

# 1 Application of Terms

- 1.1 These Terms govern our supply of Goods and Services to you, including supplies on a cash basis.
- 1.2 If you wish to negotiate these Terms with us then you should respond to this document, marking up these Terms and drawing those changes to our attention and obtain our agreement in writing.
- 1.3 It is not our practice to otherwise review terms and conditions on documents that you issue to us.
- 1.4 Unless we otherwise agree in writing, we do not accept, and will not be bound by, any terms or conditions included in, attached to, or referenced in, any other document you give to us like a purchase order.

## 2 Quotations

- 2.1 Each quotation that we issue:
  - (a) is an estimate only;
    - (b) is not an offer or obligation to supply any Goods or to perform any Services;
    - (c) is exclusive of GST;
    - (d) does not include the costs of delivering Goods;
    - (e) remains valid for acceptance for a period of thirty (30) days from the date of quotation, unless withdrawn by us before a contract for supply is formed; and
    - (f) contains a price on the basis that all Services are performed, and all Goods delivered, during our usual business hours,
    - unless the quotation states otherwise.
- 2.2 Quotations provided orally are subject to written confirmation.
- 2.3 A quotation may include additional terms or conditions, which will supplement these Terms.
- 2.4 Should you wish to have Services performed or Goods delivered outside our usual business hours please let us know as additional charges may apply.

# 3 Formation of contract

- 3.1 We are not obliged to supply any Goods or provide Services until after a contract for supply is formed.
- 3.2 A contract for supply is formed, and you have accepted these Terms, when:
  - (a) you have placed an Order with us; and
  - (b) we have received any deposit we have required from you in respect of the Order before progressing it; and
  - either we have:
  - (c) accepted your Order in writing; or
  - (d) supplied you with any Goods or performed any Services following receipt of your Order.
- 3.3 If you revoke an Order:
  - (a) prior to the formation of a contract for supply then:
    - (i) we will refund you any deposit you have paid in respect of that Order; and
    - (ii) you will not be required to pay any fee for the cancellation of the Order; or alternatively
  - (b) after the formation of a contract for supply then unless we are in breach of the contract for supply:
    - you must pay all our reasonable costs associated with fulfilment of your Order; and
    - (ii) we may apply any deposit you have paid towards those costs.

# 4 Price

- 4.1 The price payable for the Goods or Services will be:
  - (a) the price agreed in writing; or alternatively
  - (b) the price by our prevailing price list/rates as when you place your Order.
- 4.2 We may vary our price or rates by notice to you if you request:
  - the Goods or Services be rendered outside our usual business hours;
  - (b) different Goods or Services to be supplied to the contract

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for supply; or

- (c) that we delay provision of the Goods or Services for sixty (60) days or more.
- 4.3 Where we vary the price or rates payable for the Goods or Services pursuant to clause 4.2, we will notify you of the new price/rates. Thereafter you may reject the new price/rates within seven (7) days and terminate the contract for supply without any cost or penalty to you, otherwise you agree that the price/rates will apply to the contract.

## 5 Recruitment process

- 5.1 Introductions are strictly confidential and the details of any Temporary Employee may not be disclosed to any third party without our prior written and fully informed consent.
- 5.2 While we make all reasonable endeavours to vet each Temporary Employee, we give no warranties with respect to Temporary Employee's skills, qualifications, experience, general integrity, references, or suitability and, to the extent permitted by law, we will not be liable for any loss or damage suffered or incurred by you or any third party arising out of, or in connection with the conduct of any Temporary Employee during an Assignment.

## 6 Labour Hire Services

- 6.1 Upon receipt of a Supply Request from you for Temporary Recruitment, we will, in our Rate Schedule, inform you of the applicable hourly/daily/weekly charge rate applicable to each Temporary Employee to be on-hired on an Assignment (Charge Rate).
- 6.2 Unless the Rate Schedule states otherwise, the Charge Rate:
  - (a) is exclusive of GST;
  - (b) contemplates all Temporary Employee Employment Costs;
    - does not account for:
    - (i) overtime;

(c)

- (ii) penalty rates;
- (iii) allowances (including travelling, meal, and living away allowances, 'dirt money' etc.);
- (iv) medical examinations;
- (v) drug and alcohol assessments; or
- (vi) police checks (or any such equivalent enquiries),

the costs of which will be payable by you.

- 6.3 Subject to clause 6.5, our minimum daily on-hire period for any Temporary Employee is eight (8) hours Monday to Friday and four (4) hours on Saturday and Sunday.
- 6.4 You agree not to unreasonably interfere in our relationship with Temporary Employees, including by communicating directly with any Temporary Employees in relation to the following matters.
  - (a) Performance or behavioural issues (except where doing so is necessary to avoid death or injury).
  - (b) The rostering of any Temporary Employee, including the length or termination of any Assignment.
  - (c) Termination of employment or contract.
  - (d) Any other matters that are traditionally the domain of the employer or principal.
- 6.5 You acknowledge and agree that under the Fair Work Act 2009 (Cth), modern awards, enterprise agreements, industrial instruments, and other legislation, minimum shift times may apply. If a Temporary Employee is on-hired for a shift time less than the legal minimum shift time, you agree to pay us the Charge Rate applicable to the legal minimum shift time.
- 6.6 We will be responsible for the payment of all Temporary Employee Employment Costs. We may vary the Charge Rate upon reasonable notice to you by providing you with an updated Rate Schedule if there is any change to our Temporary Employee Employment Costs, or any other costs incurred by us in respect of the on-hire of our Temporary Employees during the continuance of an Assignment. The Charge Rate (as varied) will apply to any current or future Assignments from the date stated in our notice unless you give us notice of your intention to terminate the Assignment.
- 6.7 Temporary Employees are employed by us and, once on-hired by you, will perform work for you under your control, direction, and supervision. For clarity, we accept no responsibility for supervising any Temporary Employees once they are on-hired by you.
- 6.8 To the extent permitted by law, we accept no liability whatsoever for any act or omission of any Temporary Employee while that



Temporary Employee is under your control, direction, or supervision.

- 6.9 Without limiting clause 6.8, we accept no liability for the quality of work performed by any Temporary Employee, once on-hired by you.
- 6.10 Pursuant to clause 6.8 you must not approach any of the Temporary Employee for the purpose of offering them employment or engagement, either with you or on behalf of any third party.
- 6.11 Clauses 6.5 to 6.10 survive the termination or performance of a contract for services.

# Your Obligations

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### You undertake to:

- (a) conduct your business lawfully at all times;
- (b) maintain at all times all insurances required by law;
- (c) communicate with us clearly and frequently about your requirements of us and the work to be performed for you;
- provide appropriate access to the workplace for us and our Temporary Employees at all reasonable times during the continuance of an Assignment;
- provide us with true and accurate information regarding the requirements of any Assignment, including a description of the Assignment with details of the skills required of a Temporary Employee;
- complying with all relevant obligations with respect to relevant laws, including workplace or occupational health and safety, discrimination and harassment laws;
- (g) provide a workplace specific and job specific induction to be completed before any of our Temporary Employees commence an Assignment with you;
- (h) ensure that our Temporary Employees are familiar with your operations, facilities, policies, and procedures;
- provide a suitable and safe workplace for our Temporary Employees that complies with all applicable work health and safety legislation and standards applicable to your business;
- (j) provide suitable amenities for all Temporary Employees and their possessions;
- (k) promptly inform us of any proposed change to the location of your workplace;
- promptly inform us of any proposed change to the job specification or work activities performed by our Temporary Employees;
- (m) not pay our Temporary Employees directly (including incentive and bonus payments);
- not on-hire or resupply our Temporary Employees to any third party during the continuance of an Assignment;
- provide our Temporary Employees with adequate training, supervision, and direction at all times during the continuance of their Assignment;
- (p) promptly inform our Temporary Employees and us of any unusual workplace risk or practice or of any change in site or safety conditions that may present a hazard to our Temporary Employees;
- (q) properly maintain all plant and equipment (where applicable);
- (r) promptly notify us in writing of any performance issues in relation to our Temporary Employees; and
- (s) as soon as practicable, notify us in writing of:
  - (i) any serious incident, 'near miss', injury, or illness with respect to any of our Temporary Employees; and
  - any event or circumstances that may give rise to a Claim by, against, or involving, any of our Temporary Employees (including any Claim pertaining to bullying, harassment, or discrimination).

#### 8 Timesheets

- 8.1 You must ensure that each of our Temporary Employees complete a timesheet for the hours they have worked in the preceding week (Timesheet).
- 8.2 You must approve each Temporary Employee's Timesheet by Monday at 9.00am (or by such other time nominated by us) using our nominated time tracking software and must appoint an appropriate person to facilitate this.

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- 8.3 You agree to using our nominated time tracking software and your approval of a Timesheet constitutes your acceptance of the hours claimed by the relevant Temporary Employee.
- 8.4 By approving a Timesheet, you warrant and represent to us that the hours stated on each Timesheet in respect of each of our Temporary Employees are correct and were worked by said Temporary Employees.
- 8.5 If you fail to sign a Timesheet, but submit the Timesheet to us, you will be deemed to have accepted the hours claimed on the Timesheet as being correct. A failure to sign a Timesheet does not in any way alter your liability to us.
- 8.6 If you fail to submit a Timesheet to us by the nominated time, we will be entitled to charge you, and you agree to pay to us, the applicable hourly Charge Rate for each hour worked by a Temporary Employee, as advised to us by that Temporary Employee.

## 9 Delivery and risk

- 9.1 Unless otherwise agreed, you are responsible and liable for all reasonable charges and costs associated with delivery, shipping, freight or other transport costs.
- 9.2 We will use reasonable endeavours to deliver the Goods at the time and place agreed for delivery. You will make arrangements necessary to take delivery of the Goods.
- 9.3 You acknowledge and agree that:
  - (a) unless the contract for supply expressly states otherwise, time in respect of delivery is not of the essence; and
  - (b) any timeframe or date for delivery is an estimate only and is not a contractual commitment.
- 9.4 Risk of loss, damage, or deterioration to the Goods passes to you, and delivery is deemed to occur, at the time:
  - (a) you or any third party on your behalf collect the Goods from us;
  - (b) we or our nominated carrier deliver the Goods to the delivery location stated in your Order (or to such other location as agreed in writing); or
  - (c) your nominated carrier takes possession of the Goods.
- 9.5 It is your responsibility to provide suitable, practical, and safe means of access and egress to the place agreed for delivery. If the site is deemed unsuitable or unsafe (at the delivery driver's sole discretion), then the delivery driver may:
  - (a) refuse to deliver the Goods and return the Goods to the point of despatch (in which case an additional delivery fee will apply to any subsequent delivery attempt); or
  - (b) deliver the Goods to the location nearest to the agreed place for delivery where delivery can be safely effected.
- 9.6 You agree to sign our delivery docket or consignment note or that of our nominated carrier as confirmation that you have received the Goods, and if appropriate, certify that you have received the Goods in apparent good order and condition in the quantity or volume you have ordered.
- 9.7 If you authorise us to deliver the Goods to an unattended location or to leave them outside the agreed place for delivery, we may deliver the Goods as requested at your risk.
- 9.8 If delivery or collection of the Goods is deferred:
  - (a) at your request; or
  - (b) due to you being unable or unwilling to accept delivery of the Goods (other than as a result of the Goods delivered not being in accordance with the contract for supply);

in circumstances where:

- (c) we are ready to deliver the Goods and a delivery date has not been agreed; or
- (d) the Goods are due to be delivered or collected on an agreed delivery date,

then you will pay to us:

- reasonable daily storage charges (which will continue to accrue until such time as the Goods are delivered or collected); and
- (f) any costs associated with us or our nominated carrier attempting to re-deliver the Goods (where we or our nominated carrier has previously attempted to deliver the Goods).
- 9.9 You acknowledge and agree that we may deliver the Goods in one or more lots and may invoice you for pro rata progress in respect thereof.



# 10 Manufacturing and lead times

Any lead time stated by us:

- (a) is intended as an estimate only and is not a contractual commitment; and
- (b) is subject to drawing or design approvals (where applicable), materials availability, current capacity, credit application approval, and provision of all necessary information to allow us to proceed with your Order.
- 10.2 Where applicable, you must review and approve our draft drawings or designs in writing prior to us proceeding to manufacture the Goods.
- 10.3 You agree to promptly to answer our queries and to furnish us with any further information we may require to prepare draft drawings or designs. If you fail to promptly answer our queries or furnish us with the information we require, we will be entitled to adjust any estimated lead time accordingly.
- 10.4 We will be under no obligation to proceed to the manufacturing of the Goods where:
  - (a) you have not approved our final drawing or designs; or
  - (b) you have not provided us with any other information we require in order to fulfill your Order.

## 11 Installation

- 11.1 This clause 11 applies where the contract provides we are to install the Goods.
- 11.2 You must ensure that Site amenities required by our Personnel, including water, electricity (i.e. 240 volt), and sanitary accommodation (i.e. serviced toilet facilities) are made available for our Personnel's use (at no cost to us or our Personnel, If you fail to make such amenities available to our Personnel, we will be entitled to invoice you any additional costs we incur in procuring or providing such amenities.
- 11.3 Prior to us installing the Goods, you must:
  - (a) obtain, at your expense, all Approvals relevant to the Site necessary for us to install the Goods;
  - (b) engage a licensed service locator to clearly mark the location of all services above and below ground, including drains, pipes, sewers, mains, and telecommunications and electricity cables;
  - (c) restrict any animals from accessing the Site;
  - (d) cover all swimming pools, spas, ponds, and other bodies of water near the Site;
  - (e) unless the contract states we are responsible for organising and providing such things, organise and provide:
    - (i) all necessary cranage and scaffold; and
    - (ii) any required safety handrails, harness safety points, and/or other safety devices necessary for our Personnel to safely install the Goods;
  - (f) provide us with such information and documentation that we reasonably require to install the Goods; and
  - (g) inform us of any special requirements pertaining to the installation (such as Site-specific policies or safety requirements).
- 11.4 You acknowledge and agree that:

unless the contract expressly states otherwise:

- (a) time in respect of completion of the installation of the Goods is not of the essence; and
- (b) while we will take reasonable endeavours to complete the installation of the Goods by the estimated date for completion, any timeframe or date for completion is an estimate only and is not a contractual commitment;
- (c) all installations carried out outdoors are contingent on suitable weather conditions; and
- (d) we may suspend or cease installing the Goods at any time by advising you if, in our opinion (acting reasonably), we determine the Site to be unsafe.
- 11.5 If commencement or completion of the installation of the Goods is delayed due to any event beyond our reasonable control, such as:
  - (a) materials unavailability;
  - (b) unsuitable weather conditions; or
  - (c) your failure to:

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- (i) select the Goods;
- (ii) have the Site ready for us to install the Goods; or
- (iii) notify us the Site is ready for us to install the Goods,

then you agree we may extend the time for commencement or completion of the installation (as the case may be) by a period of time equal to the delay.

11.6 You must at all reasonable times permit our Personnel to have free, clear, and unrestricted access to the Site to enable us to fulfil our obligations without unreasonable interruption, impediment, delay, or obstruction.

## 12 Payment terms

- 12.1 Unless you have a Credit Facility with us which is not in default:
  - (a) deposits we have requested must be paid before we commence providing Goods and Services;
  - you must pay for all Goods before they are despatched (in cash or cleared funds); and
  - (c) you must pay for all Services on a progressive hourly basis as performed.
- 12.2 Payment must be made by electronic funds transfer only. We reserve the right to change the payment methods that we accept at any time.
- 12.3 We may charge a payment surcharge for applicable payment transactions equal to our reasonable cost of acceptance.
- 12.4 You agree to pay GST on all taxable supplies upon us issuing you a tax invoice relating to the taxable supply.
- 12.5 You agree to pay sums due to us free of any set off or counterclaim and without deduction or withholding.

## 13 Claims

- 13.1 Clauses 13.2 to 13.4 only apply if the contract for supply is not a Consumer Contract and not a Small Business Contract.
- 13.2 You must, within seven (7) days of the date of delivery:
  - give us notice in writing, with particulars, of any Claim that the Goods delivered are not in accordance with the contract for supply (including any Claim for shortfall, incorrect supply, or damage to the Goods); and
  - (b) at our request, provide us with photographic evidence (to our satisfaction) of any alleged damage to the Goods.
- 13.3 You must notify us in writing of any Claim for non-delivery within seven (7) days of the date of the invoice which relates to the Goods the subject of your Claim.
- 13.4 If you fail to notify us in accordance with clause 13.2 and 13.3, then, to the extent permitted by law, the Goods are deemed to have been delivered in good condition and in accordance with the contract for supply.

## 14 Returns

- 14.1 We will accept the return of any Goods if:
  - (a) the Goods supplied do not conform with the contract for supply;
  - (b) the Goods are defective; or
  - (c) we are required by law to accept the return of the Goods.
- 14.2 At our discretion, we may accept the return of Goods if you change your mind if:
  - (a) you agree to:
    - pay the lesser of a handling and administration charge of 20% of the purchase price of the returned Goods or \$200; and
    - (ii) reimburse us for all costs we incur in connection with the return of those Goods (except for Goods we have incorrectly supplied or we agree are defective);
  - (b) the Goods are in substantially the same condition to the condition in which they were delivered; and
  - (c) the Goods were not specifically produced or procured at your request.
- 14.3 You indemnify and release us from any damage that occurs to any Goods in return transit. You should ensure that any returned Goods are insured against such damage.



# 15 Retention of title

- 15.1 Until such time as you have made payment in full (in cash or cleared funds) for any Goods we have supplied:
  - title in the Goods does not pass to you and we retain the legal and equitable title in the Goods;
  - (b) you will hold the Goods as fiduciary and bailee for us and agree to store the Goods in such a manner as to enable them to be readily identifiable as our property;
  - (c) you undertake to not mix the Goods with similar goods;
  - (d) unless and until we notify you to the contrary, you will be entitled to sell the Goods in the ordinary course of your business (provided any such sale is at arm's length and on market terms) and will sell the Goods as our agent and bailee; and
  - (e) you undertake to hold any proceeds derived from the sale of the Goods on trust for us absolutely.
- 15.2 While title in the Goods remains with us, you permit us to enter upon any premises you occupy (or any premises any receiver, receiver and manager, administrator, liquidator, or trustee in bankruptcy of yours occupies) as your invitee to inspect the Goods and, when you are in default of payment of any invoice, to repossess any Goods in your possession, custody, or control.
- 15.3 Where we exercise our right of entry pursuant to clause 15.2, you agree that us doing so will not give rise to any Claim for trespass or similar action against us or our officers, employees, and agents.
- 15.4 Where we have retaken Goods into our possession, we have the right to sell or deal with those Goods, and, if necessary, sell any Goods bearing your name or trade mark, and you hereby grant us an irrevocable licence to do all things necessary to sell those Goods.
- 15.5 For the removal of doubt, our interest under this clause 15 constitutes a purchase money security interest for the purposes of the PPS Act.

## 16 Security interest

- 16.1 You must reimburse us for any costs we incur in registering our interests on the Personal Property Securities Register (including registration fees).
- 16.2 Unless you have obtained our prior written and fully informed consent, you undertake not to:
  - register a financing change statement in respect of a security interest in our favour; or
  - (b) create, or purport to create, any security interest in the Goods (or any proceeds derived from the sale of such Goods), nor register, nor permit to be registered, a financing statement or financing change statement in relation to the Goods in favour of any third party.
- 16.3 You:
  - waive your right to receive a copy of any verification statement in accordance with section 157 of the PPS Act; and
  - (b) agree that, to the extent permitted by the PPS Act:
    - sections 95, 96, 117, 118, 120, 121(4), 123, 125, 126, 128, 129, 130, 132, 134, 135, 142, and 143 of the PPS Act do not apply and are hereby contracted out of; and
    - you waive your right to receive notices under sections 95, 118, 121(4), 127, 130, 132(3)(d), and 132(4) of the PPS Act.
- 16.4 We need not disclose information of the kind detailed in section 275(1) of the PPS Act, unless required by law.
- 16.5 Where we have rights in addition to those under Part 4 of the PPS Act, those rights continue to apply.

# 17 Particular Purpose

If you require any Goods for a particular purpose, you must advise us of that purpose prior to placing your Order and must obtain a written assurance from us that the Goods will meet your requirements. If you do not advise us of your requirements and we do not expressly warrant in writing that the Goods will be fit for your particular purpose, then you agree that you did not rely upon our skill or judgment in relation to the suitability of the Goods for that purpose. **ABN:** 53 132 745 665 **E:** <u>info@apsystems.net.au</u>

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# 18 Customer Material

- 18.1 You warrant and represent to us that all Customer Material:
  - (a) is true, accurate and correct;
    (b) suitable and appropriate to assist us to supply the Goods or Services; and
  - (c) will not infringe the Intellectual Property Rights of any thirdparty.
- 18.2 You grant us a non-exclusive, non-transferrable, royalty free, perpetual, worldwide licence to use all Customer Material for:
  - (a) the purposes of supplying the Goods and Services; and
  - (b) marketing and advertising.

## 19 Confidentiality

You must keep these Terms and Conditions confidential and must not disclose details of them to any third-party without our prior written consent. You agree not to copy or disclose to any thirdparty any drawings, price details, any other technical papers or any documents marked or identified as "confidential" supplied by us under these Terms and Conditions.

## 20 Intellectual Property Rights

- 20.1 All right, title, and interest in the Intellectual Property Rights in and to all Working Documents, and all Goods sold or supplied by us are, and will at all times, remain our property.
- 20.2 All improvements, derivatives and modifications to the Intellectual Property Rights contemplated by clause 20.1 (the Improvements) vest in us immediately on creation. To the extent necessary to give effect to this clause 20, you assign to us all right, title, and interest in the Improvements.
- 20.3 You acknowledge and agree that:
  - you have no rights to use our Intellectual Property Rights under these Terms, except as expressly set out herein, unless otherwise agreed in writing; and
  - (b) you must not modify, copy, clone, or reverse engineer any of our Goods (nor procure or permit any person within your reasonable control to do any of these things).

#### 21 Default

- 21.1 Clauses 21.2 to 21.4 apply if you fail to pay sums to us when they fall due.
- 21.2 We may charge you interest on the outstanding debt (including any judgment debt) at the rate of 10% per annum.
- 21.3 We may suspend or cease the supply of any further Goods or Services to you.
- 21.4 We may require pre-payment in full for any Goods or Services which have not yet been supplied.

## 22 Indemnity

- 22.1 If you default in the performance or observance of your obligations under any contract of which these Terms form part, then:
  - (a) we will take steps to mitigate our loss and act reasonably in relation to any default by you; and
  - (b) we will give you notice requesting payment for loss and damage occasioned in respect of those events and requesting that you remedy any breach within a reasonable time; and
  - (c) if that demand is not met then you indemnify us in respect of loss, damage, costs (including collection costs, bank dishonour fees, and legal costs on an indemnity basis) that we have suffered arising therefrom.
- 22.2 Your liability to indemnify us will be reduced proportionally to the extent that any fraud, negligence, or wilful misconduct by us or a breach of our obligations under contract has contributed to the Claim, loss, damage, or cost which is the subject of the indemnity.
- 22.3 Your liability to indemnify us is a continuing obligation separate and independent from your other obligations and survives the termination or performance of any contract of which these Terms form part.

# 23 Limitation of liability

23.1 No party is liable to the other party for any Consequential Loss, including under clause 22, however caused arising out of or in



connection with any contract for supply of which these Terms form part.

- 23.2 While we will take reasonable endeavours to meet any estimated delivery date or estimated time for Goods and Services, you acknowledge and agree that we are not liable for any delay associated with meeting those estimated timeframes.
- 23.3 If the contract for supply is not a Consumer Contract or a Small Business Contract then, to the extent permitted by law, our liability is limited to:

(a) (in the case of a supply of Goods):

- (i) us repairing or replacing the Goods; or
  - (ii) us paying you the cost of having the Goods repaired or replaced.
- (b) (in the case of a supply of Services):
  - (i) us supplying the Services again; or
  - us paying you the cost of having equivalent Services supplied.

## 24 Workplace Health & Safety

- 24.1 The parties acknowledge and agree that mutual obligations exist in relation to the health and safety Temporary Employees during Assignment and other placements (as the context requires).
- 24.2 We may remove any Temporary Employee from an Assignment if we reasonably determine that the workplace is unsafe or at risk.

# 25 Nature of relationship

- 25.1 We provide our Services as an independent contractor. Nothing in these Terms, or any contract of which these Terms form part, is to be construed as creating a relationship of agency, joint venture, partnership, or other relationship with duties or incidents different from those of parties to an arm's length contract.
- 25.2 For the removal of doubt, no Temporary Employee has any right or authority to:
  - (a) bind us to any agreement;
  - (b) assume or create any obligations for, or on behalf of, us; or
  - (c) make any representation or give any warranty for, or on behalf of, us.

## 26 Termination

A party may, with immediate effect, terminate any contract for supply of which these Terms form part by notice in writing, if the other party:

- (a) commits a material or persistent breach of these Terms and does not remedy that breach (if capable of remedy) within seven (7) days of the receipt of a notice (or such longer time as specified in the notice) identifying the breach and requiring its remedy; or
- (b) has failed to pay sums due to the party within seven (7) days; or
- (c) has indicated that it is, or may become, insolvent; or
- (d) ceases to carry on business; or
- (e) comprises an entity which is the subject of the appointment of receivers or managers; or
- (f) comprises a natural person who:
  - (i) has committed an act of bankruptcy; or
- (ii) has been made bankrupt;
  - comprises a corporation which:
    - (i) enters into voluntary administration;
    - (ii) is subject to a deed of company arrangement; or
    - (iii) is subject to the appointment of liquidators or provisional liquidators.

# 27 Trustees

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- 27.1 If you are the trustee of a trust (whether disclosed to us or not), you warrant to us that:
  - you enter into the contract for supply in both your capacity as trustee and in your personal capacity;
  - (b) you have the right to be reasonably indemnified out of trust assets;
  - (c) you have the power under the trust deed to enter into the

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contract for supply; and

- (d) you will not retire as trustee of the trust nor appoint any new or additional trustee without first notifying us in writing and having the new or additional trustee sign an agreement on terms substantially the same as those governing your Credit Facility (where applicable).
- 27.2 You must give us a true and complete copy of the trust deed upon request.

### 28 Variation

We may amend these Terms in the future by notifying you in writing. The amended Terms will thereafter apply to each Order you place unless you earlier give us written notice in advance of placing a further Order.

#### 29 Assignment

A party may only assign its rights under the contract for supply with the written consent of the other party.

# 30 Subcontracting

You acknowledge that, given the nature of our business and industry, we may be reasonably the right to subcontract:

(a) the supply of any part of the Goods to be supplied; and

(b) the Services to be provided (or any part of those Services), however, any subcontracting will not relieve us of any of our obligations to you.

### 31 Conflicts and Inconsistencies

If there is any conflict or inconsistency between any of the documents which together govern the relationship between the parties, it is agreed the order of precedence will be (highest to lowest):

- (a) any additional terms or conditions contained in our quotation applicable to the supply of Goods or Services;
- (b) any terms governing your Credit Facility; and
- (c) these Terms.

### 32 Severance

If any part or term of our agreement with you (including any Credit Facility) is illegal, invalid, or unenforceable, it will be read down so far as necessary to give it a valid and enforceable operation or, if that is not possible, it will be severed from the contract and the remaining provisions will not be affected, prejudiced, or impaired by such severance.

### 33 Governing law and jurisdiction

- 33.1 Our relationship is governed by and must be construed according to the law applying in the State of Victoria.
- 33.2 The parties irrevocably submit to the non-exclusive jurisdiction of the courts of the State of Victoria with respect to any proceedings that may be brought at any time relating to our relationship.

#### 34 Definitions

In these Terms, unless the context otherwise requires, the following definitions apply.

- 34.1 Assignment means the on-hire placement of one or more of our Temporary Employees to perform work at your premises or anywhere else specified by you and approved by us.
- 34.2 Australian Consumer Law means Schedule 2 to the Competition and Consumer Act 2010 (Cth), as amended.
- 34.3 Claim includes a claim, notice, demand, action, proceeding, litigation, investigation, judgment, or award howsoever arising, whether present, unascertained, immediate, future, or contingent, whether based in contract, tort, pursuant to statute or otherwise and whether involving a third party or a party to a contract for supply.
- 34.4 Consequential Loss includes any:
  - (a) consequential loss;
  - (b) loss of anticipated or actual profits or revenue;
  - (c) loss of production or use;



- (d) financial or holding costs;
- (e) loss or failure to realise any anticipated savings;
- (f) loss or denial of business or commercial opportunity;
- (g) loss of or damage to goodwill, business reputation, future reputation, or publicity;
- (h) loss or corruption of data;
- (i) downtime costs or wasted overheads; or
- (j) special, punitive, or exemplary damages.
- 34.5 **Consumer Contract** has the meaning given to this term in section 23(3) of the Australian Consumer Law.
- 34.6 **Credit Facility** means an account we have opened for you on which we may, from time to time, extend you with additional time to pay for our Goods and Services and associated charges.
- 34.7 **Customer**, **you** means the person or other entity who has placed an Order with us for the supply of Goods or Services (or the person on whose behalf an Order is placed).
- 34.8 **Customer Material** means all information and documentation provided to us by you (or on your behalf) in the course of us supplying the Goods or Services.
- 34.9 **Goods** means all goods supplied by us, as described on our quotation, invoice, or any other form issued by us.
- 34.10 Intellectual Property Rights means all industrial and intellectual property rights throughout the world, whether present or future, and whether protectable by statue, at common law or in equity, including rights in relation to copyright, trade secrets, know how, trade marks (whether registered or unregistered or whether in word or logo/device form), designs, patents and patentable inventions, including the right to apply for registration of any such rights.
- 34.11 Personnel means officers, employees, and agents engaged by each party (but does not include the other party) and, in the case of the Supplier, includes its labour hire personnel and subcontractors (and any employee of those subcontractors).
- 34.12 **Order** means a written or oral order placed by you requesting that we provide Goods or Services.
- 34.13 **PPS Act** means the *Personal Property Securities Act 2009* (Cth), as amended.
- 34.14 **Rate Schedule** means the document entitled 'Rate Schedule' (or a similar title) issued by us to you from time to time.
- 34.15 Remuneration includes hourly, daily or weekly rates of pay and base salary or fees, guaranteed and/or anticipated bonus and commission earnings, allowances, inducement payments, the benefit of a company car and all other payments and taxable (and, where applicable, non-taxable) emoluments payable to or receivable by the Temporary Employee for services rendered to or on your behalf as referred to in the schedule attached to these terms.
- 34.16 Services means all services performed by us (including labour hire services), as described on our quotation, invoice, or any other form issued by us.
- 34.17 Site means the location where the Goods are to be installed.
- 34.18 **Small Business Contract** has the meaning given to this term in section 23(4) of the Australian Consumer Law.
- 34.19 Supplier, we, us means APS Industrial Services Pty Ltd ACN 142 495 207.
- 34.20 **Supply Request** means a written or oral order placed by you requesting that we provide Services.
- 34.21 **Temporary Employee** means one of our employees or independent contractors registered with us for on-hire engagements (including, where the context requires, their employees, agents, and sub-contractors).
- 34.22 Temporary Employee Employment Costs means any expenses or deductions incurred by us directly in relation to our employment of a Temporary Employee and includes:
  - (a) Remuneration;
  - (b) superannuation:
  - (c) sick leave:
  - (d) holiday entitlements;
  - (e) leave loading; and
  - (f) insurance (including public liability and workers compensation).
- 34.23 **Temporary Recruitment** means the Assignment of a Temporary Employee with you.

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34.24 Working Documents means all literary, artistic, and other works, including all physical works, production materials and subject matter created solely or jointly with others, by us in the course of or in relation to any contract in which Intellectual Property Rights may subsist and all drafts, variations, alterations, and adaptations of such works or subject matter (whether currently existing or created in the future).

## 35 Interpretation

In these Terms, unless the context otherwise requires:

- 35.1 A time is a reference to the time zone of Melbourne, Australia unless otherwise specified.
- 35.2 \$, dollar, or AUD is a reference to the lawful currency of Australia.
- 35.3 A party includes a reference to that person's executors, administrators, successors, substitutes (including a person who becomes a party by novation), assigns, and in the case of a trustee, includes any substituted or additional trustee.
- 35.4 A right includes a benefit, remedy, authority, discretion, or power.
- 35.5 The singular includes the plural and vice versa, and a gender includes other genders.
- 35.6 "In writing" or "written" means any expression of information in words, numbers, or other symbols, which can be read, reproduced, and later communicated, and includes electronically transmitted and stored information.
- 35.7 If a word or phrase is given a defined meaning, its other grammatical forms have a corresponding meaning.
- 35.8 Words such as "includes", "including", and "for example" are not words of limitation and are to be construed as though followed by the words "without limitation".
- 35.9 A term of an agreement in favour of two or more persons is for the benefit of them jointly and each of them separately.