site that via a component (e.g., an IoT edge device or IoT gateway), operating system or other means obtains, generates and/or collects Technical Data and communicates, or is intended by Purchaser and Contractor to communicate such data to Contractor's cloud and/or IT environment or other similar solution; "Installed Works" means the equipment, automation, software and control systems at the Site to which the Scope of Supply relates or is connected; "Related Service" means a digital service, including software or a cloud-based solution, that enables a GEA Group Company or a third party acting on its behalf to obtain, generate and/or collect Technical Data where the service is connected to the Scope of Supply or the Installed Works in such a way that its absence would

prevent the Connected Product or Installed Works from performing one or more of its functions or which adds to, monitors, updates, optimizes, modifies or adapts the functions of the Scope of Supply or Installed Works; "Technical Data" means raw product data generated by the use of a Connected Product or Related Service, including relevant metadata that make the raw data usable, including without limitation data regarding the condition, operation, efficiency, productivity, availability, maintenance, status, malfunction and/or optimization of the Connected Product; "Derived Data" means i) all data or information that is derived by the GEA Group Companies (or third parties acting on their behalf) from Technical Data, including without limitation statistical or other analysis and data derived by means of algorithms or application of proprietary software; ii) all data or information that is derived by means of sensor fusion or other similar means or methods; and iii) all data where the Technical Data is aggregated together with other data (provided such aggregated data does not allow for identification of the Technical Data collected under this Contact or allow a third party to derive such data from an aggregated data set). Technical Data does not include any Derived Data.

9. Remedies and Limitations of Liability:

9.1 Exclusive Remedies:

TO THE MAXIMUM EXTENT PERMITTED BY APPLICABLE LAW, BUYER'S RIGHTS AND REMEDIES AS EXPRESSLY STATED IN THE CONTRACT (WHETHER BY WAY OF DAMAGES, PAYMENT OR REIMBURSEMENT OF COSTS, LIQUIDATED DAMAGES, PRICE REDUCTION, MAKE GOOD OR REMEDIATION, TERMINATION OR OTHERWISE) SHALL BE ITS SOLE AND EXCLUSIVE RIGHTS AND REMEDIES REGARDLESS OF THE EVENTS, CIRCUMSTANCES OR THEORY ON WHICH A CLAIM MAY BE BASED (INCLUDING TERMINATION, BREACH OF CONTRACT OR STATUTORY DUTY, NEGLIGENCE OR OTHER TORT, STRICT LIABILITY, INDEMNITY, RESCISSION / WITHDRAWAL OR OTHERWISE).

9.2 Exclusion of Certain Damages:

NOTWITHSTANDING ANY OTHER PROVISION TO THE CONTRARY OR THE FAILURE OF THE ESSENTIAL PURPOSE OF ANY EXCLUSIVE OR LIMITED REMEDY, EXCEPT ONLY (i) TO THE EXTENT OF ANY LIQUIDATED DAMAGES PROVIDED FOR IN THE CONTRACT AND (ii) TO THE EXTENT THE EXCLUSION OF SELLER'S LIABILITY IS PROHIBITED BY APPLICABLE LAW (IN WHICH CIRCUMSTANCES SELLER'S LIABILITY SHALL BE LIMITED TO THE EXTENT PERMITTED BY APPLICABLE LAW):

SELLER SHALL IN NO CASE WHATSOEVER, INCLUDING BY WAY OF BREACH OF CONTRACT (INCLUDING TERMINATION) OR OF STATUTORY DUTY, NEGLIGENCE OR OTHER TORT, STRICT LIABILITY, INDEMNITY, CONTRACT PRICE REDUCTION OR REPAYMENT, TERMINATION, RESCISSION/WITHDRAWAL, MAKE GOOD OR REMEDIATION OR OTHERWISE, BE LIABLE FOR ANY (A) LOSS OF REVENUES OR PROFITS; LOSS OF OPPORTUNITY, PRODUCTION OR CONTRACTS; LOSS OF USE; STANDBY COSTS; LOSS OF OR DAMAGE TO FEED, RAW MATERIALS, UTILITIES OR PRODUCT; PLANT DOWNTIME OR DELAYS; LOSS OF GOODWILL; LIQUIDATED DAMAGES OR PENALTIES IMPOSED ON BUYER BY ITS CUSTOMERS OR THIRD PARTIES; BUYER'S CONTRACTUAL LIABILITY TOWARDS ANY THIRD PARTY; COSTS TO RECALL BUYER'S PRODUCT; ANY DAMAGES FINES OR PENALTIES PAYABLE BY BUYER; OR OTHERWISE FOR ANY FINANCIAL OR ECONOMIC LOSSES OR DAMAGES, AND IN EACH CASE IRRESPECTIVE WHETHER THE LOSSES OR DAMAGES IN QUESTION ARE DEEMED OR CLAIMED TO BE DIRECT, CONSEQUENTIAL, INDIRECT OR OTHERWISE, OR (B) FOR ANY CONSEQUENTIAL, INDIRECT, SPECIAL, INCIDENTAL, PUNITIVE OR EXEMPLARY, LOSSES OR DAMAGES HOWSOEVER CAUSED OR ARISING; OR (C) FOR ANY LOSS OR DAMAGE TO THE EXTENT ARISING OUT OF THE SOLE OR CONTRIBUTORY NEGLIGENCE OF BUYER, ITS EMPLOYEES OR AGENTS OR ANY THIRD PARTY.

9.3 Maximum Aggregate Liability:

NOTWITHSTANDING ANY OTHER PROVISION TO THE CONTRARY OR THE FAILURE OF THE ESSENTIAL PURPOSE OF ANY EXCLUSIVE OR LIMITED REMEDY, EXCEPT ONLY TO THE EXTENT THE EXCLUSION OR LIMITATION OF SELLER'S LIABILITY IS PROHIBITED BY APPLICABLE LAW (IN WHICH CIRCUMSTANCES SELLER'S LIABILITY SHALL BE LIMITED TO THE EXTENT PERMITTED BY APPLICABLE LAW), SELLER'S MAXIMUM AGGREGATE LIABILITY TO BUYER SHALL IN NO CASE EXCEED THE CONTRACT PRICE AS RECEIVED BY SELLER, IRRESPECTIVE WHETHER SUCH LIABILITY ARISES BY WAY OF BREACH OF CONTRACT (INCLUDING TERMINATION) OR OF STATUTORY DUTY, NEGLIGENCE OR OTHER TORT, STRICT LIABILITY, INDEMNITY, CONTRACT

PRICE REDUCTION OR REPAYMENT, TERMINATION, RESCISSION/WITHDRAWAL, MAKE GOOD OR REMEDIATION OR OTHERWISE.

- 9.4 The expiry of the Warranty Period shall, to the maximum extent permitted by applicable law, constitute conclusive evidence for all purposes and in all proceedings whatsoever between the parties that Seller has completed its obligations under or arising out of the Contract and performed the Scope of Work and made good all Defects therein in accordance with its obligations under the Contract. After the expiry of the Warranty Period, all claims of any nature whatsoever Buyer may have against Seller, whether known or not, under or arising out of the Contract and the use of the Scope of Work, and any right, cause of action and or remedy shall be deemed to be barred and extinguished. Provided always that this Clause 9.4 shall not apply in case of fraud or to the extent any proceedings were commenced and served in writing on Seller within the Warranty Period.
- 9.5 TO THE EXTENT THAT BUYER MAKES ANY CLAIM UNDER ANY FRAUD OR TORT THEORY FOR THE PURPOSE OF CIRCUMVENTING THE LIMITATIONS AND DISCLAIMERS SET FORTH ABOVE AND IS UNSUCCESSFUL IN PREVAILING ON THOSE CLAIMS, BUYER HEREBY AGREES TO REIMBURSE AND INDEMNIFY SELLER FOR ALL ATTORNEYS' FEES AND EXPENSES AND COSTS INCURRED BY SELLER IN DEFENDING THOSE CLAIMS.

10. Permits / Safety:

- 10.1 Buyer shall be responsible for (i) all permissions, consents and permits in connection with the Site; (ii) maintaining the Site in a safe working condition and as a safe place of work for all personnel at the Site at any time, providing safe means of access to the Scope of Work at all times, conducting all activities on the Site in a safe manner and as prescribed by applicable directives, laws, rules, regulations, codes and standards and as set forth in the operating and maintenance manuals and instruction sheets furnished by Seller; (iii) not removing or modifying any safety device, guard or warning sign provided as part of the Scope of Work. If Buyer fails to strictly observe any of the obligations in this Clause, Buyer shall indemnify, defend and hold Seller harmless from any resulting claims and liability arising out of loss or damage to any property or out of personal injury or death, save to the extent directly caused by the negligence of Seller.

11. Export Control:

- 11.1 Buyer acknowledges that the Scope of Work may be controlled by Export Control Regulations which may result in an Export Control Event. In case of an Export Control Event, Seller shall be entitled to all additional costs and expenses which may be needed for Seller to fulfil its obligations under Seller's Offer or, in case of binding contract, the Contract, including costs and expenses needed to obtain an Export License. Buyer agrees to promptly provide to Seller all necessary information that may be requested to obtain an Export License, such as end-user certificates. Seller will promptly inform Buyer about material delay to obtain an Export License, a revoked license or any prohibition to execute the contract.
- 11.2 If an Export License is denied or revoked or if an embargo prohibits the execution of the contract or if any other Export Control Event will hinder Seller to fulfill one or more of its contractual obligations Seller shall be excused from the performance of its obligations under Seller's Offer or, in case of binding contract, the Contract, with immediate effect. This shall, without limitation, also apply in case that Seller may be hindered to fulfill its contractual obligations due to the fact that any of Seller's suppliers or subcontractors are hindered by an Export Control Event to supply the Scope of Work all or in part. In any case, Seller shall not be liable or accountable to Buyer for any claims for delay, loss or damage in connection with an Export Control Event.
- 11.3 Subject to 11.2, if Seller gives notice to Buyer that its performance of Seller's Offer or, in case of binding contract, the Contract will be hindered by Export Control Regulations and/or Export License or embargos, each party shall be entitled to terminate Seller's Offer or, in case of binding contract, the Contract, by giving one-week prior written notice.
- 11.4 Buyer shall implement and follow all necessary procedures to comply with Export Control Regulations related to the Scope of Work to be provided by Seller and guarantees not to engage in any activity which it or Seller reasonably believes could be subject to civil, criminal or administrative liability, including but not limited to the sale, lease, transfer, or sublicensing of the Scope of Work without appropriate authorization. Buyer shall indemnify and hold harmless Seller from and against any claim, proceeding action, fine, cost, loss and damage arising from or related to the breach of this warranty.

12. Data Processing:

12.1 Buyer agrees that Seller will collect, process and use personal data and other data disclosed by Buyer in the course of the business relation with Seller for the purpose of (1) managing and performing the Contract with Buyer (which includes the creation and processing of invoices), (2) advertising and/or offering further goods and services to Buyer and/or (3) managing the business relationship with Buyer through e.g. a customer relationship management system. Such data may include the following data categories of persons being employed or retained by Buyer *inter alia* name, title, company, function within the company, business contact details (phone- and fax-number, email-address, mail address), history of orders, history of issues (e.g. warranty claims or disputes). Within the limitation of the above described purpose, Seller can collect, process and use the above described data (i) by itself and/or through the use of affiliates or other external subcontractors and (ii) from countries within and/or outside the European Union or European Economic Area. Buyer will ensure (e.g., if necessary, through consent declaration of the data subjects or other appropriate means available under the law) that Seller can use the above described data for the above described purposes.

13. Cancellation:

In case Buyer cancels or postpones a Confirmed Service Order, Buyer shall reimburse all direct costs such as, but not limited to, cancellation fees for air tickets, air freight charges and visa fees incurred by Seller in connection with such cancellation or postponement. If Buyer cancels or postpones a Confirmed Service Order less than seven calendar days before the scheduled departure date of Seller's technician, Seller reserves the right to charge a fee of up to three times the daily fee for each technician allocated for the assignment. "Confirmed Service Order" means Buyer's oral or written acceptance of the Site Services offered.

Contracts for Engineering Deliverables are non-cancellable. In light of Seller's allocation of resources and inability to redirect such resources on short notice, Seller shall be entitled to the Contract Price even where Buyer declines to have Seller perform the Scope of Work to completion.

14. Personal Security:

If, in Seller's reasonable opinion, the working environment, accommodation and transport arrangements create a personal security risk for Seller's technician, Seller has the right to discontinue the Site Services without liability to Buyer.

15. Replacement:

Seller shall have the right to replace a Seller technician with another technician equally suited for the Site Services.

16. Sub Contracting:

Seller may offer the Site Services using subcontracted staff, ensuring in any event the ability of such staff to carry out their activities.

17. Miscellaneous:

17.1 If any provision of the Contract is determined to be invalid or unenforceable, this shall not affect the validity or enforceability of the remaining provisions and the parties will substitute the invalid or unenforceable provision by a valid provision that achieves as closely as possible the same economic effect.

17.2 Any clause or paragraph headings or other headings appearing in the Terms are for reference only and shall not affect the construction of those Clauses or paragraphs. Words importing the singular shall include the plural and vice versa where the context requires.

17.3 The Contract shall not be construed or interpreted against or to the disadvantage of either Buyer or Seller whether on the grounds that the Contract represents Buyer's or Seller's standard or customary terms and conditions of business and /or that the Contract and or any particular recital, article, clause and or annex or appendix thereof may have originated from Buyer or Seller or other similar grounds.

17.4 The Contract sets forth the entire agreement between Seller and Buyer with respect to the subject matter thereof and supersedes any previous agreement or arrangement between the parties. Except to the extent expressly and specifically set forth in the Contract, all oral representations, warranties, undertakings and other statements of any kind and all documents given or exchanged (including any brochures or sales material of Seller) are expressly excluded and disclaimed by Seller. Buyer acknowledges that it has not

relied on and is not relying on any such representations, warranties, undertakings, statements or documents when entering into the Contract.

- 17.5 The Contract may not be assigned by either party without the other party's prior written consent, except that no consent is required for a party to assign the Contract to an affiliate as part of a corporate reorganization. This Clause 17.5 shall not require Seller to obtain any consent to subcontract any part of its obligations under the Contract. The Contract shall be binding upon and inure to the benefit of each of the parties and to their respective legal successors and assigns. Seller may assign receivables under the Contract to a financial entity financing Seller's performance and Seller may provide to such financial entity copies of the invoices to which those receivables relate.
- 17.6 No change in, addition to, or waiver of the provisions of the Contract shall be binding upon Seller or Buyer, unless contained within an identified written formal amendment to the Contract and signed by both parties.
- 17.7 Seller is an independent contractor and nothing in this Contract shall be construed to create a partnership, joint venture or agency relationship between the parties. Each party will be solely responsible for payment of all compensation owed to its employees as well as employment related taxes. Each party will maintain appropriate workers' compensation insurance for its employees as well as general liability insurance.
- 17.8 Except when services are provided by its authorized agents or subcontractors, Seller shall be the sole employer of all individuals performing services hereunder. Seller shall assume sole and exclusive responsibility for the payment of wages to its personnel for services performed for Buyer. Seller shall, with respect to its personnel, be responsible for withholding federal, state and local income taxes, paying Social Security taxes, unemployment insurance and maintaining workers' compensation insurance coverage in an amount and under such terms as required by state law. Only Seller shall have the right to hire and fire its personnel, provide specific instructions as to the manner in which an employee performs his or her job and to set the hours of work of its personnel. In addition, Seller shall manage all employment aspects of any assigned personnel including, without limitation, employment-based counseling, terminations, salary reviews, performance evaluations, work schedules, orientation, placement and rotation of assignments. The parties further acknowledge and agree that any personnel of Seller assigned to Buyer's account shall have no rights or entitlements to any of Buyer's employee benefit plans.

18. Disputes/Applicable law:

- 18.1 Any dispute arising out of or in connection with this Contract, including any question regarding its existence, validity or termination, shall first be submitted to a senior executive dispute resolution process and mediation prior to the institution of litigation; provided that the settlement negotiation process can be completed within the statute of limitations. Either party shall notify the other party in writing of the nature of the claim or dispute with as much detail as possible about the alleged deficient performance of the other party (the "Dispute Notice"). Within 14 days after delivery of a Dispute Notice, a senior executive (a President or Executive Vice President level) of each party shall meet in person or by telephone at a mutually acceptable time and place in an attempt to resolve the dispute. They shall negotiate in good faith attempting to reach a resolution satisfactory to both parties. If the senior executives have not resolved the matter, or agree upon a written plan of corrective action, within 45 days of delivery of a Dispute Notice, or if they fail to meet within 30 days after delivery of a Dispute Notice, either party shall initiate mediation with a mediator and mediation location acceptable to both parties. All settlement negotiations shall be confidential and will be treated as compromise and settlement negotiations for purposes of applicable rules of evidence.
- 18.2 Any dispute arising out of or in connection with this Contract, including any question regarding its existence, validity or termination, shall exclusively be referred to and finally resolved by the competent courts in New York. The governing law of the Contract shall be the substantive laws of New York without reference to its conflicts of laws principles. The substantive laws of New York, without reference to its conflicts of laws principles, shall govern all disputes between the Parties in connection with the Scope of Supply. The United Nations Convention on Contracts for the International Sale of Goods shall not apply.
- 18.3 EACH PARTY IRREVOCABLY WAIVES ANY RIGHT TO A TRIAL BY JURY IN ANY ACTION BETWEEN THE PARTIES.
- 18.4 EACH PARTY IRREVOCABLY WAIVES ANY RIGHT TO THE RECOVERY OF ATTORNEY'S FEES EXCEPT AS SPECIFICALLY PROVIDED IN THE TERMS.

19. Insurance:

- 19.1 Seller shall, upon execution of the Contract and throughout the performance of its obligations hereunder, maintain in effect and shall furnish certificates of insurance upon Buyer's request evidencing the insurance

coverage based on the amounts and limits as follows: (i) Comprehensive General Liability Insurance including contractual liability coverage with specific reference to liability assumed herein and including coverage for products liability and completed operations which includes coverage for bodily injury and property damage with limits of \$2,000,000 for each occurrence, and \$4,000,000 in the aggregate; (ii) Comprehensive Automobile Liability Insurance including coverage for owned, non-owned and hired vehicles with limits of \$2,000,000 for each occurrence for bodily injury and death, and property damage; and (iii) Workmen's Compensation Insurance as required by statute in the specific jurisdiction where the work is to be performed.

- 19.2 Buyer shall ensure that Seller and its subcontractors carrying out the Site Services (if applicable) are covered under an all-risk insurance policy applicable to the Scope of Work and the Site. Such cover shall be primary and name Seller as an additional insured. Seller shall be entitled upon request to a copy of the policy in question. The deductible, if any, shall be at Buyer's cost.
- 19.3 Neither Seller nor Buyer will be liable to any insurance company (by way of subrogation or otherwise) for, and Seller and Buyer each waive and shall each cause their respective insurers to waive, any rights of subrogation or contribution with respect to, any and all claims covered by insurance. To the extent required by each party's applicable insurance policies, each party shall promptly give its insurance company written notice of the waivers contained in this paragraph and shall cause its insurance policies to be properly endorsed to effectuate the same, if necessary, to prevent the invalidation of any insurance coverage by reason of the waivers of subrogation. Each party represents that its current insurance policies allow such waiver

ANNEX A TESTING SERVICES

This Annex A applies where the Scope of Supply includes the testing of Buyer's materials (the "Materials") at Seller's (or its affiliate's) facility (the "Testing Services"). The terms and conditions of this Annex A shall supersede any conflicting provisions in the Terms.

1. **Price Validity.**

Prices are firm for thirty (30) days from the date of Seller's offer unless extended in writing by Seller.

2. **Testing Conducted by Seller Affiliates and Export/Import Matters.**

To the extent that any of Seller's affiliated companies are engaged to assist in conducting the Testing Services as a necessary party to complete the testing required by the Buyer, such Seller affiliated party and its respective employees will be covered by and subject to the terms of the Contract. To the extent that any Materials are required for any reason to be shipped outside the United States or the Materials are required to be imported (or re-imported) into the United States, Buyer will be solely responsible for (i) managing all shipping and logistics, including all making all applicable import and/or export filings in its name, and (ii) complying with all applicable U.S. and applicable foreign import and export laws related to the shipment, import, export and re-import of the Materials.

3. **Right to Use the Materials.**

Buyer grants Seller the right to use the Materials solely for the purpose of conducting the Testing Services.

4. **Indemnification.**

Seller will defend and indemnify Buyer for any third-party claims of bodily injury or death to the extent they may arise from its and its permitted employees' (i) negligence or willful misconduct, or (ii) use, storage or disposal of the Materials in conflict with the terms of Seller's Offer or with the MSDS information provided by the Buyer to Seller for the Materials. Buyer will defend and indemnify Seller for any third party claims of bodily injury or death to the extent they may arise from the Buyer's and its employees or agents (i) negligence or willful misconduct, (ii) use, storage or disposal of the Materials by Seller or its permitted employees strictly in accordance with the terms of the Contract and the MSDS information on the Materials provided by Buyer to Seller, or (iii) failure by Buyer employees to comply with Seller's health and safety rules while on Seller's premises.

Seller will defend and indemnify Buyer for any third-party claims that the design, manufacture, or functioning of the test equipment infringe such third party's intellectual property rights. Buyer will defend and indemnify Seller for any third-party claims that the Materials or processing of the Materials infringe such third party's intellectual property rights.

In all cases of either party's indemnity provided in this paragraph, the party seeking indemnity must promptly notify the other party in writing of such claim of infringement; the defense of any legal action relating to such claim will be under the direction and control of the indemnifying party; the indemnified party shall cooperate with the indemnifying party in making such defense; and the indemnifying party will have complete control of the litigation or proceeding, including the amount of any settlement (provided the indemnified party has no monetary contribution obligation with regard to such settlement) and the choice in retention of counsel, and shall bear all expenses of such defense; provided, however, that the indemnified party may be represented in such action by its own counsel at its own expense

5. **Health and Safety.**

All employees of Buyer that participate in observing the Testing Services, to the extent permitted by Seller, must comply with all test specific instructions established by Seller as well as Seller's health and safety rules. Depending on the type of testing and the level of participation by the employees of Buyer, each employee may be required to participate in a health and safety training and may be required to acknowledge their participation in such training in writing prior to such person being granted access to any Seller testing area.

6. **Disposal of Materials.**

If the Materials are regulated as hazardous or otherwise regulated or restricted materials by any governmental agency, Buyer must advise Seller of any such regulations and required actions that must be taken by Seller. Regardless of the hazardous nature of the Materials, to the extent that any destruction or disposal by Seller is deemed in Seller's sole discretion to be unduly burdensome to Seller, Seller may require the Buyer to take all required actions for the proper destruction or disposal in accordance with all applicable laws and regulations.

7. **Damage to Material.**

Seller is in no way responsible or liable to the Buyer if in connection with the Testing Services the Material is damaged, destroyed, transformed, modified, etc. and the Buyer assumes the full risk of this possibility.

8. **Seller Technology.**

All rights and title in and to Seller's process equipment and equipment processes, including without limitation, process and operating parameters applied to Seller's equipment in connection with the Testing Services, including all intellectual property rights thereto and therein (collectively, "Seller Technology"), are owned by Seller and at all times remain Seller's and nothing in the Contract shall grant Buyer any ownership rights in or to the Seller Technology. Any and all enhancements, clones, improvements, discoveries, derivatives and modifications, whether or not patentable, related to, arising out of or dominated by, the Seller Technology that are made, directly or indirectly, by Seller, exclusively or with any other person or entity, shall be solely, fully and completely owned by Seller.

**ANNEX B
SPECIAL EXPORT CONTROL REGULATIONS**

Export control requirements applicable for recipients (“Purchaser”) of any goods and/or services (including software, if any) provided by or received directly or indirectly from any company, legal entity or permanent establishment (“Contractor”) belonging to or being directly or indirectly controlled by GEA Group AG registered in Düsseldorf, Germany (“GEA”):

Contractor’s ultimate parent company, GEA, is seated in Germany and therefore all group companies of GEA shall, to the widest extent permitted by the applicable laws, adhere to all Export Control Regulations in force in Germany including without limitation all Export Control Regulations enacted by the European Union including but not limited to Council Regulation (EU) Nos 833/2014 and 765/2006. It is therefore agreed that Purchaser shall, but only with respect to the Scope of Supply/Work to be provided by Contractor and only to the extent permitted by the applicable law, comply with the Export Control Regulations in force in Germany regardless whether they are deemed applicable to Purchaser under international law.

Therefore, the following provisions shall be accepted by Purchaser and shall supersede and be substituted for all conflicting provisions agreed elsewhere:

1. If Purchaser acquires from Contractor goods or technologies listed in Annexes XI, XX, XXXV or XL of Council Regulation (EU) No 833/2014, or any other Annexes that are or may become applicable to the Export Control Regulations specified above, Purchaser shall not sell, export or re-export, directly or indirectly, such goods to the Russian Federation or for use in the Russian Federation and if Purchaser acquires from Contractor goods or technologies listed in Annexes XVI, XVII, XVIII or XXX of Council Regulation (EU) No 765/2006 or any other Annexes that are or may become applicable to the Export Control Regulations specified above, Purchaser shall not sell, export or re-export, directly or indirectly, such goods to Belarus or for use in Belarus;
2. Purchaser shall undertake its best efforts to ensure that the purpose of item 1 is not frustrated by any third parties further down the commercial chain, including by possible resellers;
3. Purchaser shall set up and maintain an adequate monitoring mechanism to detect conduct by any third parties further down the commercial chain, including by possible resellers, that would frustrate the purposes of item 1;
4. Any violation of items 1, 2 or 3 shall constitute a material breach of an essential element of the Contract, and Contractor shall be entitled to seek appropriate remedies, including, but not limited to termination of the Contract; and
5. Purchaser shall immediately inform Contractor about any problems in applying items 1, 2 or 3 including any relevant activities by third parties that could frustrate the purpose of item 1. Purchaser shall make available to Contractor information concerning compliance with the obligations under items 1, 2 and 3 within two weeks of the simple request of such information.

Any breach of the foregoing obligations shall constitute an Export Control Event.