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Introduction

Health Care Assistants (HCAs) are front-line care providers who provide personal care assistance and services in a variety of health care settings (acute care hospitals, assisted living, group homes, residential care and community care).

In the province of British Columbia (BC) HCAs are not regulated by legislation or governed by a regulatory body and, therefore, they have no legally defined scope of practice. In order to establish a provincial approach to HCA training, in 2006/07 the Ministry of Health funded the 2007 Care Aide Competency Project. The goal of the project was to identify and formalize the occupational competencies for this key group of health care providers. With the overall aim of improving the standards and delivery of quality care, the 2007 Care Aide Competency Project Framework of Practice for Community Health Workers & Resident Care Attendants (the 2007 Framework) provided a comprehensive picture of the work done by HCAs and identified the competencies required for safety and proficiency in their work (Appendix A). The 2007 Framework also provided the basis for the development of the 2008 HCA Provincial Curriculum that is the current standard for all educational institutions offering the HCA program in BC.

In the absence of a governing regulatory body for HCAs, in 2010, the Ministry of Health created the BC Health Care Aide and Community Health Worker Registry (the Registry). The Registry mandate is: 1) To protect vulnerable patients, clients, and residents; 2) To establish and improve standards of care in the Care Aide and Community Health Worker occupations; and 3) To promote professional development for Care Aides and Community Health Workers and to assist these workers in identifying career opportunities. After an initial grand-parenting phase, the Registry set eligibility requirements for registration. In order to work for a publicly funded employer in BC HCAs are now required to be registered with the Registry. HCAs trained in BC must provide evidence of graduation from a HCA program recognized by the Registry as meeting provincial training standards. Nursing student applicants and those with related health care education from outside of the province must supply proof of training and competency. Moving forward, the Registry will be promoting the professional development for HCAs, supporting their needs for continued learning and growth within the healthcare sector.

As part of the Ministry of Health's policy work, it is responsible for reviewing HCA competencies on a regular basis to ensure that basic competencies are meeting the needs of clients, families and the health care system as a whole. This updated HCA Core Competency Profile document replaces the 2007 Framework and establishes a set of competencies (knowledge, skills, behaviours and attitudes) that HCAs in BC are expected to possess as an outcome of their baseline education. These competencies reflect the minimum standards required to ensure that HCAs provide the public with safe, competent and ethical care. The HCA Core Competency Profile will be used as a guide by the Ministry of Advanced Education to review the 2008 HCA Provincial Education Curriculum to ensure the educational preparation of these workers is current and relevant to the complex and changing healthcare practice settings in which they work.

Additionally, this document will also be an important resource to assist the public, employers, other health care team members and HCAs to facilitate an understanding of the role, expectations and competencies of the HCA in BC.

I. Competency Review Process

The 2014 BC Health Care Assistant Core Competency Profile was developed with the expert advice of the Provincial HCA Core Competency Advisory Committee. Upon the recommendations of key stakeholders the committee was comprised of provincial leaders in the areas of HCA education and health care service delivery from the Ministry of Health, Ministry of Advanced Education, the Registry, HCA Provincial Articulation Committee, Regional Health Authorities and service provider agencies.

The following principles guided the review and development of the 2014 BC HCA Core Competency Profile:

- Core competencies will support entrance to practice in all health care settings;
- > Best practices will be reflected in the core competencies;
- > Recognition of an interdisciplinary approach and health care team collaboration;
- > Consideration for:
 - Acute care settings
 - Integration of Aboriginal health
 - Safe feeding techniques
 - Client communication/conflict resolution abilities
 - Recognition of elder abuse
 - Diverse Populations dementia, mental health and palliative clients.

Key steps in the process utilized to develop the 2014 BC HCA Core Competency Profile were as follows:

- The 2007 Care Aide Competency Project Framework of Practice for Community Health Workers & Resident Care Attendants (Appendix A) was utilized as the foundation upon which the HCA Core Competency Profile was developed. The five "Key Functions" and nine "Knowledge, Skills and Specifications" in the 2007 Framework were consolidated to create six core competency themes of the HCA Core Competency Profile.
- 2. A review of provincial and national documents related to HCA core competencies, HCA educational standards and cultural educational competencies and standards was conducted to serve as a benchmark for comparison and inclusion (Appendix B).
- 3. The 2014 *BC HCA Core Competency Profile* was developed and endorsed by the Provincial HCA Core Competency Advisory Committee over the course of three facilitated teleconference meetings and through consultations with key individuals.

II. The Role of the Health Care Assistant

HCAs are prepared to work in a variety of acute care, residential, home and community settings (e.g. independent, supportive care, assisted living, group home options, hospice/palliative care). They are important and valued members of the health care team. HCAs promote and maintain the health, safety, independence, comfort and well-being of individuals and families. HCAs provide personal care assistance and services in a caring manner that recognizes and supports the unique needs, abilities and backgrounds of clients and their families. They work as members of a health care team in a variety of settings with direction and supervision from regulated health care professionals. ¹

The work done by HCAs is based on a set of fundamental values, beliefs and ethical principles that are consistently reflected in all aspects of their work with clients, families, team members and others. Amongst these core values, beliefs and principles, which serve as foundations of HCA practice, are those related to:

- Human Beings
- Older Adults
- > Health and Healing
- > Healthcare
- > Caring and Caregiving
- > The Family in Health and Healing²

In their daily practice HCAs perform the following functions:

- > Use a problem solving approach to provide assistance and support that promotes the physical, emotional/psychological, social and spiritual health and well-being of clients and families;
- > Communicate effectively with clients, families and other team members;
- > Contribute to promoting and maintaining a safe and healthy environment for self, clients, residents and their families;
- > Perform their job in an ethical, responsible and accountable manner, maintaining competent practice, and
- > Support the dignity, uniqueness and fair treatment of clients their families and others.3

¹ Care Aide Competency Project Framework of Practice (2007). Ministry of Health, Government of British Columbia, p. 13

² Health Care Assistant Program Provincial Curriculum (2008). Ministry of Advanced Education and Labour Market Development, Government of British Columbia, p.4.

³ Core Aide Competency Project Framework of Practice (2007). Ministry of Health, Government of British Columbia, p.16.

III. The Core Competency Profile

The HCA Core Competency Profile has been arranged into six separate categories:

- 1. Health and Caring
- 2. Plan of Care
- 3. Communication
- 4. Interdisciplinary Team Care
- 5. Safety
- 6. Responsibility, Accountability and Ethical Behaviour

These categories are further broken down into subcategories to reflect all the competencies required of the HCA at entry into practice in all health care settings (acute care, community, assisted living and residential care). The Core Competency Profile lists the competencies that the new HCA entering into practice must demonstrate knowledge and understanding of in order to become registered to practice in a publicly funded health care facility or program within BC. The Core Competency Profile does not list specific tasks or procedures as these can quickly become out-dated as a result of health care system changes.

1.0 Competency: Health and Caring

An essential practice requirement for HCAs is to promote and maintain health in a caring manner. One of the primary functions is to provide care and support that promotes the physical, emotional/psychological, cultural, social and spiritual well-being of clients and their families. The competency requires an HCA to:

- 1.1 Demonstrates compassionate culturally safe, relationship centred care with the client and their family.
- 1.2 Recognizes and respects the uniqueness, diversity, rights, and concerns of the client and their family.
- 1.3 Recognizes and responds to the client's specific needs.
- 1.4 Demonstrates the ability to observe and report within the parameters of their work.
- 1.5 Organizes and uses time efficiently.
- 1.6 Recognizes the effect of illness, behaviour, stress and disability on clients and family relationships.
- 1.7 Uses knowledge of the basic principles of growth and development, communication, and psychosocial dimensions of human behaviour to provide safe and competent care.
- 1.8 Uses knowledge of the aging process and related health and chronic conditions to provide safe competent care.
- 1.9 Provides individualized age appropriate client-centered care, with a focus on physical, psychological, social, emotional cognitive, cultural and spiritual support in a variety of practice settings.
- Demonstrates an understanding of how the HCAs practice affects the overall quality of care provided to clients in the assigned work setting.

2.0 Competency: Plan of Care

An essential practice requirement for HCAs is the provision of care in a manner that recognizes and supports the unique needs, abilities and backgrounds of clients. Care activities are directed to supporting, promoting and maintaining the health, safety, independence, comfort and well-being of clients in all care settings. The competency requires an HCA to:

- 2.1 Demonstrates an ability to plan and implement care based on the client's health status; physical, emotional, social and spiritual well-being; and to take action in collaboration with the health care team.
- 2.2 Assists the client and their family to be involved in care activities and self-care activities as appropriate.
- 2.3 Understands and demonstrates the principles of client-centered care and promoting independence.
- 2.4 Reports any observed improvements and difficulties with response to care to healthcare professionals.
- 2.5 Provides individualized client-centered care to support the client's requirements for activities of daily living to be met (e.g. hygiene, oral care, nutrition, rest, and mobilization).
- 2.6 In accordance with the plan of care assists with specific tasks related to medication administration as delegated by a nurse.
- 2.7 Demonstrates an ability to provide basic palliative care:
 - 2.7.1 Demonstrates an understanding of the beliefs, values, legal and ethical issues related to caring for the dying person.
 - 2.7.2 Demonstrates sensitivity and understanding of different spiritual and cultural responses to death, dying and the afterlife.
- 2.8 Demonstrates an ability to care for individuals with cognitive and or mental health challenges including dementia and delirium:
 - 2.8.1 Demonstrates knowledge of the effect of the environment on individuals with cognitive and mental health challenges.
- 2.9 Appreciates the potential value of traditional medicines and alternate forms of healing to the client and their family.
- 2.10 Demonstrates the ability to provide individualized client-centered care for the clients experiencing cognitive and/or mental health challenges, and/or responsive behaviours.
- 2.11 Implements special procedures and protocols as directed, to meet unique requirements related to specific client conditions.

3.0 Competency: Communication Skills

An essential practice requirement for HCAs is the ability to communicate effectively with clients, families and other team members. As front-line workers, it is critical that HCAs are able to develop and maintain effective caring relationships with clients and families. The competency requires an HCA to:

- 3.1 Communicates effectively and in a culturally safe manner with the client, family, and the health care team.
- 3.2 Demonstrates proficiency in verbal, nonverbal, and written skills and the use of the English language through a variety of communication methods:
 - a. Written documentation Electronic/paper client chart and emails.
 - b. Verbal communication Telephone and in-person communication, etc.
- 3.3 Demonstrates the ability to use current computer technology in accordance with workplace standards.
- 3.4 Demonstrates the ability to record and document to ensure an accurate and clear record of care provided.
- 3.5 Demonstrates appropriate use of health care terminology and abbreviations.
- 3.6 Demonstrates knowledge and understanding on how to communicate effectively with the client with cognitive and mental health challenges.
 - 3.61 Recognizes triggers early and responds appropriately to deescalate the situation.
- 3.7 Appropriately communicates information about the client's needs while respecting confidentiality and legally regulated requirements (e.g. pursuant to Privacy and Person Planning Legislation, Freedom of Information and Protection of Privacy Act and Restraining Orders).
- 3.8 Utilizes active listening to communicate respectfully and compassionately with the client, family, and health care team member(s).

4.0 Competency: Interdisciplinary Team Care

An essential practice requirement of the HCAs practice is the ability to work collaboratively with all members of the health care team to reach a common goal in the provision of safe, competent and ethical care to clients and their families. The competency requires an HCA to:

- 4.1 Works collaboratively with other health care team members to ensure appropriate care to clients.
- 4.2 Demonstrates the ability to communicate changes in the client's health status promptly and as required at team meetings and conferences.
- 4.3 Follows up with appropriate member(s) of the team to ensure reported needs have been acted upon.
- 4.4 Recognizes when to ask for help and seek clarification when a situation changes or directions are not clear.
- 4.5 Recognizes and demonstrates an understanding of the role of the health care team and role of the HCA within the team.
- 4.6 Articulates and maintains values and best practices as it relates to the client.
- 4.7 Understands when to seek help from other members of the health care team when care demands exceed scope of personal competence.
- 4.8 Recognizes and respects the diversity within the health care team.
- 4.9 Participates in the discussions regarding the client, contributing relevant observations and information.
- 4.10 Uses appropriate strategies in providing and receiving feedback within the health care team.

5.0 Competency: Safety

An essential practice requirement for HCAs relates to providing care and services that promote and maintain the safety and well-being of clients and families in addition to attention to personal safety and job stressors. The competency requires an HCA to:

- 5.1 Promotes and recognizes safety risks and implements appropriate safety measures.
- 5.2 Adheres to health and safety standards.
- 5.3 Demonstrates correct use of body mechanics at all times.
- 5.4 Demonstrates the ability to operate equipment safely.
- 5.5 Responds appropriately to client behaviors to prevent injury to client, self and others.
- Recognizes the importance and demonstrates the ability to care for themselves using health and wellness strategies and musculoskeletal skeletal injury prevention.
- 5.7 Recognizes and responds quickly and appropriately to emergency situations.
- 5.8 Recognizes, prevents and responds to potential or suspected abuse, neglect and selfneglect.
- 5.9 Recognizes and responds to potential risks such as falls, suicide, and choking.
- 5.10 Demonstrates effective infection control practices.
- 5.11 Implements preventative measures to mitigate harm to self and others (falls, safe feeding, safe mobilization, etc.)

6.0 Competency: Responsibility, Accountability and Ethical Behaviour

An essential practice requirement for HCAs is to perform their job in an ethical, responsible and accountable manner. Since HCAs are neither licensed nor monitored by a regulatory body they do not have a legally defined scope of practice. It is imperative, therefore, that HCAs have a thorough understanding of the expectations and parameters of their job roles. The competency requires an HCA to:

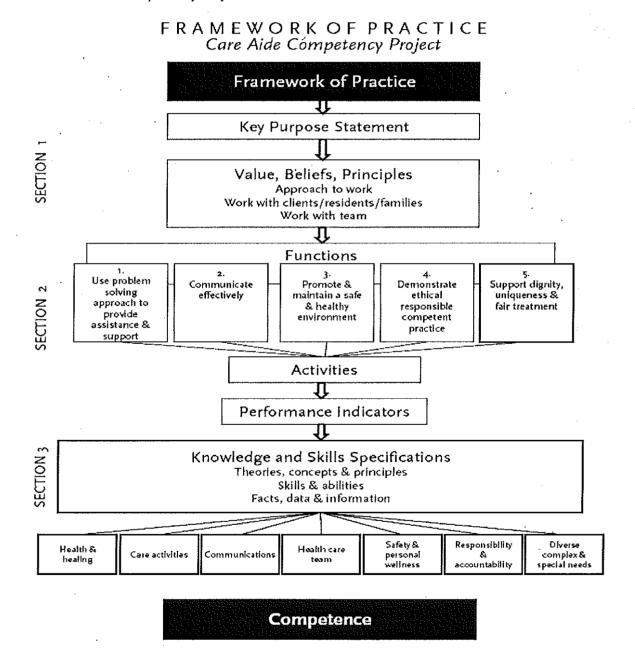
- 6.1 Understands own values and attitudes and their effect on client's rights to establish successful client-caregiver relationships.
- 6.2 Understands and applies principles and guidelines to respect the rights of clients (e.g. privacy, confidentiality and legislation).
- 6.3 Demonstrates an understanding of the ethical standards and legal requirement, expected in the provision of care.
- 6.4 Takes responsibility for their own performance and actions.
- 6.5 Demonstrates the ability to self-evaluate on the basis of "best practices" and make improvements in own practice as needed.
- 6.6 Incorporates new knowledge into client care and shares knowledge with others.
- 6.7 Understands the need for and values continued learning.
- 6.8 Demonstrates an awareness of and maintains appropriate boundaries in providerclient and provider-family relationships.
- 6.9 Educates others about the roles and contributions of HCA.
- 6.10 Recognizes current abilities and seeks guidance as appropriate.
- 6.11 Demonstrates the ability to evaluate the effectiveness of own actions.

IV Next Steps

The 2014 BC Health Care Assistant Core Competency Profile clearly outlines the entry level core competencies required for HCAs to begin practice within BC. The HCA Core Competency Profile reflects the changing environments in which HCAs are now practicing within BC and supports the integration of HCAs as integral members of the health care team in all health care settings. The HCA Competency Profile will be utilized by the Ministry of Advanced Education to guide the review of the 2008 Provincial HCA Curriculum to ensure that the educational preparation of HCAs is current, relevant and meets the changing needs of clients, their families and the health care system within BC. This document will also serve the public, employers and other health care team members including HCAs themselves in developing their understanding and appreciation of the role and competencies of the HCA.

Appendix A - The 2007 Framework

As HCA's do not have a legally defined scope of practice, the 2007 Care Aide Framework of Practice, provided below, was developed to identify the basic occupational competencies and standards for HCA's to practice in BC. The 2007 Framework provides a comprehensive picture of the work done by HCAs and identifies the functions and skills required for safe, proficient performance of the job role. The 2007 Framework describes what HCA's do, how they do it, and why. The 2007 Framework was used as the basis for the development of the 2008 HCA provincial curriculum and subsequently the 2014 BC HCA Core Competency Profile.



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List of Relevant Provincial and National Competency Documents and Frameworks

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Scope of Practice of the Continuing Care Assistant (CCA) in Nova Scotia, April 2009.

The British Columbia Competency Framework for Inter-professional Collaboration. College of Health Disciplines and BC Inter-professional Network, 2008.

Appendix C - Glossary of Terms

Abuse:

The deliberate mistreatment of an adult that causes the adult (a) physical, mental or emotional harm, or (b) damage to or loss of assets, and includes intimidation, humiliation, physical assault, sexual assault, overmedication, withholding needed medication, censoring mail, invasion or denial of privacy or denial of access to visitors. ⁴ (Abuse of children is defined under child abuse).

Age Appropriate Care:

All individuals with client contact have the education and training related to the characteristics and needs of the age groups they come in contact with and are able to respond to age specific health care issues. Care is tailored to a client's physical and mental attributes and capacities, which are based in part on a clients' age and their stage of psychosocial development.

Client:

An individual or group of individuals who require personal care and support services from HCAs. In some clinical settings, the client may be referred to as a patient or a resident. Where this term is used, it should be taken to mean anyone receiving care.

Client-Centred Care:

Involves advocacy, empowerment, and respecting the clients' autonomy, voice, values, selfdetermination and participation in decision making.

Collaboration:

Is a process that requires relationships and interactions between health providers regardless of whether they are members of a formalized team or a less formal group of health professionals working together to provide comprehensive and continuous goal oriented care to a client.⁵

Competencies:

The specific knowledge, understandings, skills, values and judgments used by HCA in order to provide safe, proficient care for individuals in a variety of institutional and community settings.⁶

Conflict Resolution:

Various ways in which individuals or institutions address conflict (e.g., interpersonal, work) in order to move toward positive change and growth. Effective conflict resolution requires critical reflection, diplomacy, and respect for diverse perspectives, interests, skills, and abilities.⁷

Core Competencies:

The minimal competency requirements for HCAs which are common to all service settings in the health system in BC including: (i) acute care and (ii) Home and Community Care (home care, assisted living, group home, hospice and residential care).

Cultural Safety:

Sensitivity to culture and cultural differences, including recognition of the importance of respecting differences. It is also important to understand that power differentials, which are part of providing care, impact on cultural safety.⁸

Diversity:

Based on the understanding that each individual is unique, the concept of diversity encompasses acceptance and respect. These differences include culture, race, ethnicity, gender, sexual orientation, socioeconomic status, age, physical abilities, religious beliefs, political beliefs and ideology. ⁹

⁴ Model Core Program Paper: Prevention of Violence, Abuse & Neglect(2010) http://www.health.gov.bc.ca/public-health/core-programs/disease-prevention/violence-abuse-neglect/model-core-review.html

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Family:

The family members and significant others in the life of the client. It is a broadly defined term to include families of origin, families of choice and persons of representation.

Health Care Assistants:

In BC, the term HCAs is used to describe a variety of workers including, but not limited to, the following job titles: Community Health Workers, Resident Care Attendants, Care Aides, Home Support Workers, Nurse Aides, and Personal Support Workers. HCAs are unregulated health care providers who are not part of a regulated health profession. HCAs may deliver some basic elements of care such as personal hygiene, dressing, and feeding and medication assistance under the guidance or a regulated health care professional.

Health Care Team:

Individuals who by working together provide health, personal and supportive care to clients. The team may consist of, but is not limited to, different configurations of the client, regulated health professionals and other professionals, unregulated care providers and/or other caregivers including the client's family. Within the team the client remains its center and client-directed care its focus. ¹⁰

Individualized Client-Centered Care:

Individualized client-centred care is a philosophy of care that puts the needs, interests, and lifestyle choices of individuals at the center of care. It provides for individuals to exercise control and autonomy over their own lives to the fullest extent possible.

Interdisciplinary Team:

A group of health care providers from diverse fields, who collaborate and work together toward a common goal for the client. The team is distinguished by an overlapping of professional

¹⁰ Canadian Education Standards for Personal are Workers, Environmental Scan. Promoting Mobility and Recognition: National Educational Standards for Personal Care Providers. (2012). Health roles, formal and informal communication and shared problem solving to meet patient needs. 11

Palliative Care:

An approach that improves the quality of life of clients and their families facing the problems associated with life-threatening illness, through the prevention and relief of suffering by means of early identification and impeccable assessment, and treatment of pain and other problems (e.g., physical, psychosocial and spiritual).

Responsive Behaviour:

Responsive behaviour has been described in the research as: 1) verbally non aggressive (verbal complaints, constant requests for attention) 2) verbally aggressive (cursing, sexual content) 3) Physically non aggressive (pacing, undressing, handling objects), and 4) physically aggressive (spitting, hitting throwing objects, physical sexual advances and hurting self or others). 12

Safety:

Freedom from the occurrence or risk of injury, danger, or loss. 13

Scope of Practice:

Roles, functions, and accountabilities for which individuals are educated and authorized to perform as well as the limitations under which these services are provided. For members of a regulated profession (e.g. RN, LPN) these roles, functions, accountabilities and limitations are also defined by legislation.

Spirituality:

Values, beliefs, practices and concerns about the meaning and purpose in life, including religion.

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THIS AGREEMENT is dated for reference the 18th day of October, 2013.

BETWEEN:

<u>EagleVision Consulting Ltd.</u> (the "Contractor") with the following specified address and fax number: s.22

AND:

HER MAJESTY THE QUEEN IN RIGHT OF THE PROVINCE OF BRITISH COLUMBIA, as represented by the Minister of Health (the "Province") with the following specified address and fax number: Health Human Resources Planning 2-1 - 1515 Blanshard Street Victoria, BC V8W 3C8
Fax number: 250-952-0989

The Province wishes to retain the Contractor to provide the services specified in Schedule A and, in consideration for the remuneration set out in Schedule B, the Contractor has agreed to provide those services, on the terms and conditions set out in this Agreement.

As a result, the Province and the Contractor agree as follows:

1 DEFINITIONS

General

- 1.1 In this Agreement, unless the context otherwise requires:
 - (a) "Business Day" means a day, other than a Saturday or Sunday, on which Provincial government offices are open for normal business in British Columbia;
 - (b) "Incorporated Material" means any material in existence prior to the start of the Term or developed independently of this Agreement, and that is incorporated or embedded in the Produced Material by the Contractor or a Subcontractor;
 - (c) "Material" means the Produced Material and the Received Material;
 - (d) "Produced Material" means records, software and other material, whether complete or not, that, as a result of this Agreement, are produced by the Contractor or a Subcontractor and includes the Incorporated Material;
 - (e) "Received Material" means records, software and other material, whether complete or not, that, as a result of this Agreement, are received by the Contractor or a Subcontractor from the Province or any other person;
 - (f) "Services" means the services described in Part 2 of Schedule A;
 - (g) "Subcontractor" means a person described in paragraph (a) or (b) of section 13.4; and
 - (h) "Term" means the term of the Agreement described in Part 1 of Schedule A subject to that term ending earlier in accordance with this Agreement.

Meaning of "record"

1.2 The definition of "record" in the *Interpretation Act* is incorporated into this Agreement and "records" will bear a corresponding meaning.

2 SERVICES

Provision of services

2.1 The Contractor must provide the Services in accordance with this Agreement.

Term

2.2 Regardless of the date of execution or delivery of this Agreement, the Contractor must provide the Services during the Term.

Supply of various items

2.3 Unless the parties otherwise agree in writing, the Contractor must supply and pay for all labour, materials, equipment, tools, facilities, approvals and licenses necessary or advisable to perform the Contractor's obligations under this Agreement, including the license under section 6.4.

Standard of care

2.4 Unless otherwise specified in this Agreement, the Contractor must perform the Services to a standard of care, skill and diligence maintained by persons providing, on a commercial basis, services similar to the Services.

Standards in relation to persons performing Services

2.5 The Contractor must ensure that all persons employed or retained to perform the Services are qualified and competent to perform them and are properly trained, instructed and supervised.

Instructions by Province

2.6 The Province may from time to time give the Contractor reasonable instructions (in writing or otherwise) as to the performance of the Services. The Contractor must comply with those instructions but, unless otherwise specified in this Agreement, the Contractor may determine the manner in which the instructions are carried out.

Confirmation of non-written instructions

2.7 If the Province provides an instruction under section 2.6 other than in writing, the Contractor may request that the instruction be confirmed by the Province in writing, which request the Province must comply with as soon as it is reasonably practicable to do so.

Effectiveness of non-written instructions

2.8 Requesting written confirmation of an instruction under section 2.7 does not relieve the Contractor from complying with the instruction at the time the instruction was given.

Applicable laws

2.9 In the performance of the Contractor's obligations under this Agreement, the Contractor must comply with all applicable laws.

3 PAYMENT

Fees and expenses

- 3.1 If the Contractor complies with this Agreement, then the Province must pay to the Contractor at the times and on the conditions set out in Schedule B:
 - (a) the fees described in that Schedule;
 - (b) the expenses, if any, described in that Schedule if they are supported, where applicable, by proper receipts and, in the Province's opinion, are necessarily incurred by the Contractor in providing the Services; and

(c) any applicable taxes payable by the Province under law or agreement with the relevant taxation authorities on the fees and expenses described in paragraphs (a) and (b).

The Province is not obliged to pay to the Contractor more than the "Maximum Amount" specified in Schedule B on account of fees and expenses.

Statements of accounts

3.2 In order to obtain payment of any fees and expenses under this Agreement, the Contractor must submit to the Province a written statement of account in a form satisfactory to the Province upon completion of the Services or at other times described in Schedule B.

Withholding of amounts

3.3 Without limiting section 9.1, the Province may withhold from any payment due to the Contractor an amount sufficient to indemnify, in whole or in part, the Province and its employees and agents against any liens or other third-party claims that have arisen or could arise in connection with the provision of the Services. An amount withheld under this section must be promptly paid by the Province to the Contractor upon the basis for withholding the amount having been fully resolved to the satisfaction of the Province.

Appropriation

3.4 The Province's obligation to pay money to the Contractor is subject to the *Financial Administration Act*, which makes that obligation subject to an appropriation being available in the fiscal year of the Province during which payment becomes due.

Currency

3.5 Unless otherwise specified in this Agreement, all references to money are to Canadian dollars.

Non-resident income tax

3.6 If the Contractor is not a resident in Canada, the Contractor acknowledges that the Province may be required by law to withhold income tax from the fees described in Schedule B and then to remit that tax to the Receiver General of Canada on the Contractor's behalf.

Prohibition against committing money

3.7 Without limiting section 13.10(a), the Contractor must not in relation to performing the Contractor's obligations under this Agreement commit or purport to commit the Province to pay any money except as may be expressly provided for in this Agreement.

Refunds of taxes

3.8 The Contractor must:

- (a) apply for, and use reasonable efforts to obtain, any available refund, credit, rebate or remission of federal, provincial or other tax or duty imposed on the Contractor as a result of this Agreement that the Province has paid or reimbursed to the Contractor or agreed to pay or reimburse to the Contractor under this Agreement; and
- (b) immediately on receiving, or being credited with, any amount applied for under paragraph (a), remit that amount to the Province.

4 REPRESENTATIONS AND WARRANTIES

- 4.1 As at the date this Agreement is executed and delivered by, or on behalf of, the parties, the Contractor represents and warrants to the Province as follows:
 - (a) except to the extent the Contractor has previously disclosed otherwise in writing to the Province,
 - (i) all information, statements, documents and reports furnished or submitted by the Contractor to the Province in connection with this Agreement (including as part of any competitive process resulting in this Agreement being entered into) are in all material respects true and correct,
 - (ii) the Contractor has sufficient trained staff, facilities, materials, appropriate equipment and approved subcontractual agreements in place and available to enable the Contractor to fully perform the Services, and
 - (iii) the Contractor holds all permits, licenses, approvals and statutory authorities issued by any government or government agency that are necessary for the performance of the Contractor's obligations under this Agreement; and
 - (b) if the Contractor is not an individual,
 - (i) the Contractor has the power and capacity to enter into this Agreement and to observe, perform and comply with the terms of this Agreement and all necessary corporate or other proceedings have been taken and done to authorize the execution and delivery of this Agreement by, or on behalf of, the Contractor, and
 - (ii) this Agreement has been legally and properly executed by, or on behalf of, the Contractor and is legally binding upon and enforceable against the Contractor in accordance with its terms except as enforcement may be limited by bankruptcy, insolvency or other laws affecting the rights of creditors generally and except that equitable remedies may be granted only in the discretion of a court of competent jurisdiction.

5 PRIVACY, SECURITY AND CONFIDENTIALITY

Privacy

5.1 The Contractor must comply with the Privacy Protection Schedule attached as Schedule E.

Security

- 5.2 The Contractor must:
 - (a) make reasonable security arrangements to protect the Material from unauthorized access, collection, use, disclosure, alteration or disposal; and
 - (b) comply with the Security Schedule attached as Schedule G.

Confidentiality

- 5.3 The Contractor must treat as confidential all information in the Material and all other information accessed or obtained by the Contractor or a Subcontractor (whether verbally, electronically or otherwise) as a result of this Agreement, and not permit its disclosure or use without the Province's prior written consent except:
 - (a) as required to perform the Contractor's obligations under this Agreement or to comply with applicable laws;
 - (b) if it is information that is generally known to the public other than as result of a breach of this Agreement; or
 - (c) if it is information in any Incorporated Material.

Public announcements

5.4 Any public announcement relating to this Agreement will be arranged by the Province and, if such consultation is reasonably practicable, after consultation with the Contractor.

Restrictions on promotion

5.5 The Contractor must not, without the prior written approval of the Province, refer for promotional purposes to the Province being a customer of the Contractor or the Province having entered into this Agreement.

6 MATERIAL AND INTELLECTUAL PROPERTY

Access to Material

6.1 If the Contractor receives a request for access to any of the Material from a person other than the Province, and this Agreement does not require or authorize the Contractor to provide that access, the Contractor must promptly advise the person to make the request to the Province.

Ownership and delivery of Material

The Province exclusively owns all property rights in the Material which are not intellectual property rights. The Contractor must deliver any Material to the Province immediately upon the Province's request.

Matters respecting intellectual property

- 6.3 The Province exclusively owns all intellectual property rights, including copyright, in:
 - (a) Received Material that the Contractor receives from the Province; and
 - (b) Produced Material, other than any Incorporated Material.

Upon the Province's request, the Contractor must deliver to the Province documents satisfactory to the Province that irrevocably waive in the Province's favour any moral rights which the Contractor (or employees of the Contractor) or a Subcontractor (or employees of a Subcontractor) may have in the Produced Material and that confirm the vesting in the Province of the copyright in the Produced Material, other than any Incorporated Material.

Rights in relation to Incorporated Material

- 6.4 Upon any Incorporated Material being embedded or incorporated in the Produced Material and to the extent that it remains so embedded or incorporated, the Contractor grants to the Province:
 - (a) a non-exclusive, perpetual, irrevocable, royalty-free, worldwide license to use, reproduce, modify and distribute that Incorporated Material; and
 - (b) the right to sublicense to third-parties the right to use, reproduce, modify and distribute that Incorporated Material.

7 RECORDS AND REPORTS

Work reporting

7.1 Upon the Province's request, the Contractor must fully inform the Province of all work done by the Contractor or a Subcontractor in connection with providing the Services.

Time and expense records

7.2 If Schedule B provides for the Contractor to be paid fees at a daily or hourly rate or for the Contractor to be paid or reimbursed for expenses, the Contractor must maintain time records and books of account, invoices, receipts and vouchers of expenses in support of those payments, in form and content satisfactory to the Province. Unless otherwise specified in this Agreement, the Contractor must retain such documents for a period of not less than seven years after this Agreement ends.

8 AUDIT

8.1 In addition to any other rights of inspection the Province may have under statute or otherwise, the Province may at any reasonable time and on reasonable notice to the Contractor, enter on the Contractor's premises to inspect and, at the Province's discretion, copy any of the Material and the Contractor must permit, and provide reasonable assistance to, the exercise by the Province of the Province's rights under this section.

9 INDEMNITY AND INSURANCE

Indemnity

9.1 The Contractor must indemnify and save harmless the Province and the Province's employees and agents from any losses, claims, damages, actions, causes of action, costs and expenses that the Province or any of the Province's employees or agents may sustain, incur, suffer or be put to at any time, either before or after this Agreement ends, including any claim of infringement of third-party intellectual property rights, where the same or any of them are based upon, arise out of or occur, directly or indirectly, by reason of any act or omission by the Contractor or by any of the Contractor's agents, employees, officers, directors or Subcontractors in connection with this Agreement, excepting always liability arising out of the independent acts or omissions of the Province and the Province's employees and agents.

Insurance

9.2 The Contractor must comply with the Insurance Schedule attached as Schedule D.

Workers compensation

9.3 Without limiting the generality of section 2.9, the Contractor must comply with, and must ensure that any Subcontractors comply with, all applicable occupational health and safety laws in relation to the performance of the Contractor's obligations under this Agreement, including the *Workers Compensation Act* in British Columbia or similar laws in other jurisdictions.

Personal optional protection

- 9.4 The Contractor must apply for and maintain personal optional protection insurance (consisting of income replacement and medical care coverage) during the Term at the Contractor's expense if:
 - (a) the Contractor is an individual or a partnership of individuals and does not have the benefit of mandatory workers compensation coverage under the *Workers Compensation Act* or similar laws in other jurisdictions; and
 - (b) such personal optional protection insurance is available for the Contractor from WorkSafeBC or other sources.

Evidence of coverage

Within 10 Business Days of being requested to do so by the Province, the Contractor must provide the Province with evidence of the Contractor's compliance with sections 9.3 and 9.4.

10 FORCE MAJEURE

Definitions relating to force majeure

- 10.1 In this section and sections 10.2 and 10.3:
 - (a) "Event of Force Majeure" means one of the following events:
 - (i) a natural disaster, fire, flood, storm, epidemic or power failure,
 - (ii) a war (declared and undeclared), insurrection or act of terrorism or piracy,
 - (iii) a strike (including illegal work stoppage or slowdown) or lockout, or
 - (iv) a freight embargo

if the event prevents a party from performing the party's obligations in accordance with this Agreement and is beyond the reasonable control of that party; and

(b) "Affected Party" means a party prevented from performing the party's obligations in accordance with this Agreement by an Event of Force Majeure.

Consequence of Event of Force Majeure

An Affected Party is not liable to the other party for any failure or delay in the performance of the Affected Party's obligations under this Agreement resulting from an Event of Force Majeure and any time periods for the performance of such obligations are automatically extended for the duration of the Event of Force Majeure provided that the Affected Party complies with the requirements of section 10.3.

Duties of Affected Party

10.3 An Affected Party must promptly notify the other party in writing upon the occurrence of the Event of Force Majeure and make all reasonable efforts to prevent, control or limit the effect of the Event of Force Majeure so as to resume compliance with the Affected Party's obligations under this Agreement as soon as possible.

11 DEFAULT AND TERMINATION

Definitions relating to default and termination

- 11.1 In this section and sections 11.2 to 11.4:
 - (a) "Event of Default" means any of the following:
 - (i) an Insolvency Event,
 - (ii) the Contractor fails to perform any of the Contractor's obligations under this Agreement,
 - (iii) any representation or warranty made by the Contractor in this Agreement is untrue or incorrect; and
 - (b) "Insolvency Event" means any of the following:
 - (i) an order is made, a resolution is passed or a petition is filed, for the Contractor's liquidation or winding up,
 - (ii) the Contractor commits an act of bankruptcy, makes an assignment for the benefit of the Contractor's creditors or otherwise acknowledges the Contractor's insolvency,
 - (iii) a bankruptcy petition is filed or presented against the Contractor or a proposal under the *Bankruptcy and Insolvency Act* (Canada) is made by the Contractor,
 - (iv) a compromise or arrangement is proposed in respect of the Contractor under the Companies' Creditors Arrangement Act (Canada),
 - (v) a receiver or receiver-manager is appointed for any of the Contractor's property, or

(vi) the Contractor ceases, in the Province's reasonable opinion, to carry on business as a going concern.

Province's options on default

- 11.2 On the happening of an Event of Default, or at any time thereafter, the Province may, at its option, elect to do any one or more of the following:
 - (a) by written notice to the Contractor, require that the Event of Default be remedied within a time period specified in the notice;
 - (b) pursue any remedy or take any other action available to it at law or in equity; or
 - (c) by written notice to the Contractor, terminate this Agreement with immediate effect or on a future date specified in the notice, subject to the expiration of any time period specified under section 11.2(a).

Delay not a waiver

11.3 No failure or delay on the part of the Province to exercise its rights in relation to an Event of Default will constitute a waiver by the Province of such rights.

Province's right to terminate other than for default

11.4 In addition to the Province's right to terminate this Agreement under section 11.2(c) on the happening of an Event of Default, the Province may terminate this Agreement for any reason by giving at least 10 days' written notice of termination to the Contractor.

Payment consequences of termination

- •11.5 Unless Schedule B otherwise provides, if the Province terminates this Agreement under section 11.4:
 - (a) the Province must, within 30 days of such termination, pay to the Contractor any unpaid portion of the fees and expenses described in Schedule B which corresponds with the portion of the Services that was completed to the Province's satisfaction before termination of this Agreement; and
 - (b) the Contractor must, within 30 days of such termination, repay to the Province any paid portion of the fees and expenses described in Schedule B which corresponds with the portion of the Services that the Province has notified the Contractor in writing was not completed to the Province's satisfaction before termination of this Agreement.

Discharge of liability

11.6 The payment by the Province of the amount described in section 11.5(a) discharges the Province from all liability to make payments to the Contractor under this Agreement.

Notice in relation to Events of Default

11.7 If the Contractor becomes aware that an Event of Default has occurred or anticipates that an Event of Default is likely to occur, the Contractor must promptly notify the Province of the particulars of the Event of Default or anticipated Event of Default. A notice under this section as to the occurrence of an Event of Default must also specify the steps the Contractor proposes to take to address, or prevent recurrence of, the Event of Default. A notice under this section as to an anticipated Event of Default must specify the steps the Contractor proposes to take to prevent the occurrence of the anticipated Event of Default.

12 DISPUTE RESOLUTION

Dispute resolution process

- 12.1 In the event of any dispute between the parties arising out of or in connection with this Agreement, the following dispute resolution process will apply unless the parties otherwise agree in writing:
 - (a) the parties must initially attempt to resolve the dispute through collaborative negotiation;
 - (b) if the dispute is not resolved through collaborative negotiation within 15 Business Days of the dispute arising, the parties must then attempt to resolve the dispute through mediation under the rules of the British Columbia Mediator Roster Society; and
 - (c) if the dispute is not resolved through mediation within 30 Business Days of the commencement of mediation, the dispute must be referred to and finally resolved by arbitration under the Arbitration Act.

Location of arbitration or mediation

12.2 Unless the parties otherwise agree in writing, an arbitration or mediation under section 12.1 will be held in Victoria, British Columbia.

Costs of mediation or arbitration

12.3 Unless the parties otherwise agree in writing or, in the case of an arbitration, the arbitrator otherwise orders, the parties must share equally the costs of a mediation or arbitration under section 12.1 other than those costs relating to the production of expert evidence or representation by counsel.

13 MISCELLANEOUS

Delivery of notices

- 13.1 Any notice contemplated by this Agreement, to be effective, must be in writing and delivered as follows:
 - (a) by fax to the addressee's fax number specified on the first page of this Agreement, in which case it will be deemed to be received on the day of transmittal unless transmitted after the normal business hours of the addressee or on a day that is not a Business Day, in which cases it will be deemed to be received on the next following Business Day;
 - (b) by hand to the addressee's address specified on the first page of this Agreement, in which case it will be deemed to be received on the day of its delivery; or
 - (c) by prepaid post to the addressee's address specified on the first page of this Agreement, in which case if mailed during any period when normal postal services prevail, it will be deemed to be received on the fifth Business Day after its mailing.

Change of address or fax number

Either party may from time to time give notice to the other party of a substitute address or fax number, which from the date such notice is given will supersede for purposes of section 13.1 any previous address or fax number specified for the party giving the notice.

Assignment

13.3 The Contractor must not assign any of the Contractor's rights under this Agreement without the Province's prior written consent.

Subcontracting

- 13.4 The Contractor must not subcontract any of the Contractor's obligations under this Agreement to any person without the Province's prior written consent, excepting persons listed in the attached Schedule C. No subcontract, whether consented to or not, relieves the Contractor from any obligations under this Agreement. The Contractor must ensure that:
 - (a) any person retained by the Contractor to perform obligations under this Agreement; and
 - (b) any person retained by a person described in paragraph (a) to perform those obligations fully complies with this Agreement in performing the subcontracted obligations.

Waiver

13.5 A waiver of any term or breach of this Agreement is effective only if it is in writing and signed by, or on behalf of, the waiving party and is not a waiver of any other term or breach.

Modifications

13.6 No modification of this Agreement is effective unless it is in writing and signed by, or on behalf of, the parties.

Entire agreement

13.7 This Agreement (including any modification of it) constitutes the entire agreement between the parties as to performance of the Services.

Survival of certain provisions

13.8 Sections 2.9, 3.1 to 3.4, 3.7, 3.8, 5.1 to 5.5, 6.1 to 6.4, 7.1, 7.2, 8.1, 9.1, 9.2, 9.5, 10.1 to 10.3, 11.2, 11.3, 11.5, 11.6, 12.1 to 12.3, 13.1, 13.2, 13.8, and 13.10, any accrued but unpaid payment obligations, and any other sections of this Agreement (including schedules) which, by their terms or nature, are intended to survive the completion of the Services or termination of this Agreement, will continue in force indefinitely, even after this Agreement ends.

Schedules

13.9 The schedules to this Agreement (including any appendices or other documents attached to, or incorporated by reference into, those schedules) are part of this Agreement.

Independent contractor

- 13.10 In relation to the performance of the Contractor's obligations under this Agreement, the Contractor is an independent contractor and not:
 - (a) an employee or partner of the Province; or
 - (b) an agent of the Province except as may be expressly provided for in this Agreement.

The Contractor must not act or purport to act contrary to this section.

Personnel not to be employees of Province

13.11 The Contractor must not do anything that would result in personnel hired or used by the Contractor or a Subcontractor in relation to providing the Services being considered employees of the Province.

Key Personnel

13.12 If one or more individuals are specified as "Key Personnel" of the Contractor in Part 4 of Schedule A, the Contractor must cause those individuals to perform the Services on the Contractor's behalf, unless the Province otherwise approves in writing, which approval must not be unreasonably withheld.

Pertinent information

13.13 The Province must make available to the Contractor all information in the Province's possession which the Province considers pertinent to the performance of the Services.

Conflict of interest

13.14 The Contractor must not provide any services to any person in circumstances which, in the Province's reasonable opinion, could give rise to a conflict of interest between the Contractor's duties to that person and the Contractor's duties to the Province under this Agreement.

Time

13.15 Time is of the essence in this Agreement and, without limitation, will remain of the essence after any modification or extension of this Agreement, whether or not expressly restated in the document effecting the modification or extension.

Conflicts among provisions

- 13.16 Conflicts among provisions of this Agreement will be resolved as follows:
 - (a) a provision in the body of this Agreement will prevail over any conflicting provision in, attached to or incorporated by reference into a schedule, unless that conflicting provision expressly states otherwise; and
 - (b) a provision in a schedule will prevail over any conflicting provision in a document attached to or incorporated by reference into a schedule, unless the schedule expressly states otherwise.

Agreement not permit nor fetter

13.17 This Agreement does not operate as a permit, license, approval or other statutory authority which the Contractor may be required to obtain from the Province or any of its agencies in order to provide the Services. Nothing in this Agreement is to be construed as interfering with, or fettering in any manner, the exercise by the Province or its agencies of any statutory, prerogative, executive or legislative power or duty.

Remainder not affected by invalidity

13.18 If any provision of this Agreement or the application of it to any person or circumstance is invalid or unenforceable to any extent, the remainder of this Agreement and the application of such provision to any other person or circumstance will not be affected or impaired and will be valid and enforceable to the extent permitted by law.

Further assurances

13.19 Each party must perform the acts, execute and deliver the writings, and give the assurances as may be reasonably necessary to give full effect to this Agreement.

Additional terms

13.20 Any additional terms set out in the attached Schedule F apply to this Agreement.

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Governing law

13.21 This Agreement is governed by, and is to be interpreted and construed in accordance with, the laws applicable in British Columbia.

14 INTERPRETATION

- 14.1 In this Agreement:
 - (a) "includes" and "including" are not intended to be limiting;
 - (b) unless the context otherwise requires, references to sections by number are to sections of this .

 Agreement:
 - (c) the Contractor and the Province are referred to as "the parties" and each of them as a "party";
 - (d) "attached" means attached to this Agreement when used in relation to a schedule;
 - (e) unless otherwise specified, a reference to a statute by name means the statute of British Columbia by that name, as amended or replaced from time to time;
 - (f) the headings have been inserted for convenience of reference only and are not intended to describe, enlarge or restrict the scope or meaning of this Agreement or any provision of it;
 - (g) "person" includes an individual, partnership, corporation or legal entity of any nature; and
 - (h) unless the context otherwise requires, words expressed in the singular include the plural and vice versa.

15 EXECUTION AND DELIVERY OF AGREEMENT

15.1 This Agreement may be entered into by a separate copy of this Agreement being executed by, or onbehalf of, each party and that executed copy being delivered to the other party by a method provided for in section 13.1 or any other method agreed to by the parties.

The parties have executed this Agreement as follows:

SIGNED on the 17 day of October, 2013by the Contractor (or, if not an individual, on its behalf by its authorized signatory or signatories):	SIGNED on the 18 day of 20 Ton behalf of the Province by its duly authorized representative:
Meuncy Rigg Signature(s) Nancy Rigg Print Name(s) Pt-Sudent Print Title(s)	Signature Asia Brown Print Name Frint Title

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Schedule A - Services

PART 1. TERM:

- 1. The term of this Agreement commences on October 18, 2013 and ends on February 6, 2014.
- 2. At the discretion of the Province, the Term may be extended for an additional 1 month.

PART 2. SERVICES:

As part of the Ministry of Health's (Ministry) policy work, the Ministry is responsible for identifying any necessary changes to the provincial Health Care Assistant (HCA) competencies with consideration for all areas of HCA practice. This work will be conducted through a facilitated process by the HCA Competency Review Advisory Committee (Advisory Committee). The Advisory Committee's findings will guide the review of the HCA provincial curriculum that will need to commence in 2013/2014 fiscal year.

Outputs

The Contractor must:

- 1. Develop a detailed project charter and work plan.
- 2. Facilitate teleconference meetings (at least 3) for the Advisory Committee comprised of representatives from the Ministry, Ministry of Advance Education, Health Employers Association of BC, employers, and other necessary stakeholders. The meetings will be scheduled at a mutually agreed time, where the majority of members will be able to attend.
- 3. Through a collaborative process with the Advisory Committee:
 - a. Review and analyze the provincial HCA competencies that are identified in the 2007 report, Care Aide Competency Project, Framework of Practice.
 - b. Identify competency gaps with consideration for HCA utilization in the health system (includes consideration in acute settings, integration of Aboriginal health, potential value of greater focus on interprofessional collaboration, patient communication/conflict resolution abilities, and safe feeding techniques). In addition, the review will identify redundant competencies.
 - c. Recommend options to address the identified competency gaps and what the implications are.
- 4. Provide a final report recommending any necessary changes to the existing provincial HCA competencies that will guide the upcoming review of the HCA provincial curriculum.

Inputs

The Contractor must:

- 1. Provide qualified resources to conduct the facilitation of the meetings.
- 2. Organize, book, prepare, and facilitate teleconference meetings.

The Province must:

- 1. Provide a teleconference line for the facilitated meetings.
- 2. Review documents developed and provide timely feedback.
- 3. Review, comment and sign-off on all deliverables.

Outcomes

Through the delivery of the Services the Province wishes to realize the following outcomes and, without limiting the obligation of the Contractor to comply with other provisions of this Part, the Contractor must use commercially reasonable efforts to achieve them:

Provide updated educational delivery standards for the HCA provincial curriculum.

The parties acknowledge that the Contractor does not warrant that these outcomes will be achieved.

Reporting requirements

The Contractor must:

- 1. Provide to the Advisory Committee documentation of facilitated meetings which is to be received within three working days of the meetings and is to be in Microsoft Word 2007 or compatible format.
- 2. Provide a draft report outlining changes recommended by the Advisory Committee to the existing provincial HCA competencies on or before January 20, 2013 (or on a mutually agreed upon date) to be reviewed by the Ministry.
- 3. Provide a final report to the Ministry with incorporated revisions from the Ministry by February 6, 2014 in Microsoft Word 2007 or compatible format.

PART 3. RELATED DOCUMENTATION:

Not applicable

PART 4. KEY PERSONNEL:

- 1. The Key Personnel of the Contractor are as follows:
 - (a) Nancy Rigg

If the Contractor's requested Consultant is unavailable for a contemplated project or assignment, the Contractor may be requested to propose a substitute resource to the Province for evaluation and consideration, at the sole option of the Province.

Schedule B - Fees and Expenses

1. MAXIMUM AMOUNT PAYABLE:

<u>Maximum Amount</u>: Despite sections 2 and 3 of this Schedule, \$24,940.00 is the maximum amount which the Province is obliged to pay to the Contractor for fees and expenses under this Agreement (exclusive of any applicable taxes described in section 3.1(c) of this Agreement).

2. FEES:

Hourly Rate

<u>Fees</u>: at a rate of S.21 hour for those hours during the Term when the Contractor provides the Services.

3. EXPENSES:

None

4. STATEMENTS OF ACCOUNT:

<u>Statements of Account</u>: In order to obtain payment of any fees and expenses under this Agreement for a period from and including the 1st day of a month to and including the last day of that month (each a "Billing Period"), the Contractor must deliver to the Province on a date after the Billing Period (each a "Billing Date"), a written statement of account in a form satisfactory to the Province containing:

- (a) the Contractor's legal name and address;
- (b) the date of the statement, and the Billing Period to which the statement pertains;
- (c) the Contractor's calculation of all fees claimed for that Billing Period, including a declaration by the Contractor of all hours worked during the Billing Period for which the Contractor claims fees and a description of the applicable fee rates;
- (d) a chronological listing, in reasonable detail, of any expenses claimed by the Contractor for the Billing Period with receipts attached, if applicable, and, if the Contractor is claiming reimbursement of any GST or other applicable taxes paid or payable by the Contractor in relation to those expenses, a description of any credits, rebates, refunds or remissions the Contractor is entitled to from the relevant taxation authorities in relation to those taxes;
- the Contractor's calculation of any applicable taxes payable by the Province in relation to the Services for the Billing Period;
- (f) a description of this Agreement;
- (g) a statement number for identification; and
- (h) any other billing information reasonably requested by the Province.

5. PAYMENTS DUE:

<u>Payments Due</u>: Within 30 days of the Province's receipt of the Contractor's written statement of account delivered in accordance with this Schedule, the Province must pay the Contractor the fees and expenses (plus all applicable taxes) claimed in the statement if they are in accordance with this Schedule. Statements of account or contract invoices offering an early payment discount may be paid by the Province as required to obtain the discount.

Schedule C - Approved Subcontractor(s)

Not applicable

Schedule D - Insurance

- The Contractor must, without limiting the Contractor's obligations or liabilities and at the Contractor's own
 expense, purchase and maintain throughout the Term the following insurances with insurers licensed in
 Canada in forms and amounts acceptable to the Province:
 - (a) Commercial General Liability in an amount not less than \$2,000,000.00 inclusive per occurrence against bodily injury, personal injury and property damage and including liability assumed under this Agreement and this insurance must
 - (i) include the Province as an additional insured,
 - (ii) be endorsed to provide the Province with 30 days advance written notice of cancellation or material change, and
 - (iii) include a cross liability clause.
- 2. All insurance described in section 1 of this Schedule must:
 - (a) be primary; and
 - (b) not require the sharing of any loss by any insurer of the Province.
- 3. The Contractor must provide the Province with evidence of all required insurance as follows:
 - (a) within 10 Business Days of commencement of the Services, the Contractor must provide to the Province evidence of all required insurance in the form of a completed Province of British Columbia Certificate of Insurance;
 - (b) if any required insurance policy expires before the end of the Term, the Contractor must provide to the Province within 10 Business Days of the policy's expiration, evidence of a new or renewal policy meeting the requirements of the expired insurance in the form of a completed Province of British Columbia Certificate of Insurance; and
 - (c) despite paragraph (a) or (b) above, if requested by the Province at any time, the Contractor must provide to the Province certified copies of the required insurance policies.
- 4. The Contractor must obtain, maintain and pay for any additional insurance which the Contractor is required by law to carry, or which the Contractor considers necessary to cover risks not otherwise covered by insurance specified in this Schedule in the Contractor's sole discretion.

Schedule E – Privacy Protection Schedule

. Not applicable

Schedule F - Additional Terms

- 1. Contractor Identification During the term of this agreement and at the request of the Province, contractors shall identify themselves as contractors to the ministry. This may be in the form of email signature blocks, business cards, correspondence, and verbal business dealings.
- 2. In addition to section 13.1, the General Services Agreement may be entered into by each party signing and delivering it to the other party by email with attachment in PDF format.



Ministry of Health

CONTRACT INFORMATION SLIP

New: Contract X / Shared Cost Arrangement (SCA) (prev. TUA) □

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STOB 60 DIRECT AWARD JUSTIFICATION

Contracts for services may be negotiated and directly awarded without competitive process where one of the following exceptional conditions applies:

Check the Policy that applies to the contract, and provide a justification for the direct award. The justification must be kept on file.

CONTRACTOR NAME: Dr. Garry Curtis

its strategic priorities for 2014/15

TOTAL CONTRACT: \$3,000

TYPE OF SERVICE: Assist the Medical Services Commission in identifying

CONTRACT TERM: February 26 to March 31, 2014

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V	POLICY RE: DIRECT AWARDS	JUSTIFICATION/EXPLANATION
	service has an estimated value of less than \$5,000 and is not cost effective or reasonable to tender (Internal Ministry Policy)	The Medical Services Commission (MSC) requires a facilitator and advisor with a special background in health care and expertise necessary to assist the MSC in identifying its strategic priorities for 2014/15. The MSC will be delving into specific issues at greater depth in its planning day this year (previously the MSC used the Corporate Supply Arrangement for facilitation).
		Past experience of this contractor includes facilitating meetings of the provincial Ministers of Health of Canada and meetings of practitioner groups with disparate interests. Given the tripartite nature of the MSC, this is important experience that no other facilitator in Victoria, the location of the planning day, possesses. Securing the services of someone from outside Victoria would, given the low total value of the contract, result in a 20 to 30% increase in its total cost.
		Selection of this contractor followed solicitation of the input of the nine-member Medical Service Commission for potential candidates and then seeking feedback on this particular candidate.
		At a \$3000 total contract value, additional time or expense in process to validate the above is not warranted. The contractor will need to conduct the majority of his planning between February 26 and March 12, 2014. That time is available for this contractor and is a firm requirement from the MSC.
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		It will be a fixed price contract for \$3,000. There will be no additional expenses borne by MSC. The price will not approach the \$5,000 threshold of directly awarded contracts.
	the contract is with another government organization (CPPM 6.3.3 (a) 1.)	
	NOTE: Universities and other organizations in the Government Reporting Entity (GRE) being considered as "another government organization" as a justification for a direct award will no longer be accepted without proof from the program area that the services can only be	
	delivered by the particular university (or other GRE organization) and that they are not commercially	
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	available.	
	the ministry can <u>strictly prove</u> that only one contractor is qualified, or is available, to provide the service (CPPM 6.3.3 (a) 1.)	
	an unforeseeable emergency exists and the services could not be obtained in time by means of a competitive process {an urgent time frame due to inadequate planning (e.g. not allowing sufficient time to tender a new or renewed contract) is not considered justification for a Direct Contract} (CPPM 6.3.3.(a) 1.)	
	a competitive process would interfere with a ministry's ability to maintain security or order or to protect human, animal or plant life or health. (CPPM 6.3.3. (a) 1.)	
	the acquisition is of a confidential or privileged nature and disclosure through an open bidding process could reasonably be expected to compromise government confidentiality, cause economic disruption or be contrary to the public interest (CPPM 6.3.3. (a) 1.)	
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Auth	norized Approval Signature, EFO (if required)	Date

GENERAL SERVICE AGREEMENT



For Administrative Purposes Only					
Ministry Contract No.:2014-193 Requisition No.:	Financial Information				
Solicitation No.(if applicable):	Client:	026			
Commodity Code:	Responsibility Centre:	66956			
	Service Line:	44750			
Contractor Information	STOB:	6101			
	Project:	6600000_			
Supplier Name: _Gary Curtis, PhD Consulting					
Supplier No.:	Template version: December 1, 2013				
Telephone No.:					
E-mail Address:					
Website:					

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THIS AGREEMENT is dated for reference the 19th day of February, 2014.

BETWEEN:

GARRY CURTIS, PHD CONSULTING (the "Contractor") with the following specified address s.22

AND:

HER MAJESTY THE QUEEN IN RIGHT OF THE PROVINCE OF BRITISH COLUMBIA, as represented by the Minister of Health (the "Province") with the following specified address and fax number: MEDICAL SERVICES COMMISSION 3-1 1515 BLANSHARD STREET VICTORIA BC V8W 3C8 250-952-3133

The Province wishes to retain the Contractor to provide the services specified in Schedule A and, in consideration for the remuneration set out in Schedule B, the Contractor has agreed to provide those services, on the terms and conditions set out in this Agreement.

As a result, the Province and the Contractor agree as follows:

1 DEFINITIONS

General

- 1.1 In this Agreement, unless the context otherwise requires:
 - (a) "Business Day" means a day, other than a Saturday or Sunday, on which Provincial government offices are open for normal business in British Columbia;
 - (b) "Incorporated Material" means any material in existence prior to the start of the Term or developed independently of this Agreement, and that is incorporated or embedded in the Produced Material by the Contractor or a Subcontractor;
 - (c) "Material" means the Produced Material and the Received Material;
 - (d) "Produced Material" means records, software and other material, whether complete or not, that, as a result of this Agreement, are produced or provided by the Contractor or a Subcontractor and includes the Incorporated Material;
 - (e) "Received Material" means records, software and other material, whether complete or not, that, as a result of this Agreement, are received by the Contractor or a Subcontractor from the Province or any other person;
 - (f) "Services" means the services described in Part 2 of Schedule A;
 - (g) "Subcontractor" means a person described in paragraph (a) or (b) of section 13.4; and
 - (h) "Term" means the term of the Agreement described in Part 1 of Schedule A subject to that term ending earlier in accordance with this Agreement.

Meaning of "record"

1.2 The definition of "record" in the *Interpretation Act* is incorporated into this Agreement and "records" will bear a corresponding meaning.

2 SERVICES

Provision of services

2.1 The Contractor must provide the Services in accordance with this Agreement.

Term

2.2 Regardless of the date of execution or delivery of this Agreement, the Contractor must provide the Services during the Term.

Supply of various items

2.3 Unless the parties otherwise agree in writing, the Contractor must supply and pay for all labour, materials, equipment, tools, facilities, approvals and licenses necessary or advisable to perform the Contractor's obligations under this Agreement, including the license under section 6.4.

Standard of care

2.4 Unless otherwise specified in this Agreement, the Contractor must perform the Services to a standard of care, skill and diligence maintained by persons providing, on a commercial basis, services similar to the Services.

Standards in relation to persons performing Services

2.5 The Contractor must ensure that all persons employed or retained to perform the Services are qualified and competent to perform them and are properly trained, instructed and supervised.

Instructions by Province

2.6 The Province may from time to time give the Contractor reasonable instructions (in writing or otherwise) as to the performance of the Services. The Contractor must comply with those instructions but, unless otherwise specified in this Agreement, the Contractor may determine the manner in which the instructions are carried out.

Confirmation of non-written instructions

2.7 If the Province provides an instruction under section 2.6 other than in writing, the Contractor may request that the instruction be confirmed by the Province in writing, which request the Province must comply with as soon as it is reasonably practicable to do so.

Effectiveness of non-written instructions

2.8 Requesting written confirmation of an instruction under section 2.7 does not relieve the Contractor from complying with the instruction at the time the instruction was given.

Applicable laws

2.9 In the performance of the Contractor's obligations under this Agreement, the Contractor must comply with all applicable laws.

3 PAYMENT

Fees and expenses

- 3.1 If the Contractor complies with this Agreement, then the Province must pay to the Contractor at the times and on the conditions set out in Schedule B:
 - (a) the fees described in that Schedule;
 - (b) the expenses, if any, described in that Schedule if they are supported, where applicable, by proper receipts and, in the Province's opinion, are necessarily incurred by the Contractor in providing the Services; and
 - (c) any applicable taxes payable by the Province under law or agreement with the relevant taxation authorities on the fees and expenses described in paragraphs (a) and (b).

The Province is not obliged to pay to the Contractor more than the "Maximum Amount" specified in Schedule B on account of fees and expenses.

Statements of accounts

3.2 In order to obtain payment of any fees and expenses under this Agreement, the Contractor must submit to the Province a written statement of account in a form satisfactory to the Province upon completion of the Services or at other times described in Schedule B.

Withholding of amounts

3.3 Without limiting section 9.1, the Province may withhold from any payment due to the Contractor an amount sufficient to indemnify, in whole or in part, the Province and its employees and agents against any liens or other third-party claims that have arisen or could arise in connection with the provision of the Services. An amount withheld under this section must be promptly paid by the Province to the Contractor upon the basis for withholding the amount having been fully resolved to the satisfaction of the Province.

Appropriation

3.4 The Province's obligation to pay money to the Contractor is subject to the *Financial Administration Act*, which makes that obligation subject to an appropriation being available in the fiscal year of the Province during which payment becomes due.

Currency

3.5 Unless otherwise specified in this Agreement, all references to money are to Canadian dollars.

Non-resident income tax

3.6 If the Contractor is not a resident in Canada, the Contractor acknowledges that the Province may be required by law to withhold income tax from the fees described in Schedule B and then to remit that tax to the Receiver General of Canada on the Contractor's behalf.

Prohibition against committing money

3.7 Without limiting section 13.10(a), the Contractor must not in relation to performing the Contractor's obligations under this Agreement commit or purport to commit the Province to pay any money except as may be expressly provided for in this Agreement.

Refunds of taxes

- 3.8 The Contractor must:
 - (a) apply for, and use reasonable efforts to obtain, any available refund, credit, rebate or remission of federal, provincial or other tax or duty imposed on the Contractor as a result of this Agreement that the Province has paid or reimbursed to the Contractor or agreed to pay or reimburse to the Contractor under this Agreement; and
 - (b) immediately on receiving, or being credited with, any amount applied for under paragraph (a), remit that amount to the Province.

4 REPRESENTATIONS AND WARRANTIES

- 4.1 As at the date this Agreement is executed and delivered by, or on behalf of, the parties, the Contractor represents and warrants to the Province as follows:
 - (a) except to the extent the Contractor has previously disclosed otherwise in writing to the Province,

- (i) all information, statements, documents and reports furnished or submitted by the Contractor to the Province in connection with this Agreement (including as part of any competitive process resulting in this Agreement being entered into) are in all material respects true and correct,
- (ii) the Contractor has sufficient trained staff, facilities, materials, appropriate equipment and approved subcontractual or other agreements in place and available to enable the Contractor to fully perform the Services and to grant any licenses under this Agreement, and
- (iii) the Contractor holds all permits, licenses, approvals and statutory authorities issued by any government or government agency that are necessary for the performance of the Contractor's obligations under this Agreement; and
- (b) if the Contractor is not an individual,
 - (i) the Contractor has the power and capacity to enter into this Agreement and to observe, perform and comply with the terms of this Agreement and all necessary corporate or other proceedings have been taken and done to authorize the execution and delivery of this Agreement by, or on behalf of, the Contractor, and
 - (ii) this Agreement has been legally and properly executed by, or on behalf of, the Contractor and is legally binding upon and enforceable against the Contractor in accordance with its terms except as enforcement may be limited by bankruptcy, insolvency or other laws affecting the rights of creditors generally and except that equitable remedies may be granted only in the discretion of a court of competent jurisdiction.

5 PRIVACY, SECURITY AND CONFIDENTIALITY

Privacy

5.1 The Contractor must comply with the Privacy Protection Schedule attached as Schedule E.

Security

- 5.2 The Contractor must:
 - (a) make reasonable security arrangements to protect the Material from unauthorized access, collection, use, disclosure, alteration or disposal; and
 - (b) comply with the Security Schedule attached as Schedule G.

Confidentiality

- 5.3 The Contractor must treat as confidential all information in the Material and all other information accessed or obtained by the Contractor or a Subcontractor (whether verbally, electronically or otherwise) as a result of this Agreement, and not permit its disclosure or use without the Province's prior written consent except:
 - (a) as required to perform the Contractor's obligations under this Agreement or to comply with applicable laws;
 - (b) if it is information that is generally known to the public other than as result of a breach of this Agreement; or
 - (c) if it is information in any Incorporated Material.

Public announcements

5.4 Any public announcement relating to this Agreement will be arranged by the Province and, if such consultation is reasonably practicable, after consultation with the Contractor.

Restrictions on promotion

5.5 The Contractor must not, without the prior written approval of the Province, refer for promotional purposes to the Province being a customer of the Contractor or the Province having entered into this Agreement.

6 MATERIAL AND INTELLECTUAL PROPERTY

Access to Material

6.1 If the Contractor receives a request for access to any of the Material from a person other than the Province, and this Agreement does not require or authorize the Contractor to provide that access, the Contractor must promptly advise the person to make the request to the Province.

Ownership and delivery of Material

6.2 The Province exclusively owns all property rights in the Material which are not intellectual property rights. The Contractor must deliver any Material to the Province immediately upon the Province's request.

Matters respecting intellectual property

- 6.3 The Province exclusively owns all intellectual property rights, including copyright, in:
 - (a) Received Material that the Contractor receives from the Province; and
 - (b) Produced Material, other than any Incorporated Material.

Upon the Province's request, the Contractor must deliver to the Province documents satisfactory to the Province that irrevocably waive in the Province's favour any moral rights which the Contractor (or employees of the Contractor) or a Subcontractor (or employees of a Subcontractor) may have in the Produced Material and that confirm the vesting in the Province of the copyright in the Produced Material, other than any Incorporated Material.

Rights in relation to Incorporated Material

- 6.4 Upon any Incorporated Material being embedded or incorporated in the Produced Material and to the extent that it remains so embedded or incorporated, the Contractor grants to the Province:
 - (a) a non-exclusive, perpetual, irrevocable, royalty-free, worldwide license to exercise, in respect of that Incorporated Material, the rights set out in the *Copyright Act* (Canada), including the right to use, reproduce, modify, publish and distribute that Incorporated Material; and
 - (b) the right to sublicense or assign to third-parties any or all of the rights granted to the Province under section 6.4(a).

7 RECORDS AND REPORTS

Work reporting

7.1 Upon the Province's request, the Contractor must fully inform the Province of all work done by the Contractor or a Subcontractor in connection with providing the Services.

Time and expense records

7.2 If Schedule B provides for the Contractor to be paid fees at a daily or hourly rate or for the Contractor to be paid or reimbursed for expenses, the Contractor must maintain time records and books of account, invoices, receipts and vouchers of expenses in support of those payments, in form and content satisfactory to the Province. Unless otherwise specified in this Agreement, the Contractor must retain such documents for a period of not less than seven years after this Agreement ends.

8 AUDIT

8.1 In addition to any other rights of inspection the Province may have under statute or otherwise, the Province may at any reasonable time and on reasonable notice to the Contractor, enter on the Contractor's premises to inspect and, at the Province's discretion, copy any of the Material and the Contractor must permit, and provide reasonable assistance to, the exercise by the Province of the Province's rights under this section.

9 INDEMNITY AND INSURANCE

Indemnity

- 9.1 The Contractor must indemnify and save harmless the Province and the Province's employees and agents from any loss, claim (including any claim of infringement of third-party intellectual property rights), damage award, action, cause of action, cost or expense that the Province or any of the Province's employees or agents may sustain, incur, suffer or be put to at any time, either before or after this Agreement ends, (each a "Loss") to the extent the Loss is directly or indirectly caused or contributed to by:
 - (a) any act or omission by the Contractor or by any of the Contractor's agents, employees, officers, directors or Subcontractors in connection with this Agreement; or
 - (b) any representation or warranty of the Contractor being or becoming untrue or incorrect.

Insurance

9.2 The Contractor must comply with the Insurance Schedule attached as Schedule D.

Workers compensation

9.3 Without limiting the generality of section 2.9, the Contractor must comply with, and must ensure that any Subcontractors comply with, all applicable occupational health and safety laws in relation to the performance of the Contractor's obligations under this Agreement, including the *Workers Compensation Act* in British Columbia or similar laws in other jurisdictions.

Personal optional protection

- 9.4 The Contractor must apply for and maintain personal optional protection insurance (consisting of income replacement and medical care coverage) during the Term at the Contractor's expense if:
 - (a) the Contractor is an individual or a partnership of individuals and does not have the benefit of mandatory workers compensation coverage under the *Workers Compensation Act* or similar laws in other jurisdictions; and
 - (b) such personal optional protection insurance is available for the Contractor from WorkSafeBC or other sources.

Evidence of coverage

9.5 Within 10 Business Days of being requested to do so by the Province, the Contractor must provide the Province with evidence of the Contractor's compliance with sections 9.3 and 9.4.

10 FORCE MAJEURE

Definitions relating to force majeure

- 10.1 In this section and sections 10.2 and 10.3:
 - (a) "Event of Force Majeure" means one of the following events:
 - (i) a natural disaster, fire, flood, storm, epidemic or power failure,
 - (ii) a war (declared and undeclared), insurrection or act of terrorism or piracy,
 - (iii) a strike (including illegal work stoppage or slowdown) or lockout, or
 - (iv) a freight embargo

if the event prevents a party from performing the party's obligations in accordance with this Agreement and is beyond the reasonable control of that party; and

(b) "Affected Party" means a party prevented from performing the party's obligations in accordance with this Agreement by an Event of Force Majeure.

Consequence of Event of Force Majeure

An Affected Party is not liable to the other party for any failure or delay in the performance of the Affected Party's obligations under this Agreement resulting from an Event of Force Majeure and any time periods for the performance of such obligations are automatically extended for the duration of the Event of Force Majeure provided that the Affected Party complies with the requirements of section 10.3.

Duties of Affected Party

10.3 An Affected Party must promptly notify the other party in writing upon the occurrence of the Event of Force Majeure and make all reasonable efforts to prevent, control or limit the effect of the Event of Force Majeure so as to resume compliance with the Affected Party's obligations under this Agreement as soon as possible.

11 DEFAULT AND TERMINATION

Definitions relating to default and termination

- 11.1 In this section and sections 11.2 to 11.4:
 - (a) "Event of Default" means any of the following:
 - (i) an Insolvency Event,
 - (ii) the Contractor fails to perform any of the Contractor's obligations under this Agreement, or
 - (iii) any representation or warranty made by the Contractor in this Agreement is untrue or incorrect; and
 - (b) "Insolvency Event" means any of the following:
 - (i) an order is made, a resolution is passed or a petition is filed, for the Contractor's liquidation or winding up,
 - (ii) the Contractor commits an act of bankruptcy, makes an assignment for the benefit of the Contractor's creditors or otherwise acknowledges the Contractor's insolvency,
 - (iii) a bankruptcy petition is filed or presented against the Contractor or a proposal under the Bankruptcy and Insolvency Act (Canada) is made by the Contractor,
 - (iv) a compromise or arrangement is proposed in respect of the Contractor under the Companies' Creditors Arrangement Act (Canada),
 - (v) a receiver or receiver-manager is appointed for any of the Contractor's property, or
 - (vi) the Contractor ceases, in the Province's reasonable opinion, to carry on business as a going concern.

Province's options on default

- On the happening of an Event of Default, or at any time thereafter, the Province may, at its option, elect to do any one or more of the following:
 - (a) by written notice to the Contractor, require that the Event of Default be remedied within a time period specified in the notice;
 - (b) pursue any remedy or take any other action available to it at law or in equity; or
 - (c) by written notice to the Contractor, terminate this Agreement with immediate effect or on a future date specified in the notice, subject to the expiration of any time period specified under section 11.2(a).

Delay not a waiver

11.3 No failure or delay on the part of the Province to exercise its rights in relation to an Event of Default will constitute a waiver by the Province of such rights.

Province's right to terminate other than for default

11.4 In addition to the Province's right to terminate this Agreement under section 11.2(c) on the happening of an Event of Default, the Province may terminate this Agreement for any reason by giving at least 10 days' written notice of termination to the Contractor.

Payment consequences of termination

- 11.5 Unless Schedule B otherwise provides, if the Province terminates this Agreement under section 11.4:
 - (a) the Province must, within 30 days of such termination, pay to the Contractor any unpaid portion of the fees and expenses described in Schedule B which corresponds with the portion of the Services that was completed to the Province's satisfaction before termination of this Agreement; and
 - (b) the Contractor must, within 30 days of such termination, repay to the Province any paid portion of the fees and expenses described in Schedule B which corresponds with the portion of the Services that the Province has notified the Contractor in writing was not completed to the Province's satisfaction before termination of this Agreement.

Discharge of liability

11.6 The payment by the Province of the amount described in section 11.5(a) discharges the Province from all liability to make payments to the Contractor under this Agreement.

Notice in relation to Events of Default

11.7 If the Contractor becomes aware that an Event of Default has occurred or anticipates that an Event of Default is likely to occur, the Contractor must promptly notify the Province of the particulars of the Event of Default or anticipated Event of Default. A notice under this section as to the occurrence of an Event of Default must also specify the steps the Contractor proposes to take to address, or prevent recurrence of, the Event of Default. A notice under this section as to an anticipated Event of Default must specify the steps the Contractor proposes to take to prevent the occurrence of the anticipated Event of Default.

12 DISPUTE RESOLUTION

Dispute resolution process

- 12.1 In the event of any dispute between the parties arising out of or in connection with this Agreement, the following dispute resolution process will apply unless the parties otherwise agree in writing:
 - (a) the parties must initially attempt to resolve the dispute through collaborative negotiation;

- (b) if the dispute is not resolved through collaborative negotiation within 15 Business Days of the dispute arising, the parties must then attempt to resolve the dispute through mediation under the rules of the British Columbia Mediator Roster Society; and
- (c) if the dispute is not resolved through mediation within 30 Business Days of the commencement of mediation, the dispute must be referred to and finally resolved by arbitration under the *Arbitration Act*.

Location of arbitration or mediation

12.2 Unless the parties otherwise agree in writing, an arbitration or mediation under section 12.1 will be held in Victoria, British Columbia.

Costs of mediation or arbitration

12.3 Unless the parties otherwise agree in writing or, in the case of an arbitration, the arbitrator otherwise orders, the parties must share equally the costs of a mediation or arbitration under section 12.1 other than those costs relating to the production of expert evidence or representation by counsel.

13 MISCELLANEOUS

Delivery of notices

- 13.1 Any notice contemplated by this Agreement, to be effective, must be in writing and delivered as follows:
 - (a) by fax to the addressee's fax number specified on the first page of this Agreement, in which case it will be deemed to be received on the day of transmittal unless transmitted after the normal business hours of the addressee or on a day that is not a Business Day, in which cases it will be deemed to be received on the next following Business Day;
 - (b) by hand to the addressee's address specified on the first page of this Agreement, in which case it will be deemed to be received on the day of its delivery; or
 - (c) by prepaid post to the addressee's address specified on the first page of this Agreement, in which case if mailed during any period when normal postal services prevail, it will be deemed to be received on the fifth Business Day after its mailing.

Change of address or fax number

13.2 Either party may from time to time give notice to the other party of a substitute address or fax number, which from the date such notice is given will supersede for purposes of section 13.1 any previous address or fax number specified for the party giving the notice.

Assignment

13.3 The Contractor must not assign any of the Contractor's rights or obligations under this Agreement without the Province's prior written consent. Upon providing written notice to the Contractor, the Province may assign to any person any of the Province's rights under this Agreement and may assign to any "government corporation", as defined in the *Financial Administration Act*, any of the Province's obligations under this Agreement.

Subcontracting

- 13.4 The Contractor must not subcontract any of the Contractor's obligations under this Agreement to any person without the Province's prior written consent, excepting persons listed in the attached Schedule C. No subcontract, whether consented to or not, relieves the Contractor from any obligations under this Agreement. The Contractor must ensure that:
 - (a) any person retained by the Contractor to perform obligations under this Agreement; and
 - (b) any person retained by a person described in paragraph (a) to perform those obligations fully complies with this Agreement in performing the subcontracted obligations.

Waiver

A waiver of any term or breach of this Agreement is effective only if it is in writing and signed by, or on behalf of, the waiving party and is not a waiver of any other term or breach.

Modifications

13.6 No modification of this Agreement is effective unless it is in writing and signed by, or on behalf of, the parties.

Entire agreement

13.7 This Agreement (including any modification of it) constitutes the entire agreement between the parties as to performance of the Services.

Survival of certain provisions

13.8 Sections 2.9, 3.1 to 3.4, 3.7, 3.8, 5.1 to 5.5, 6.1 to 6.4, 7.1, 7.2, 8.1, 9.1, 9.2, 9.5, 10.1 to 10.3, 11.2, 11.3, 11.5, 11.6, 12.1 to 12.3, 13.1, 13.2, 13.8, and 13.10, any accrued but unpaid payment obligations, and any other sections of this Agreement (including schedules) which, by their terms or nature, are intended to survive the completion of the Services or termination of this Agreement, will continue in force indefinitely subject to any applicable limitation period prescribed by law, even after this Agreement ends.

Schedules

13.9 The schedules to this Agreement (including any appendices or other documents attached to, or incorporated by reference into, those schedules) are part of this Agreement.

Independent contractor

- 13.10 In relation to the performance of the Contractor's obligations under this Agreement, the Contractor is an independent contractor and not:
 - (a) an employee or partner of the Province; or
 - (b) an agent of the Province except as may be expressly provided for in this Agreement.

The Contractor must not act or purport to act contrary to this section.

Personnel not to be employees of Province

13.11 The Contractor must not do anything that would result in personnel hired or used by the Contractor or a Subcontractor in relation to providing the Services being considered employees of the Province.

Key Personnel

13.12 If one or more individuals are specified as "Key Personnel" of the Contractor in Part 4 of Schedule A, the Contractor must cause those individuals to perform the Services on the Contractor's behalf, unless the Province otherwise approves in writing, which approval must not be unreasonably withheld.

Pertinent information

13.13 The Province must make available to the Contractor all information in the Province's possession which the Province considers pertinent to the performance of the Services.

Conflict of interest

13.14 The Contractor must not provide any services to any person in circumstances which, in the Province's reasonable opinion, could give rise to a conflict of interest between the Contractor's duties to that person and the Contractor's duties to the Province under this Agreement.

Time

13.15 Time is of the essence in this Agreement and, without limitation, will remain of the essence after any modification or extension of this Agreement, whether or not expressly restated in the document effecting the modification or extension.

Conflicts among provisions

- 13.16 Conflicts among provisions of this Agreement will be resolved as follows:
 - a provision in the body of this Agreement will prevail over any conflicting provision in, attached to or incorporated by reference into a schedule, unless that conflicting provision expressly states otherwise; and
 - (b) a provision in a schedule will prevail over any conflicting provision in a document attached to or incorporated by reference into a schedule, unless the schedule expressly states otherwise.

Agreement not permit nor fetter

13.17 This Agreement does not operate as a permit, license, approval or other statutory authority which the Contractor may be required to obtain from the Province or any of its agencies in order to provide the Services. Nothing in this Agreement is to be construed as interfering with, or fettering in any manner, the exercise by the Province or its agencies of any statutory, prerogative, executive or legislative power or duty.

Remainder not affected by invalidity

13.18 If any provision of this Agreement or the application of it to any person or circumstance is invalid or unenforceable to any extent, the remainder of this Agreement and the application of such provision to any other person or circumstance will not be affected or impaired and will be valid and enforceable to the extent permitted by law.

Further assurances

Each party must perform the acts, execute and deliver the writings, and give the assurances as may be reasonably necessary to give full effect to this Agreement.

Additional terms

13.20 Any additional terms set out in the attached Schedule F apply to this Agreement.

Governing law

13.21 This Agreement is governed by, and is to be interpreted and construed in accordance with, the laws applicable in British Columbia.

14 INTERPRETATION

- 14.1 In this Agreement:
 - (a) "includes" and "including" are not intended to be limiting;
 - (b) unless the context otherwise requires, references to sections by number are to sections of this Agreement;
 - (c) the Contractor and the Province are referred to as "the parties" and each of them as a "party";
 - (d) "attached" means attached to this Agreement when used in relation to a schedule;
 - (e) unless otherwise specified, a reference to a statute by name means the statute of British Columbia by that name, as amended or replaced from time to time;
 - (f) the headings have been inserted for convenience of reference only and are not intended to describe, enlarge or restrict the scope or meaning of this Agreement or any provision of it;
 - (g) "person" includes an individual, partnership, corporation or legal entity of any nature; and
 - (h) unless the context otherwise requires, words expressed in the singular include the plural and *vice versa*.

15 EXECUTION AND DELIVERY OF AGREEMENT

15.1 This Agreement may be entered into by a separate copy of this Agreement being executed by, or on behalf of, each party and that executed copy being delivered to the other party by a method provided for in section 13.1 or any other method agreed to by the parties.

The parties have executed this Agreement as follows:

SIGNED on the 2-0-th day of	SIGNED on the 20 day of
SIGNED on the 20th day of following, 20th day of (or, if not an individual, on its behalf by its	Province by its duly authorized
authorized signatory or signatories):	representative:
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Signature(s)	Signature
GARRY W. CURTIS	Stephanic Power
Print Name(s)	Print Name
	Executive Director
Print Title(s)	Print Title

Schedule A - Services

PART 1. TERM:

1. The term of this Agreement commences on February 19, 2014 and ends on March 31, 2014.

PART 2. SERVICES:

The Medical Services Commission (MSC) requires support for a strategic planning meeting on March 12, 2014, in Victoria. The purpose of the meeting is to develop a shared understanding of the future direction of the MSC, identify specific strategic priorities that the MSC will focus on over the next 12 to 18 months and to update the MSC's 2014/15 strategic plan and work plan.

Outputs

The Contractor must facilitate and follow up on one full day MSC strategic planning session to be held on March 12, 2014, in Victoria, starting at 9:00 a.m. and finishing at 4:30 p.m. The MSC's current plan (including its mission, vision and goals will be updated as a result of this session and its objectives will be revised to align with those of the Ministry of Health.

Inputs

The Contractor must:

a. Provide a qualified resource to perform the service.

The Province must:

- a. Provide the appropriate meeting room facility;
- b. Provide clarification on all relevant issues; and
- c. Review, comment and sign off on all deliverables.

Outcomes

Through the delivery of the Services the Province wishes to realize the following outcomes and, without limiting the obligation of the Contractor to comply with other provisions of this Part, the Contractor must use commercially reasonable efforts to achieve them:

An improved understanding of the future direction of the Medical Services Commission including revisions to the MSC's mission, vision, goals and objectives.

The parties acknowledge that the Contractor does not warrant that these outcomes will be achieved.

Reporting requirements

Completed session notes and an updated 2014/15 strategic plan and work plan for the Medical Services Commission will be provided to the MSC by March 31, 2014.

PART 3. RELATED DOCUMENTATION:

1. The Contractor must perform the Services in accordance with the obligations set out in this Schedule A including any engagement letter, Solicitation document excerpt, proposal excerpt or other documentation attached as an Appendix to, or specified as being incorporated by reference in, this Schedule.

Not applicable

PART 4. KEY PERSONNEL:

- 1. The Key Personnel of the Contractor are as follows:
 - (a) Garry Curtis

Schedule B - Fees and Expenses

1. MAXIMUM AMOUNT PAYABLE:

Maximum Amount: Despite sections 2 and 3 of this Schedule, \$3,000.00 is the maximum amount which the Province is obliged to pay to the Contractor for fees and expenses under this Agreement (exclusive of any applicable taxes described in section 3.1(c) of this Agreement).

2. FEES:

Flat Rate

Fees: \$3,000.00 for performing the Services during the Term.

3. EXPENSES:

Expenses:

None

4. STATEMENTS OF ACCOUNT:

<u>Statements of Account</u>: In order to obtain payment of any fees and expenses under this Agreement, the Contractor must deliver to the Province at the end of the Term or, if the Contractor completes the Services before that time, on the completion of the Services, a written statement of account in a form satisfactory to the Province containing:

- (a) the Contractor's legal name and address;
- (b) the date of the statement;
- (c) the Contractor's calculation of all fees claimed under this Agreement, including a declaration that the Services for which the Contractor claims fees have been completed;
- (d) a chronological listing, in reasonable detail, of any expenses claimed by the Contractor with receipts attached, if applicable, and, if the Contractor is claiming reimbursement of any GST or other applicable taxes paid or payable by the Contractor in relation to those expenses, a description of any credits, rebates, refunds or remissions the Contractor is entitled to from the relevant taxation authorities in relation to those taxes;
- (e) the Contractor's calculation of all applicable taxes payable by the Province in relation to the Services;
- (f) a description of this Agreement to which the statement relates;
- (g) a statement number for identification; and
- (h) any other billing information reasonably requested by the Province.

5. PAYMENTS DUE:

<u>Payments Due</u>: Within 30 days of the Province's receipt of the Contractor's written statement of account delivered in accordance with this Schedule, the Province must pay the Contractor the fees and expenses (plus all applicable taxes) claimed in the statement if they are in accordance with this Schedule. Statements of account or contract invoices offering an early payment discount may be paid by the Province as required to obtain the discount.

Schedule C – Approved Subcontractor(s)

Not applicable

Schedule D – Insurance

Not Applicable

Schedule E – Privacy Protection Schedule

Not applicable

Schedule F - Additional Terms

- 1. Contractor Identification During the term of this Agreement and at the request of the Province, contractors shall identify themselves as contractors to the ministry. This may be in the form of email signature blocks, business cards, correspondence, and verbal business dealings.
- 2. In addition to section 13.1, the General Services Agreement may be entered into by each party signing and delivering it to the other party by email with attachment in PDF format.

Schedule G - Security Schedule

Not applicable

INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY & MANAGEMENT CONSULTING PROFESSIONAL SERVICES AGREEMENT



For Administrative Purposes Only			
Ministry Contract No.:2014-162	Financial Information	ą	
Requisition No.:	Client: Responsibility Centre:	026	
Contractor Information	Service Line: STOB: Project:	44225 44225 6600000	
Supplier Name: Roger Management Resources Supplier No.: Telephone No.: E-mail Address: S.22 Website:	Template version: April 1,		

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THIS AGREEMENT is dated for reference the 3rd day of December, 2013.

BETWEEN:

ROGER MANAGEMENT RESOU<u>RCES</u> (the "Contractor") with the following specified address: s.22

AND:

HER MAJESTY THE QUEEN IN RIGHT OF THE PROVINCE OF BRITISH COLUMBIA, as represented by the Minister of Health (the "Province") with the following specified address and fax number: 4th Floor, 1515 Blanshard St.

Victoria, BC V8W 3C8 250-952-1373

The Province wishes to retain the Contractor to provide the services specified in Schedule A and, in consideration for the remuneration set out in Schedule B, the Contractor has agreed to provide those services, on the terms and conditions set out in this Agreement.

As a result, the Province and the Contractor agree as follows:

1 DEFINITIONS

General

- 1.1 In this Agreement, unless the context otherwise requires:
 - (a) "Business Day" means a day, other than a Saturday or Sunday, on which Provincial government offices are open for normal business in British Columbia;
 - (b) "Incorporated Material" means any material in existence prior to the start of the Term or developed independently of this Agreement, and that is incorporated or embedded in the Produced Material by the Contractor or a Subcontractor;
 - (c) "Material" means the Produced Material and the Received Material;
 - (d) "Produced Material" means records, software and other material, whether complete or not, that, as a result of this Agreement, are produced by the Contractor or a Subcontractor and includes the Incorporated Material;
 - (e) "Received Material" means records, software and other material, whether complete or not, that, as a result of this Agreement, are received by the Contractor or a Subcontractor from the Province or any other person;
 - (f) "Services" means the services described in Part 2 of Schedule A;
 - (g) "Subcontractor" means a person described in paragraph (a) or (b) of section 13.4; and
 - (h) "Term" means the term of the Agreement described in Part 1 of Schedule A subject to that term ending earlier in accordance with this Agreement.

Meaning of "record"

1.2 The definition of "record" in the *Interpretation Act* is incorporated into this Agreement and "records" will bear a corresponding meaning.

2 SERVICES

Provision of services

2.1 The Contractor must provide the Services in accordance with this Agreement.

Term

2.2 Regardless of the date of execution or delivery of this Agreement, the Contractor must provide the Services during the Term.

Supply of various items

2.3 Unless the parties otherwise agree in writing, the Contractor must supply and pay for all labour, materials, equipment, tools, facilities, approvals and licenses necessary or advisable to perform the Contractor's obligations under this Agreement, including the license under section 6.4.

Standard of care

2.4 Unless otherwise specified in this Agreement, the Contractor must perform the Services to a standard of care, skill, and diligence maintained by persons providing, on a commercial basis, services similar to the Services.

Standards in relation to persons performing Services

2.5 The Contractor must ensure that all persons employed or retained to perform the Services are qualified and competent to perform them and are properly trained, instructed and supervised.

Instructions by Province

2.6 The Province may from time to time give the Contractor reasonable instructions (in writing or otherwise) as to the performance of the Services. The Contractor must comply with those instructions but, unless otherwise specified in this Agreement, the Contractor may determine the manner in which the instructions are carried out.

Confirmation of non-written instructions

2.7 If the Province provides an instruction under section 2.6 other than in writing, the Contractor may request that the instruction be confirmed by the Province in writing, which request the Province must comply with as soon as it is reasonably practicable to do so.

Effectiveness of non-written instructions

2.8 Requesting written confirmation of an instruction under section 2.7 does not relieve the Contractor from complying with the instruction at the time the instruction was given.

Applicable laws

2.9 In the performance of the Contractor's obligations under this Agreement, the Contractor must comply with all applicable laws.

3 PAYMENT

Fees and expenses

- 3.1 If the Contractor complies with this Agreement, then the Province must pay to the Contractor at the times and on the conditions set out in Schedule B:
 - (a) the fees described in that Schedule;
 - (b) the expenses, if any, described in that Schedule if they are supported, where applicable, by proper receipts and, in the Province's opinion, are necessarily incurred by the Contractor in providing the Services; and
 - (c) any applicable taxes payable by the Province under law or agreement with the relevant taxation authorities on the fees and expenses described in paragraphs (a) and (b).

The Province is not obliged to pay to the Contractor more than the "Maximum Amount" specified in Schedule B on account of fees and expenses.

Statements of accounts

3.2 In order to obtain payment of any fees and expenses under this Agreement, the Contractor must submit to the Province a written statement of account in a form satisfactory to the Province upon completion of the Services or at other times described in Schedule B.

Withholding of amounts

3.3 Without limiting section 9.1, the Province may withhold from any payment due to the Contractor an amount sufficient to indemnify in whole or in part the Province and its employees and agents against any liens or other third-party claims that have arisen or could arise in connection with the provision of the Services. An amount withheld under this section must be promptly paid by the Province to the Contractor upon the basis for withholding the amount having been fully resolved to the satisfaction of the Province.

Appropriation

3.4 The Province's obligation to pay money to the Contractor is subject to the Financial Administration Act, which makes that obligation subject to an appropriation being available in the fiscal year of the Province during which payment becomes due.

Currency

3.5 Unless otherwise specified in this Agreement, all references to money are to Canadian dollars.

Non-resident income tax

3.6 If the Contractor is not a resident in Canada, the Contractor acknowledges that the Province may be required by law to withhold income tax from the fees described in Schedule B and then to remit that tax to the Receiver General of Canada on the Contractor's behalf,

Prohibition against committing money

3.7 Without, limiting section 13.10(a), the Contractor must not in relation to performing the Contractor's obligations under this Agreement commit or purport to commit the Province to pay any money except as may be expressly provided for in this Agreement.

Refunds of taxes

3.8 The Contractor must:

- (a) apply for, and use reasonable efforts to obtain, any available refund, credit, rebate or remission of federal, provincial or other tax or duty imposed on the Contractor as a result of this Agreement that the Province has paid or reimbursed to the Contractor or agreed to pay or reimburse to the Contractor under this Agreement; and
- (b) immediately on receiving, or being credited with, any amount applied for under paragraph (a), remit that amount to the Province.

4 REPRESENTATIONS AND WARRANTIES

- 4.1 As at the date this Agreement is executed and delivered by, or on behalf of, the parties, the Contractor represents and warrants to the Province as follows:
 - (a) except to the extent the Contractor has previously disclosed otherwise in writing to the Province,
 - (i) all information, statements, documents and reports furnished or submitted by the Contractor to the Province in connection with this Agreement (including as part of any competitive process resulting in this Agreement being entered into) are in all material respects true and correct,
 - (ii) the Contractor has sufficient trained staff, facilities, materials, appropriate equipment and approved subcontractual agreements in place and available to enable the Contractor to fully perform the Services, and
 - (iii) the Contractor holds all permits, licenses, approvals and statutory authorities issued by any government or government agency that are necessary for the performance of the Contractor's obligations under this Agreement; and
 - (b) if the Contractor is not an individual,
 - (i) the Contractor has the power and capacity to enter into this Agreement and to observe, perform and comply with the terms of this Agreement and all necessary corporate or other proceedings have been taken and done to authorize the execution and delivery of this Agreement by, or on behalf of, the Contractor, and
 - (ii) this Agreement has been legally and properly executed by, or on behalf of, the Contractor and is legally binding upon and enforceable against the Contractor in accordance with its terms except as enforcement may be limited by bankruptcy, insolvency or other laws affecting the rights of creditors generally and except that equitable remedies may be granted only in the discretion of a court of competent jurisdiction.

5 PRIVACY, SECURITY AND CONFIDENTIALITY

Privacy

5.1 The Contractor must comply with the Privacy Protection Schedule attached as Schedule E.

Security

- 5.2 The Contractor must:
 - (a) make reasonable security arrangements to protect the Material from unauthorized access, collection, use, disclosure, alteration or disposal; and
 - (b) comply with the Security Schedule attached as Schedule G.

Confidentiality

- 5.3 The Contractor must treat as confidential all information in the Material and all other information accessed or obtained by the Contractor or a Subcontractor (whether verbally, electronically or otherwise) as a result of this Agreement, and not permit its disclosure or use without the Province's prior written consent except:
 - (a) as required to perform the Contractor's obligations under this Agreement or to comply with applicable laws;
 - (b) if it is information that is generally known to the public other than as result of a breach of this Agreement; or
 - (c) if it is information in any Incorporated Material.

Public announcements

5.4 Any public announcement relating to this Agreement will be arranged by the Province and, if such consultation is reasonably practicable, after consultation with the Contractor.

Restrictions on promotion

5.5 The Contractor, must not, without the prior written approval of the Province, refer for promotional purposes to the Province being a customer of the Contractor or the Province having entered into this Agreement.

6 MATERIAL AND INTELLECTUAL PROPERTY

Access to Material

6.1 If the Contractor receives a request for access to any of the Material from a person other than the Province, and this Agreement does not require or authorize the Contractor to provide that access, the Contractor must promptly advise the person to make the request to the Province.

Ownership and delivery of Material

6.2 The Province exclusively owns all property rights in the Material which are not intellectual property rights. The Contractor must deliver any Material to the Province immediately upon the Province's request.

Matters respecting intellectual property

- 6.3 The Province exclusively owns all intellectual property rights, including copyright, in:
 - (a) Received Material that the Contractor receives from the Province; and
 - (b) Produced Material, other than any Incorporated Material.

Upon the Province's request, the Contractor must deliver to the Province documents satisfactory to the Province that irrevocably waive in the Province's favour any moral rights which the Contractor (or employees of the Contractor) or a Subcontractor (or employees of a Subcontractor) may have in the Produced Material and that confirm the vesting in the Province of the copyright in the Produced Material, other than any Incorporated Material.

Rights in relation to Incorporated Material

- 6.4 Upon any Incorporated Material being embedded or incorporated in the Produced Material and to the extent that it remains so embedded or incorporated, the Contractor grants to the Province:
 - (a) a non-exclusive, perpetual, irrevocable, royalty-free, worldwide license to use, reproduce, modify and distribute that Incorporated Material; and
 - (b) the right to sublicense to third-parties the right to use, reproduce, modify and distribute that Incorporated Material.

Right of Province to negotiate license of Produced Material

After the end of the Term, the Province In its sole discretion, may negotiate with the Contractor to provide the Contractor a license (which may be exclusive or non-exclusive) for the Contractor to use, reproduce, modify or distribute some or all of the Produced Material.

7 RECORDS AND REPORTS

Work reporting

7.1 Upon the Province's request, the Contractor must fully inform the Province of all work done by the Contractor or a Subcontractor in connection with providing the Services.

Time and expense records

7.2 If Schedule B provides for the Contractor to be paid fees at a daily or hourly rate or for the Contractor to be paid or reimbursed for expenses, the Contractor must maintain time records and books of account, invoices, receipts and vouchers of expenses in support of those payments, in form and content satisfactory to the Province. Unless otherwise specified in this Agreement, the Contractor must retain such documents for a period of not less than seven years after this Agreement ends.

8 AUDIT

8.1 In addition to any other rights of inspection the Province may have under statute or otherwise, the Province may at any reasonable time and on reasonable notice to the Contractor, enter on the Contractor's premises to inspect and, at the Province's discretion, copy any of the Material and the Contractor must permit, and provide reasonable assistance to, the exercise by the Province of the Province's rights under this section.

9 INDEMNITY AND INSURANCE

Indemnity

9.1 The Contractor must indemnify and save harmless the Province and the Province's employees and agents from any losses, claims, damages, actions, causes of action, costs and expenses that the Province or any of the Province's employees or agents may sustain, incur, suffer or be put to at any time, either before or after this Agreement ends, including any claim of infringement of third-party intellectual property rights, where the same or any of them are based upon, arise out of or occur, directly or indirectly, by reason of any act or omission by the Contractor or by any of the Contractor's agents, employees, officers, directors or Subcontractors in connection with this Agreement (each a "Loss"), excepting always liability arising out of the independent acts or omissions of the Province and the Province's employees and agents.

Monetary limitations of indemnity

- 9.2 The indemnification by the Contractor pursuant to section 9.1 is limited to:
 - (a) \$2,000,000 per Loss; and

(b) \$4,000,000 in the aggregate for all Losses.

Exceptions to monetary limitations

- 9.3 The limitations set out in section 9.2 do not apply to a Loss resulting from any of the following:
 - (a) bodily injury or damage to real property or tangible personal property;
 - (b) a claim of infringement of third-party intellectual property rights; or
 - (c) a breach of section 5.1, 5.2, 5.3 or 6.1 of this Agreement.

Province to notify Contractor of Loss

9.4 To claim indemnification for a Loss pursuant to section 9.1, the Province must notify the Contractor in writing of the Loss as soon as reasonably practicable after the Province becomes aware of the Loss provided that a failure by the Province to provide such notification will not invalidate the claim unless the Contractor is materially prejudiced by that failure.

Third-party Intellectual property infringement claims

- 9.5 If the Loss is on the basis of a third-party claim that any element of the Material infringes the intellectual property rights of any person,
 - (a) then the Contractor must defend the Province against that claim at the Contractor's expense and the Contractor must pay all associated costs, damages and legal fees that a court or arbitrator finally awards or are included in a settlement agreed to by the Contractor; and
 - (b) the Province must cooperate with the Contractor in the defence of the claim and, where appropriate in the discretion of the Province, will allow the Contractor to appoint and instruct counsel and otherwise control the defence and any related settlement negotiations.

Insurance

9.6 The Contractor must comply with the Insurance Schedule attached as Schedule D.

Workers compensation

9.7 Without limiting the generality of section 2.9, the Contractor must comply with, and must ensure that any Subcontractors comply with, all applicable occupational health and safety laws in relation to the performance of the Contractor's obligations under this Agreement, including the Workers Compensation Act in British Columbia or similar laws in other jurisdictions.

Personal optional protection

- The Contractor must apply for and maintain personal optional protection insurance (consisting of income replacement and medical care coverage) during the Term at the Contractor's expense if:
 - (a) the Contractor is an individual or a partnership of individuals and does not have the benefit of mandatory workers compensation coverage under the *Workers Compensation Act* or similar laws in other jurisdictions; and
 - (b) such personal optional protection insurance is available for the Contractor from WorkSafeBC or other sources.

Evidence of coverage

9.9 Within 10 Business Days of being requested to do so by the Province, the Contractor must provide the Province with evidence of the Contractor's compliance with sections 9.7 and 9.8.

10 FORCE MAJEURE

Definitions relating to force majeure

- 10.1 In this section and sections 10.2 and 10.3:
 - (a) "Event of Force Majeure" means one of the following events:
 - (i) a natural disaster, fire, flood, storm, epidemic or power failure,
 - (ii) a war (declared and undeclared), insurrection or act of terrorism or piracy,
 - (iii) a strike (including illegal work stoppage or slowdown) or lockout, or
 - (iv) a freight embargo

if the event prevents a party from performing the party's obligations in accordance with this Agreement and is beyond the reasonable control of that party; and

(b) "Affected Party" means a party prevented from performing the party's obligations in accordance with this Agreement by an Event of Force Majeure.

Consequence of Event of Force Majeure

An Affected Party is not liable to the other party for any failure or delay in the performance of the Affected Party's obligations under this Agreement resulting from an Event of Force Majeure and any time periods for the performance of such obligations are automatically extended for the duration of the Event of Force Majeure provided that the Affected Party complies with the requirements of section 10.3.

Duties of Affected Party

10.3 An Affected Party must promptly notify the other party in writing upon the occurrence of the Event of Force Majeure and make all reasonable efforts to prevent, control or limit the effect of the Event of Force Majeure so as to resume compliance with the Affected Party's obligations under this Agreement as soon as possible.

11 DEFAULT AND TERMINATION

Definitions relating to default and termination

- 11.1 In this section and sections 11.2 to 11.4:
 - (a) "Event of Default" means any of the following:
 - (i) an Insolvency Event,
 - the Contractor fails to perform any of the Contractor's obligations under this Agreement, or
 - (iii) any representation or warranty made by the Contractor in this Agreement is untrue or incorrect; and
 - (b) "Insolvency Event" means any of the following:
 - (i) an order is made, a resolution is passed or a petition is filed, for the Contractor's liquidation or winding up,
 - (ii) the Contractor commits an act of bankruptcy, makes an assignment for the benefit of the Contractor's creditors or otherwise acknowledges the Contractor's insolvency,
 - (iii) a bankruptcy petition is filed or presented against the Contractor or a proposal under the Bankruptcy and Insolvency Act (Canada) is made by the Contractor,
 - (iv) a compromise or arrangement is proposed in respect of the Contractor under the Companies' Creditors Arrangement Act (Canada),

- (v) a receiver or receiver-manager is appointed for any of the Contractor's property, or
- (vi) the Contractor ceases, in the Province's reasonable opinion, to carry on business as a going concern.

Province's options on default

- On the happening of an Event of Default, or at any time thereafter, the Province may, at its option, elect to do any one or more of the following:
 - (a) by written notice to the Contractor, require that the Event of Default be remedied within a time period specified in the notice;
 - (b) pursue any remedy or take any other action available to it at law or in equity; or
 - (c) by written notice to the Contractor, terminate this Agreement with immediate effect or on a future date specified in the notice, subject to the expiration of any time period specified under section 11,2(a).

Delay not a waiver

11.3 No failure or delay on the part of the Province to exercise its rights in relation to an Event of Default will constitute a waiver by the Province of such rights.

Province's right to terminate other than for default

In addition to the Province's right to terminate this Agreement under section 11.2(c) on the happening of an Event of Default, the Province may terminate this Agreement for any reason by giving at least 10 days' written notice of termination to the Contractor.

Payment consequences of termination

- 11.5 Unless Schedule B otherwise provides, if the Province terminates this Agreement under section 11.4:
 - (a) the Province must, within 30 days of such termination, pay to the Contractor any unpaid portion of the fees and expenses described in Schedule B which corresponds with the portion of the Services that was completed to the Province's satisfaction before termination of this Agreement; and
 - (b) the Contractor must, within 30 days of such termination, repay to the Province any paid portion of the fees and expenses described in Schedule B which corresponds with the portion of the Services that the Province has notified the Contractor in writing was not completed to the Province's satisfaction before termination of this Agreement.

Discharge of liability

11.6 The payment by the Province of the amount described in section 11.5(a) discharges the Province from all liability to make payments to the Contractor under this Agreement.

Notice in relation to Events of Default

11.7 If the Contractor becomes aware that an Event of Default has occurred or anticipates that an Event of Default is likely to occur, the Contractor must promptly notify the Province of the particulars of the Event of Default or anticipated Event of Default. A notice under this section as to the occurrence of an Event of Default must also specify the steps the Contractor proposes to take to address, or prevent recurrence of, the Event of Default. A notice under this section as to an anticipated Event of Default must specify the steps the Contractor proposes to take to prevent the occurrence of the anticipated Event of Default.

12 DISPUTE RESOLUTION

Dispute resolution process

- 12.1 In the event of any dispute between the parties arising out of or in connection with this Agreement, the following dispute resolution process will apply unless the parties otherwise agree in writing:
 - (a) the parties must initially attempt to resolve the dispute through collaborative negotiation;
 - (b) if the dispute is not resolved through collaborative negotiation within 15 Business Days of the dispute arising, the parties must then attempt to resolve the dispute through mediation under the rules of the British Columbia Mediator Roster Society; and
 - (c) if the dispute is not resolved through mediation within 30 Business Days of the commencement of mediation, the dispute must be referred to and finally resolved by arbitration under the Arbitration Act.

Location of arbitration or mediation

12.2 Unless the parties otherwise agree in writing, an arbitration or mediation under section 12.1 will be held in Victoria, British Columbia.

Costs of arbitration or mediation

12.3 Unless the parties otherwise agree in writing or, in the case of an arbitration, the arbitrator otherwise orders, the parties must share equally the costs of a arbitration or mediation under section 12.1 other than those costs relating to the production of expert evidence or representation by counsel.

13 MISCELLANEOUS

Delivery of notices

- 13.1 Any notice contemplated by this Agreement, to be effective, must be in writing and delivered as follows:
 - (a) by fax to the addressee's fax number specified on the first page of this Agreement, in which case it will be deemed to be received on the day of transmittal unless transmitted after the normal business hours of the addressee or on a day that is not a Business Day, in which cases it will be deemed to be received on the next following Business Day;
 - (b) by hand to the addressee's address specified on the first page of this Agreement, in which case it will be deemed to be received on the day of its delivery; or
 - (c) by prepaid post to the addressee's address specified on the first page of this Agreement, in which case if mailed during any period when normal postal services prevail, it will be deemed to be received on the fifth Business Day after its mailing.

Change of address or fax number

13.2 Either party may from time to time give notice to the other party of a substitute address or fax number, which from the date such notice is given will supersede for purposes of section 13.1 any previous address or fax number specified for the party giving the notice.

Assignment

13.3 The Contractor must not assign any of the Contractor's rights under this Agreement without the Province's prior written consent.

Subcontracting

- 13.4. The Contractor must not subcontract any of the Contractor's obligations under this Agreement to any person without the Province's prior written consent, excepting persons listed in the attached Schedule C. No subcontract, whether consented to or not, relieves the Contractor from any obligations under this Agreement. The Contractor must ensure that:
 - (a) any person retained by the Contractor to perform obligations under this Agreement; and
 - (b) any person retained by a person described in paragraph (a) to perform those obligations fully complies with this Agreement in performing the subcontracted obligations.

Waiver

13.5 A waiver of any term or breach of this Agreement is effective only if it is in writing and signed by, or on behalf of, the waiving party and is not a waiver of any other term or breach.

Modifications

13.6 No modification of this Agreement is effective unless it is in writing and signed by, or on behalf of, the parties.

Entire agreement

13.7 This Agreement (including any modification of it) constitutes the entire agreement between the parties as to performance of the Services.

Survival of certain provisions

13.8 Sections 2.9, 3.1 to 3.4, 3.7, 3.8, 5.1 to 5.5, 6.1 to 6.5, 7.1, 7.2, 8.1, 9.1 to 9.6, 9.9, 10.1 to 10.3, 11.2, 11.3, 11.5, 11.6, 12.1 to 12.3, 13.1, 13.2, 13.8, and 13.10, any accrued but unpaid payment obligations, and any other sections of this Agreement (including schedules) which, by their terms or nature, are intended to survive the completion of the Services or termination of this Agreement, will continue in force indefinitely, even after this Agreement ends.

Schedules

13.9 The schedules to this Agreement (including any appendices or other documents attached to, or incorporated by reference into, those schedules) are part of this Agreement.

Independent contractor

- 13.10 In relation to the performance of the Contractor's obligations under this Agreement, the Contractor is an independent contractor and not:
 - (a) . an employee or partner of the Province; or
 - (b) an agent of the Province except as may be expressly provided for in this Agreement.

The Contractor must not act or purport to act contrary to this section,

Personnel not to be employees of Province

13.11 The Contractor must not do anything that would result in personnel hired or used by the Contractor or a Subcontractor in relation to providing the Services being considered employees of the Province.

Key Personnel

13.12 If one or more individuals are specified as "Key Personnel" of the Contractor in Part 4 of Schedule A, the Contractor must cause those individuals to perform the Services on the Contractor's behalf, unless the Province otherwise approves in writing, which approval must not be unreasonably withheld.

Pertinent information

13.13 The Province must make available to the Contractor all information in the Province's possession which the Province considers pertinent to the performance of the Services.

Conflict of interest

13.14 The Contractor must not provide any services to any person in circumstances which, in the Province's reasonable opinion, could give rise to a conflict of interest between the Contractor's duties to that person and the Contractor's duties to the Province under this Agreement.

Time

13.15 Time is of the essence in this Agreement and, without limitation, will remain of the essence after any modification or extension of this Agreement, whether or not expressly restated in the document effecting the modification or extension.

Conflicts among provisions

- 13.16 Conflicts among provisions of this Agreement will be resolved as follows:
 - (a) a provision in the body of this Agreement will prevail over any conflicting provision in, aftached to or incorporated by reference into a schedule, unless that conflicting provision expressly states otherwise; and
 - (b) a provision in a schedule will prevail over any conflicting provision in a document attached to, or incorporated by reference into a schedule, unless the schedule expressly states otherwise.

Agreement not permit nor fetter

13.17 This Agreement does not operate as a permit, license, approval or other statutory authority which the Contractor may be required to obtain from the Province or any of its agencies in order to provide the Services. Nothing in this Agreement is to be construed as interfering with, or fettering in any manner, the exercise by the Province or its agencies of any statutory, prerogative, executive or legislative power or duty.

Remainder not affected by invalidity

13.18 If any provision of this Agreement or the application of it to any person or circumstance is invalid or unenforceable to any extent, the remainder of this Agreement and the application of such provision to any other person or circumstance will not be affected or impaired and will be valid and enforceable to the extent permitted by law.

Further assurances

13.19 Each party must perform the acts, execute and deliver the writings, and give the assurances as may be reasonably necessary to give full effect to this Agreement.

Additional terms

13.20 Any additional terms set out in the attached Schedule F apply to this Agreement,

Governing law

13.21 This Agreement is governed by, and is to be interpreted and construed in accordance with, the laws applicable in British Columbia.

14 INTERPRETATION

- 14.1 In this Agreement:
 - (a) "includes" and "including" are not intended to be limiting;
 - (b) unless the context otherwise requires, references to sections by number are to sections of this Agreement;
 - (c) the Contractor and the Province are referred to as "the parties" and each of them as a "party";
 - (d) "attached" means attached to this Agreement when used in relation to a schedule;
 - (e) unless otherwise specified, a reference to a statute by name means the statute of British Columbia by that name, as amended or replaced from time to time;
 - (f) the headings have been inserted for convenience of reference only and are not intended to describe, enlarge or restrict the scope or meaning of this Agreement or any provision of it;
 - (g) "person" includes an individual, partnership, corporation or legal entity of any nature; and
 - (h) unless the context otherwise requires, words expressed in the singular include the plural and *vice* versa,

15 EXECUTION AND DELIVERY OF AGREEMENT

15.1 This Agreement may be entered into by a separate copy of this Agreement being executed by, or on behalf of, each party and that executed copy being delivered to the other party by a method provided for in section 13.1 or any other method agreed to by the parties.

The parties have executed this Agreement as follows:

SIGNED on the day of 2013 by the Contractor (or, if not an individual, on its behalf by its authorized signatory or signatories):	SIGNED on the day of \text{12013} on behalf of the Province by its duly authorized representative:
Signature(s) W.F. (Rick) Ro GIR Print Name(s) Principe / Print Title(s)	Signature Carolyn Bell Print Name Executive Director Print Title

Schedule A - Services

PART 1, TERM:

The term of this Agreement commences on December 6th 2013 and ends on March 31st 2014.

PART 2. SERVICES:

The Contractor must provide expert advice on health systems performance evaluation in regards to the Fraser Health Authority review, as instructed by the Ministry.

Services will be required for up to 20 hours per week.

- Analysis of health needs of health authority regional population
- Analysis of service capacity of health care providers and facilities in the region (and comparisons across health authorities)
- Levels of health programs, services and expenditures dedicated to levels of care (acute, primary, community, mental health etc.) and comparisons across health authorities
- Analysis of whether levels of service optimally meet the health needs of the regions and comparisons across health authorities

Data Access & Security

Ministry of Health staff will provide the Contractor with de-indentified and/or aggregate level data to allow him to perform analyses of service volume activity, population health status, and service utilization of health services from the following s.15

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Data will be provided to the contractor as extracts that have been vetted by Ministry of Health staff to ensure anonymity is maintained. Raw source data will not be provided to the Contractor,

Information provided to the contractor for analysis purposes may also include briefing materials, summary data, reports and other documents, as necessary.

Data

If any of the Received Material is data ("Data") then the Contractor can only extract or copy that Data to identified locations of the Province.

Further to section 5.3 of this Agreement, the Contractor cannot share Data with third parties unless the Contactor receives the prior written approval of the Province.

If any of the Data is "Sensitive Information" as defined in Schedule G, then the Contractor cannot forward that Sensitive Information to non-government email accounts and the Data must remain on gov.bc.ca email accounts.

Reporting requirements
Briefing materials as required.

PART 3. RELATED DOCUMENTATION: Not applicable

PART 4 KEY PERSONNEL:

- 1. The Key Personnel of the Contractor are as follows:
 - (a) Rick Roger

Schedule B - Fees and Expenses

1. MAXIMUM AMOUNT PAYABLE:

<u>Maximum Amount</u>: Despite sections 2 and 3 of this Schedule, \$50,000 is the maximum amount which the Province is obliged to pay to the Contractor for fees and expenses under this Agreement (exclusive of any applicable taxes described in section 3.1(c) of this Agreement).

2. FEES:

Hourly Rate

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Fees: at a rate of

per hour for those hours during the Term when the Contractor provides the Services.

3. EXPENSES:

Expenses:

None

4. STATEMENTS OF ACCOUNT:

Statements of Account: In order to obtain payment of any fees and expenses under this Agreement for a period from and including the 1st day of a month to and including the last day of that month (each a "Billing Period"), the Contractor must deliver to the Province on a date after the Billing Period (each a "Billing Date"), a written statement of account in a form satisfactory to the Province containing:

- (a) the Contractor's legal name and address;
- (b) the date of the statement, and the Billing Period to which the statement pertains;
- (c) the Contractor's calculation of all fees claimed for that Billing Period, including a declaration by the Contractor of all hours worked during the Billing Period for which the Contractor claims fees and a description of the applicable fee rates;
- (d) a chronological listing, in reasonable detail, of any expenses claimed by the Contractor for the Billing Period with receipts attached, if applicable, and, if the Contractor is claiming reimbursement of any GST or other applicable taxes paid or payable by the Contractor in relation to those expenses, a description of any credits, rebates, refunds or remissions the Contractor is entitled to from the relevant taxation authorities in relation to those taxes;
- (e) the Contractor's calculation of any applicable taxes payable by the Province in relation to the Services for the Billing Period;
- (f) a description of this Agreement;
- (g) a statement number for identification; and
- (h) any other billing information reasonably requested by the Province.

5. PAYMENTS DUE:

<u>Payments Due</u>: Within 30 days of the Province's receipt of the Contractor's written statement of account delivered in accordance with this Schedule, the Province must pay the Contractor the fees and expenses (plus all applicable taxes), claimed in the statement if they are in accordance with this Schedule. Statements of account or contract invoices offering an early payment discount may be paid by the Province as required to obtain the discount.

Schedule D - Insurance

- 1. The Contractor must, without limiting the Contractor's obligation or liabilities and at the Contractor's own expense, purchase and maintain throughout the Term the following insurances with insurers licensed in Canada in forms and amounts acceptable to the Province:
 - (a) Commercial General Liability in an amount not less than \$2,000,000 inclusive per occurrence against bodily injury, personal injury and property damage and including liability assumed under this Agreement and this insurance must:
 - (i) include the Province as an additional insured,
 - (ii) be endorsed to provide the Province with 30 days advance written notice of cancellation or material change, and
 - (iii) include a cross liability clause; and
 - (b) Professional Errors and Omissions Liability insuring the Contractor's liability resulting from errors or omissions in the performance of the Services in an amount per occurrence, and in the aggregate, calculated as follows:
 - (i) not less than \$1,000,000, if the "Maximum Amount" set out in Schedule B is less than \$500,000; and
 - (ii) not less than \$2,000,000, if the "Maximum Amount" set out in Schedule B is \$500,000 or greater.
- 2. All insurance described in section 1 of this Schedule must:
 - (a) be primary; and
 - (b) not require the sharing of any loss by any insurer of the Province.
- 3. The Contractor must provide the Province with evidence of all required insurance as follows:
 - (a) within 10 Business Days of commencement of the Services, the Contractor must provide to the Province evidence of all required insurance in the form of a completed Province of British Columbia Certificate of Insurance:
 - (b) if any required insurance policy expires before the end of the Term, the Contractor must provide, within 10 Business Days of the policy's expiration, evidence of a new or renewal policy meeting the requirements of the expired insurance in the form of a completed Province of British Columbia Certificate of Insurance; and
 - (c) despite paragraph (a) or (b) above, if requested by the Province at any time, the Contractor must provide to the Province certified copies of the required insurance policies.
- 4. Despite section 1(b) of this Schedule, if in the Province's sole discretion, the Province has approved in writing either a fronted self-insurance program or a duly licensed captive insurer as an alternative to the Professional Liability Insurance requirement set out in section 1(b), then the Contractor must maintain throughout the Term that alternative in accordance with the terms of the approval.

Schedule C - Approved Subcontractor(s)

Not applicable

Schedule E - Privacy Protection Schedule

Definitions

- 1. In this Schedule,
 - (a) "access" means disclosure by the provision of access;
 - (b) "Act" means the Freedom of Information and Protection of Privacy Act;
 - (c) "contact information" means information to enable an individual at a place of business to be contacted and includes the name, position name or title, business telephone number, business address, business email or business fax number of the individual;
 - (d) "personal information" means recorded information about an identifiable individual, other than contact information, collected or created by the Contractor as a result of the Agreement or any previous agreement between the Province and the Contractor dealing with the same subject matter as the Agreement but excluding any such information that, if this Schedule did not apply to it, would not be under the "control of a public body" within the meaning of the Act.

Purpose

- 2. The purpose of this Schedule is to:
 - (a) enable the Province to comply with the Province's statutory obligations under the Act with respect to personal information; and
 - (b) ensure that, as a service provider, the Contractor is aware of and complies with the Contractor's statutory obligations under the Act with respect to personal information.

Collection of personal information

- 3. Unless the Agreement otherwise specifies or the Province otherwise directs in writing, the Contractor may only collect or create personal information that is necessary for the performance of the Contractor's obligations, or the exercise of the Contractor's rights, under the Agreement.
- 4. Unless the Agreement otherwise specifies or the Province otherwise directs in writing, the Contractor must collect personal information directly from the individual the information is about.
- 5. Unless the Agreement otherwise specifies or the Province otherwise directs in writing, the Contractor must tell an individual from whom the Contractor collects personal information:
 - (a) the purpose for collecting it;
 - (b) the legal authority for collecting it; and
 - (c) the title, business address and business telephone number of the person designated by the Province to answer questions about the Contractor's collection of personal information.

Accuracy of personal information

6. The Contractor must make every reasonable effort to ensure the accuracy and completeness of any personal information to be used by the Contractor or the Province to make a decision that directly affects the individual the information is about.

Requests for access to personal information

7. If the Contractor receives a request for access to personal information from a person other than the Province, the Contractor must promptly advise the person to make the request to the Province unless the Agreement expressly requires the Contractor to provide such access and, if the Province has advised the Contractor of the name or title and contact information of an official of the Province to whom such requests are to be made, the Contractor must also promptly provide that official's name or title and contact information to the person making the request.

Correction of personal information

- 8. Within 5 Business Days of receiving a written direction from the Province to correct or annotate any personal information, the Contractor must annotate or correct the information in accordance with the direction.
- 9. When issuing a written direction under section 8, the Province must advise the Contractor of the date the correction request to which the direction relates was received by the Province in order that the Contractor may comply with section 10.
- 10. Within 5 Business Days of correcting or annotating any personal information under section 8, the Contractor must provide the corrected or annotated information to any party to whom, within one year prior to the date the correction request was made to the Province, the Contractor disclosed the information being corrected or annotated.
- If the Contractor receives a request for correction of personal information from a person other than the Province, the Contractor must promptly advise the person to make the request to the Province and, if the Province has advised the Contractor of the name or title and contact information of an official of the Province to whom such requests are to be made, the Contractor must also promptly provide that official's name or title and contact information to the person making the request.

Protection of personal Information

12. The Contractor must protect personal information by making reasonable security arrangements against such risks as unauthorized access, collection, use, disclosure or disposal, including any expressly set out in the Agreement.

Storage and access to personal information

13. Unless the Province otherwise directs in writing, the Contractor must not store personal information outside Canada or permit access to personal information from outside Canada.

Retention of personal information

14. Unless the Agreement otherwise specifies, the Contractor must retain personal information until directed by the Province in writing to dispose of it or deliver it as specified in the direction.

Use of personal information

15. Unless the Province otherwise directs in writing, the Contractor may only use personal information if that use is for the performance of the Contractor's obligations, or the exercise of the Contractor's rights, under the Agreement.

Disclosure of personal information

- 16. Unless the Province otherwise directs in writing, the Contractor may only disclose personal information inside Canada to any person other than the Province if the disclosure is for the performance of the Contractor's obligations, or the exercise of the Contractor's rights, under the Agreement.
- 17. Unless the Agreement otherwise specifies or the Province otherwise directs in writing, the Contractor must not disclose personal information outside Canada.

Notice of foreign demands for disclosure

- 18. In addition to any obligation the Contractor may have to provide the notification contemplated by section 30.2 of the Act, if in relation to personal information in the custody or under the control of the Contractor, the Contractor:
 - (a) receives a foreign demand for disclosure;
 - (b) receives a request to disclose, produce or provide access that the Contractor knows or has reason to suspect is for the purpose of responding to a foreign demand for disclosure; or
 - (c) has reason to suspect that an unauthorized disclosure of personal information has occurred in response to a foreign demand for disclosure

the Contractor must immediately notify the Province and, in so doing, provide the information described in section 30.2(3) of the Act. In this section, the phrases "foreign demand for disclosure" and "unauthorized disclosure of personal information" will bear the same meanings as in section 30.2 of the Act.

Notice of unauthorized disclosure

19. In addition to any obligation the Contractor may have to provide the notification contemplated by section 30.5 of the Act, if the Contractor knows that there has been an unauthorized disclosure of personal information in the custody or under the control of the Contractor, the Contractor must immediately notify the Province. In this section, the phrase "unauthorized disclosure of personal information" will bear the same meaning as in section 30.5 of the Act.

Inspection of personal information

20. In addition to any other rights of inspection the Province may have under the Agreement or under statute, the Province may, at any reasonable time and on reasonable notice to the Contractor, enter on the Contractor's premises to inspect any personal information in the possession of the Contractor or any of the Contractor's information management policies or practices relevant to the Contractor's management of personal information or the Contractor's compliance with this Schedule and the Contractor must permit, and provide reasonable assistance to, any such inspection.

Compliance with the Act and directions

- 21. The Contractor must in relation to personal information comply with:
 - (a) the requirements of the Act applicable to the Contractor as a service provider, including any applicable order of the commissioner under the Act; and
 - (b) any direction given by the Province under this Schedule.

22. The Contractor acknowledges that it is familiar with the requirements of the Act governing personal information that are applicable to it as a service provider.

Notice of non-compliance

23. If for any reason the Contractor does not comply, or anticipates that it will be unable to comply, with a provision in this Schedule in any respect, the Contractor must promptly notify the Province of the particulars of the non-compliance or anticipated non-compliance and what steps it proposes to take to address, or prevent recurrence of, the non-compliance or anticipated non-compliance.

Termination of Agreement

24. In addition to any other rights of termination which the Province may have under the Agreement or otherwise at law, the Province may, subject to any provisions in the Agreement establishing mandatory cure periods for defaults by the Contractor, terminate the Agreement by giving written notice of such termination to the Contractor, upon any failure of the Contractor to comply with this Schedule in a material respect.

Interpretation

- 25. In this Schedule, references to sections by number are to sections of this Schedule unless otherwise specified in this Schedule.
- 26. Any reference to the "Contractor" in this Schedule includes any subcontractor or agent retained by the Contractor to perform obligations under the Agreement and the Contractor must ensure that any such subcontractors and agents comply with this Schedule.
- 27. The obligations of the Contractor in this Schedule will survive the termination of the Agreement.
- 28. If a provision of the Agreement (including any direction given by the Province under this Schedule) conflicts with a requirement of the Act or an applicable order of the commissioner under the Act, the conflicting provision of the Agreement (or direction) will be inoperative to the extent of the conflict.
- 29. The Contractor must comply with the provisions of this Schedule despite any conflicting provision of this Agreement or, subject to section 30, the law of any jurisdiction outside Canada.
- 30. Nothing in this Schedule requires the Contractor to contravene the law of any jurisdiction outside Canada unless such contravention is required to comply with the Act.

Schedule F - Additional Terms

- 1. Contractor Identification During the term of this agreement and at the request of the Province, contractors shall identify themselves as contractors to the ministry. This may be in the form of email signature blocks, business cards, correspondence, and verbal business dealings.
- 2. In addition to section 13.1, the General Services Agreement may be entered into by each party signing and delivering it to the other party by email with attachment in PDF format.

Schedule G - Security Schedule

Definitions

- 1. In this Schedule,
 - "Equipment" means any equipment, including interconnected systems or subsystems of equipment, software and networks, used or to be used by the Contractor to provide the Services;
 - (b) "Facilities" means any facilities at which the Contractor provides or is to provide the Services;
 - (c) "Information" means information
 - (i) in the Material, or
 - (ii) accessed, produced or obtained by the Contractor (whether verbally, electronically or otherwise) as a result of the Agreement;
 - (d) "Record" means a "record" as defined in the Interpretation Act;
 - (e) "Sensitive Information" means
 - (i) Information that is "personal information" as defined in the Freedom of Information and Protection of Privacy Act, or
 - (ii) any other Information specified as "Sensitive Information" in Appendix G6, if attached; and
 - (f) "Services Worker" means an individual involved in providing the Services for or on behalf of the Contractor and, for greater certainty, may include
 - (i) the Contractor or a subcontractor if an individual, or
 - (ii) an employee or volunteer of the Contractor or of a subcontractor.

Schedule contains additional obligations

2. The obligations of the Contractor in this Schedule are in addition to any other obligation in the Agreement or the schedules attached to it relating to security including, without limitation, the obligations of the Contractor in the Privacy Protection Schedule, if attached.

Services Worker confidentiality agreements

3. The Contractor must not permit a Services Worker who is an employee or volunteer of the Contractor to have access to Sensitive Information unless the Services Worker has first entered into a confidentiality agreement with the Contractor to keep Sensitive Information confidential on substantially similar terms as those that apply to the Contractor under the Agreement.

Services Worker security screening

4. The Contractor may only permit a Services Worker who is an employee or a volunteer of the Contractor to have access to Sensitive Information or otherwise be involved in providing the Services if, after having subjected the Services Worker to the personnel security screening requirements set out in Appendix G1 and any additional requirements the Contractor may consider appropriate, the Contractor is satisfied that the Services Worker does not constitute an unreasonable security risk. The Contractor must create, obtain and retain Records documenting the Contractor's compliance with the security screening requirements set out in Appendix G1 in accordance with the provisions of that appendix.

Services Worker activity logging

- 5. Subject to section 6, the Contractor must create and maintain detailed Records logging the activities of all Service Workers in relation to:
 - (a) their access to Sensitive Information; and
 - (b) other matters specified by the Province in writing for the purposes of this section.
- 6. The Records described in section 5 must be made and maintained in a manner, and contain information, specified in Appendix G2, if attached.

Facilities and Equipment protection and access control

- 7. The Contractor must create, maintain and follow a documented process to:
 - (a) protect Facilities and Equipment of the Contractor required by the Contractor to provide the Services from loss, damage or any other occurrence that may result in any of those Facilities and Equipment being unavailable when required to provide the Services; and
 - (b) limit access to Facilities and Equipment of the Contractor
 - (i) being used by the Contractor to provide the Services, or
 - (ii) that may be used by someone to access Information

to those persons who are authorized to have that access and for the purposes for which they are authorized, which process must include measures to verify the identity of those persons.

8. If the Province makes available to the Contractor any Facilities or Equipment of the Province for the use of the Contractor in providing the Services, the Contractor must comply with any policies and procedures provided to it by the Province on acceptable use, protection of, and access to, such Facilities or Equipment.

Sensitive Information access control

- 9. The Contractor must:
 - (a) create, maintain and follow a documented process for limiting access to Sensitive Information to those persons who are authorized to have that access and for the purposes for which they are authorized, which process must include measures to verify the identity of those persons; and
 - (b) comply with the information access control requirements set out in Appendix G3, if attached.

Integrity of Information

- 10. The Contractor must:
 - (a) create, maintain and follow a documented process for maintaining the integrity of Information while possessed or accessed by the Contractor; and
 - (b) comply with the information integrity requirements set out in Appendix G4, if attached.
- 11. For the purposes of section 10, maintaining the integrity of Information means that, except to the extent expressly authorized by the Agreement or approved in writing by the Province, the Information has:
 - (a) remained as complete as when it was acquired or accessed by the Contractor; and
 - (b) not been altered in any material respect.

Documentation of changes to processes

12. The Contractor must create and maintain detailed Records logging any changes it makes to the processes described in sections 7, 9 and 10.

Notice of security breaches

- 13. If Contractor becomes aware that:
 - (a) unauthorized access, collection, use, disclosure, alteration or disposal of Information or Records containing Information; or
 - (b) unauthorized access to Facilities or Equipment

has occurred or is likely to occur (whether or not related to a failure by the Contractor to comply with this Schedule or the Agreement), the Contractor must immediately notify the Province of the particulars of that occurrence or likely occurrence. If the Contractor provides a notification under this section other than in writing, that notification must be confirmed in writing to the Province as soon as it is reasonably practicable for the Contractor to do so.

Review of security breaches

14. If the Province decides to conduct a review of a matter described in section 13 (whether or not the matter came to the attention of the Province as a result of a notification under section 13), the Contractor must, on the request of the Province, participate in the review to the extent that it is reasonably practicable for the Contractor to do so.

Retention of Records

15. Unless the Agreement otherwise specifies, the Contractor must retain all Records in the Contractor's possession that contain Information until directed by the Province in writing to dispose of them or deliver them as specified in the direction.

Storage of Records

16. Until disposed of or delivered in accordance with section 15, the Contractor must store any Records in the Contractor's possession that contain Information in accordance with the provisions of Appendix G5, if attached.

Audit

- 17. In addition to any other rights of inspection the Province may have under the Agreement or under statute, the Province may, at any reasonable time and on reasonable notice to the Contractor, enter on the Contractor's premises to inspect and, at the Province's discretion, copy:
 - (a) any Records in the possession of the Contractor containing Information; or
 - (b) any of the Contractor's Information management policies or processes (including the processes described in sections 7, 9 and 10 and the logs described in sections 5 and 12) relevant to the Contractor's compliance with this Schedule

and the Contractor must permit, and provide reasonable assistance to, the exercise by the Province of the Province's rights under this section.

Termination of Agreement

18. In addition to any other rights of termination which the Province may have under the Agreement or otherwise at law, the Province may, subject to any provisions in the Agreement establishing mandatory cure periods for defaults by the Contractor, terminate the Agreement by giving written notice of such termination to the Contractor, upon any failure of the Contractor to comply with this Schedule in a material respect.

Interpretation

- 19. In this Schedule, unless otherwise specified:
 - (a) references to sections are to sections of this Schedule; and
 - (b) references to appendices are to the appendices attached to this Schedule.
- 20. Any reference to the "Contractor" in this Schedule includes any subcontractor retained by the Contractor to perform obligations under the Agreement and the Contractor must ensure that any such subcontractors comply with this Schedule.
- 21. The appendices attached to this Schedule are part of this Schedule.
- 22. If there is a conflict between a provision in an appendix attached to this Schedule and any other provision of this Schedule, the provision in the appendix is inoperative to the extent of the conflict unless the appendix states that it operates despite a conflicting provision of this Schedule.
- 23. If there is a conflict between:
 - (a) a provision of the Agreement, this Schedule or an appendix attached to this Schedule; and
 - (b) a documented process required by this Schedule to be created or maintained by the Contractor the provision of the Agreement, Schedule or appendix will prevail to the extent of the conflict.
- 24. The obligations of the Contractor in this Schedule will survive the termination of the Agreement.

SCHEDULE G - Appendix G1 - Security screening requirements

The personnel security screening requirements set out in this Appendix G1 are for the purpose of assisting the Contractor determine whether or not a Services Worker constitutes an unreasonable security risk.

Verification of name, date of birth and address

1. The Contractor must verify the name, date of birth and current address of a Services Worker by viewing at least one piece of "primary identification" of the Services Worker and at least one piece of "secondary identification" of the Services Worker,* as described in the table following this section. The Contractor must obtain or create, as applicable, Records of all such verifications and retain a copy of those Records. For a Services Worker from another province or jurisdiction, reasonably equivalent identification documents are acceptable.

Primary Identification	Secondary Identification	
Issued by ICBC: B.C. driver's licence or learner's licence (must have photo) B.C. Identification (BCID) card Issued by provincial or territorial government: Canadian birth certificate Issued by Government of Canada: Canadian Citizenship Card Permanent Resident Card Canadian Record of Landing/Canadian Immigration Identification Record	 School ID card (student card) Bank card (only if holder's name is on card) Credit card (only if holder's name is on card) Passport Foreign birth certificate (a baptismal certificate is not acceptable) Canadian or U.S. driver's licence Naturalization certificate Canadian Forces identification Police identification Foreign Affairs Canada or consular identification Vehicle registration (only if owner's signature is shown) Picture employee ID card Firearms Acquisition Certificate Social Insurance Card (only if has signature strip) B.C. CareCard Native Status Card Parole Certificate ID Correctional Service Conditional Release Card 	

*It is not necessary that each piece of identification viewed by the Contractor contains the name, date of birth and current address of the Services Worker. It is sufficient that, in combination, the identification viewed contains that information.

Verification of education and professional qualifications

 The Contractor must verify, by reasonable means, any relevant education and professional qualifications of a Services Worker, obtain or create, as applicable, Records of all such verifications, and retain a copy of those Records.

Verification of employment history and reference checks

3. The Contractor must verify, by reasonable means, any relevant employment history of a Services Worker, which will generally consist of the Contractor requesting that a Services Worker provide employment references and the Contractor contacting those references. If a Services Worker has no relevant employment history, the Contractor must seek to verify the character or other relevant personal characteristics of the Services Worker by requesting the Services Worker to provide one or more personal references and contacting those references. The Contractor must obtain or create, as applicable, Records of all such verifications and retain a copy of those Records.

Security interview

4. The Contractor must allow the Province to conduct a security-focused interview with a Services Worker if the Province identifies a reasonable security concern and notifies the Contractor it wishes to do so.

Criminal history check

5. The Contractor must arrange for and retain documented results of a criminal history check on a Services Worker obtained through the Services Worker's local policing agency. Criminal history checks must be repeated as necessary to ensure that at all times the most recent criminal history check on a Services Worker was completed within the previous five years.

SCHEDULE G - Appendix G6 - Sensitive Information

In addition to the information described in section 1(e)(i) of this Schedule, the following information is specified as "Sensitive Information" for the purposes of this Schedule:

- (a) Sensitive information includes: all findings, data, reports, documents, records and material (both printed and electronic, including but not limited to, on hard disk or diskettes), whether complete or otherwise, that:
 - i. has been provided by or on behalf of the Province to the Client in connection with this contract, and
 - ii. is Personal Information or is related to an individual, whether or not the individual is identifiable, and includes all data-linkages, derived works, copies or modifications of such findings, data, reports, documents, records and material made by or on behalf of the Client.

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THIS AGREEMENT is dated for reference the 3rd day of December, 2013.

BETWEEN:

<u>OUANTUM ANALYTICS LTD.</u> (the "Contractor") with the following specified address:

AND:

HER MAIESTY THE QUEEN IN RIGHT OF THE PROVINCE OF BRITISH COLUMBIA, as represented by the Minister of Health (the "Province") with the following specified address and fax number: 4th Floor, 1515 Blanshard St:

Victoria, BC V8W 3C8 250-952-1373

The Province wishes to retain the Contractor to provide the services specified in Schedule A and, in consideration for the remuneration set out in Schedule B, the Contractor has agreed to provide those services, on the terms and conditions set out in this Agreement.

As a result, the Province and the Contractor agree as follows:

1 DEFINITIONS

General

- 1.1 In this Agreement, unless the context otherwise requires:
 - (a) "Business Day" means a day, other than a Saturday or Sunday, on which Provincial government offices are open for normal business in British Columbia;
 - (b) "Incorporated Material" means any material in existence prior to the start of the Term or developed independently of this Agreement, and that is incorporated or embedded in the Produced Material by the Contractor or a Subcontractor;
 - (c) "Material" means the Produced Material and the Received Material;
 - (d) "Produced Material" means records, software and other material, whether complete or not, that, as a result of this Agreement, are produced by the Contractor or a Subcontractor and includes the Incorporated Material;
 - (e) "Received Material" means records, software and other material, whether complete or not, that, as a result of this Agreement, are received by the Contractor or a Subcontractor from the Province or any other person;
 - (f) "Services" means the services described in Part 2 of Schedule A;
 - (g) "Subcontractor" means a person described in paragraph (a) or (b) of section 13.4; and
 - (h) "Term" means the term of the Agreement described in Part 1 of Schedule A subject to that term ending earlier in accordance with this Agreement.

Meaning of "record"

The definition of "record" in the *Interpretation Act* is incorporated into this Agreement and "records" will bear a corresponding meaning.

2 SERVICES

Provision of services

2.1 'The Contractor must provide the Services in accordance with this Agreement.

Term

2.2 Regardless of the date of execution or delivery of this Agreement, the Contractor must provide the Services during the Term.

Supply of various items

2.3 Unless the parties otherwise agree in writing, the Contractor must supply and pay for all labour, materials, equipment, tools, facilities, approvals and licenses necessary or advisable to perform the Contractor's obligations under this Agreement, including the license under section 6.4.

Standard of care

Unless otherwise specified in this Agreement, the Contractor must perform the Services to a standard of care, skill, and diligence maintained by persons providing, on a commercial basis, services similar to the Services.

Standards in relation to persons performing Services

2.5 The Contractor must ensure that all persons employed or retained to perform the Services are qualified and competent to perform them and are properly trained, instructed and supervised.

Instructions by Province

2.6 The Province may from time to time give the Contractor reasonable instructions (in writing or otherwise) as to the performance of the Services. The Contractor must comply with those instructions but, unless otherwise specified in this Agreement, the Contractor may determine the manner in which the instructions are carried out.

Confirmation of non-written instructions

2.7 If the Province provides an instruction under section 2.6 other than in writing, the Contractor may request that the instruction be confirmed by the Province in writing, which request the Province must comply with as soon as it is reasonably practicable to do so.

Effectiveness of non-written instructions

2.8 Requesting written confirmation of an instruction under section 2.7 does not relieve the Contractor from complying with the instruction at the time the instruction was given.

Applicable laws

2.9 In the performance of the Contractor's obligations under this Agreement, the Contractor must comply with all applicable laws.

3 PAYMENT

Fees and expenses

- 3.1 If the Contractor complies with this Agreement, then the Province must pay to the Contractor at the times and on the conditions set out in Schedule B:
 - (a) the fees described in that Schedule;
 - (b) the expenses, if any, described in that Schedule if they are supported, where applicable, by proper receipts and, in the Province's opinion, are necessarily incurred by the Contractor in providing the Services; and
 - (c) any applicable taxes payable by the Province under law or agreement with the relevant taxation authorities on the fees and expenses described in paragraphs (a) and (b).

The Province is not obliged to pay to the Contractor more than the "Maximum Amount" specified in Schedule B on account of fees and expenses.

Statements of accounts

3.2 In order to obtain payment of any fees and expenses under this Agreement, the Contractor must submit to the Province a written statement of account in a form satisfactory to the Province upon completion of the Services or at other times described in Schedule B.

Withholding of amounts

3.3 Without limiting section 9.1, the Province may withhold from any payment due to the Contractor an amount sufficient to indemnify in whole or in part the Province and its employees and agents against any liens or other third-party claims that have arisen or could arise in connection with the provision of the Services. An amount withheld under this section must be promptly paid by the Province to the Contractor upon the basis for withholding the amount having been fully resolved to the satisfaction of the Province.

Appropriation

3.4 The Province's obligation to pay money to the Contractor is subject to the Financial Administration Act, which makes that obligation subject to an appropriation being available in the fiscal year of the Province during which payment becomes due.

Currency

3.5 Unless otherwise specified in this Agreement, all references to money are to Canadian dollars.

Non-resident income tax

3.6 If the Contractor is not a resident in Canada, the Contractor acknowledges that the Province may be required by law to withhold income tax from the fees described in Schedule B and then to remit that tax to the Receiver General of Canada on the Contractor's behalf.

Prohibition against committing money

3.7 Without limiting section 13.10(a), the Contractor must not in relation to performing the Contractor's obligations under this Agreement commit or purport to commit the Province to pay any money except as may be expressly provided for in this Agreement.

Refunds of taxes

3.8 The Contractor must:

- (a) apply for, and use reasonable efforts to obtain, any available refund, credit, rebate or remission of federal, provincial or other tax or duty imposed on the Contractor as a result of this Agreement that the Province has paid or reimbursed to the Contractor or agreed to pay or reimburse to the Contractor under this Agreement; and
- (b) immediately on receiving, or being credited with, any amount applied for under paragraph (a), remit that amount to the Province.

4 REPRESENTATIONS AND WARRANTIES

- 4.1 As at the date this Agreement is executed and delivered by, or on behalf of, the parties, the Contractor represents and warrants to the Province as follows:
 - (a) except to the extent the Contractor has previously disclosed otherwise in writing to the Province,
 - (i) all information, statements, documents and reports furnished or submitted by the Contractor to the Province in connection with this Agreement (including as part of any competitive process resulting in this Agreement being entered into) are in all material respects true and correct,
 - (ii) the Contractor has sufficient trained staff, facilities, materials, appropriate equipment and approved subcontractual agreements in place and available to enable the Contractor to fully perform the Services, and
 - (iii) the Contractor holds all permits, licenses, approvals and statutory authorities issued by any government or government agency that are necessary for the performance of the Contractor's obligations under this Agreement; and
 - (b) if the Contractor is not an individual,
 - (i) the Contractor has the power and capacity to enter into this Agreement and to observe, perform and comply with the terms of this Agreement and all necessary corporate or other proceedings have been taken and done to authorize the execution and delivery of this Agreement by, or on behalf of, the Contractor, and
 - this Agreement has been legally and properly executed by, or on behalf of, the Contractor and is legally binding upon and enforceable against the Contractor in accordance with its terms except as enforcement may be limited by bankruptcy, insolvency or other laws affecting the rights of creditors generally and except that equitable remedies may be granted only in the discretion of a court of competent jurisdiction.

5 PRIVACY, SECURITY AND CONFIDENTIALITY

Privacy

5.1 The Contractor must comply with the Privacy Protection Schedule attached as Schedule E.

Security

- 5.2 The Contractor must:
 - (a) make reasonable security arrangements to protect the Material from unauthorized access, collection, use, disclosure, alteration or disposal; and
 - (b) comply with the Security Schedule attached as Schedule G.

Confidentiality

- 5.3 The Contractor must treat as confidential all information in the Material and all other information accessed or obtained by the Contractor or a Subcontractor (whether verbally, electronically or otherwise) as a result of this Agreement, and not permit its disclosure or use without the Province's prior written consent except:
 - (a) as required to perform the Contractor's obligations under this Agreement or to comply with applicable laws;
 - (b) if it is information that is generally known to the public other than as result of a breach of this Agreement; or
 - (c) if it is information in any Incorporated Material.

Public announcements

Any public announcement relating to this Agreement will be arranged by the Province and, if such consultation is reasonably practicable, after consultation with the Contractor.

Restrictions on promotion

- 5.5 The Contractor, must not, without the prior written approval of the Province, refer for promotional purposes to the Province being a customer of the Contractor or the Province having entered into this Agreement.
- 6 MATERIAL AND INTELLECTUAL PROPERTY

Access to Material

6.1 If the Contractor receives a request for access to any of the Material from a person other than the Province, and this Agreement does not require or authorize the Contractor to provide that access, the Contractor must promptly advise the person to make the request to the Province.

Ownership and delivery of Material

6.2 The Province exclusively owns all property rights in the Material which are not intellectual property rights. The Contractor must deliver any Material to the Province immediately upon the Province's request.

Matters respecting intellectual property

- 6.3 The Province exclusively owns all intellectual property rights, including copyright, in:
 - (a) Received Material that the Contractor receives from the Province; and
 - (b) Produced Material, other than any Incorporated Material.

Upon the Province's request, the Contractor must deliver to the Province documents satisfactory to the Province that irrevocably waive in the Province's favour any moral rights which the Contractor (or employees of the Contractor) or a Subcontractor (or employees of a Subcontractor) may have in the Produced Material and that confirm the vesting in the Province of the copyright in the Produced Material, other than any Incorporated Material.

Rights in relation to Incorporated Material

- Upon any Incorporated Material being embedded or incorporated in the Produced Material and to the extent that it remains so embedded or incorporated, the Contractor grants to the Province:
 - (a) a non-exclusive, perpetual, irrevocable, royalty-free, worldwide license to use, reproduce, modify and distribute that Incorporated Material; and
 - (b) the right to sublicense to third-parties the right to use, reproduce, modify and distribute that Incorporated Material.

Right of Province to negotiate license of Produced Material

After the end of the Term, the Province in its sole discretion, may negotiate with the Contractor to provide the Contractor a license (which may be exclusive or non-exclusive) for the Contractor to use, reproduce, modify or distribute some or all of the Produced Material.

7 RECORDS AND REPORTS

Work reporting

7.1 Upon the Province's request, the Contractor must fully inform the Province of all work done by the Contractor or a Subcontractor in connection with providing the Services.

Time and expense records

7.2 If Schedule B provides for the Contractor to be paid fees at a daily or hourly rate or for the Contractor to be paid or reimbursed for expenses, the Contractor must maintain time records and books of account, invoices, receipts and vouchers of expenses in support of those payments, in form and content satisfactory to the Province. Unless otherwise specified in this Agreement, the Contractor must retain such documents for a period of not less than seven years after this Agreement ends.

8 AUDIT

8.1 In addition to any other rights of inspection the Province may have under statute or otherwise, the Province may at any reasonable time and on reasonable notice to the Contractor, enter on the Contractor's premises to inspect and, at the Province's discretion, copy any of the Material and the Contractor must permit, and provide reasonable assistance to, the exercise by the Province of the Province's rights under this section.

9 INDEMNITY AND INSURANCE

Indemnity

9.1 The Contractor must indemnify and save harmless the Province and the Province's employees and agents from any losses, claims, damages, actions, causes of action, costs and expenses that the Province or any of the Province's employees or agents may sustain, incur, suffer or be put to at any time, either before or after this Agreement ends, including any claim of infringement of third-party intellectual property rights, where the same or any of them are based upon, arise out of or occur, directly or indirectly, by reason of any act or omission by the Contractor or by any of the Contractor's agents, employees, officers, directors or Subcontractors in connection with this Agreement (each a "Loss"), excepting always liability arising out of the independent acts or omissions of the Province and the Province's employees and agents.

Monetary limitations of indemnity

- 9.2 The indemnification by the Contractor pursuant to section 9.1 is limited to:
 - (a) \$2,000,000 per Loss; and

(b) \$4,000,000 in the aggregate for all Losses.

Exceptions to monetary limitations

- 9.3 The limitations set out in section 9.2 do not apply to a Loss resulting from any of the following:
 - (a) bodily injury or damage to real property or tangible personal property;
 - (b) a claim of infringement of third-party intellectual property rights; or
 - (c) a breach of section 5.1, 5.2, 5.3 or 6.1 of this Agreement.

Province to notify Contractor of Loss

9.4 To claim indemnification for a Loss pursuant to section 9.1, the Province must notify the Contractor in writing of the Loss as soon as reasonably practicable after the Province becomes aware of the Loss provided that a failure by the Province to provide such notification will not invalidate the claim unless the Contractor is materially prejudiced by that failure.

Third-party intellectual property infringement claims

- 9.5 If the Loss is on the basis of a third-party claim that any element of the Material infringes the intellectual property rights of any person,
 - (a) then the Contractor must defend the Province against that claim at the Contractor's expense and the Contractor must pay all associated costs, damages and legal fees that a court or arbitrator finally awards or are included in a settlement agreed to by the Contractor; and
 - (b) the Province must cooperate with the Contractor in the defence of the claim and, where appropriate in the discretion of the Province, will allow the Contractor to appoint and instruct counsel and otherwise control the defence and any related settlement negotiations.

Insurance

9.6 The Contractor must comply with the Insurance Schedule attached as Schedule D.

Workers compensation .

9.7 Without limiting the generality of section 2.9, the Contractor must comply with, and must ensure that any Subcontractors comply with, all applicable occupational health and safety laws in relation to the performance of the Contractor's obligations under this Agreement, including the Workers Compensation Act in British Columbia or similar laws in other jurisdictions.

Personal optional protection

- 9.8 The Contractor must apply for and maintain personal optional protection insurance (consisting of income replacement and medical care coverage) during the Term at the Contractor's expense if:
 - (a) the Contractor is an individual or a partnership of individuals and does not have the benefit of mandatory workers compensation coverage under the Workers Compensation Act or similar laws in other jurisdictions; and
 - (b) such personal optional protection insurance is available for the Contractor from WorkSafeBC or other sources.

Evidence of coverage

9.9 Within 10 Business Days of being requested to do so by the Province, the Contractor must provide the Province with evidence of the Contractor's compliance with sections 9.7 and 9.8.

10 FORCE MAJEURE

Definitions relating to force majeure

- 10.1 In this section and sections 10.2 and 10.3:
 - (a) "Event of Force Majeure" means one of the following events:
 - (i) a natural disaster, fire, flood, storm, epidemic or power failure,
 - (ii) a war (declared and undeclared), insurrection or act of terrorism or piracy,
 - (iii) a strike (including illegal work stoppage or slowdown) or lockout, or
 - (iv) a freight embargo
 - if the event prevents a party from performing the party's obligations in accordance with this Agreement and is beyond the reasonable control of that party; and
 - (b) "Affected Party" means a party prevented from performing the party's obligations in accordance with this Agreement by an Event of Force Majeure.

Consequence of Event of Force Majeure

An Affected Party is not liable to the other party for any failure or delay in the performance of the Affected Party's obligations under this Agreement resulting from an Event of Force Majeure and any time periods for the performance of such obligations are automatically extended for the duration of the Event of Force Majeure provided that the Affected Party complies with the requirements of section 10.3.

Duties of Affected Party

10.3 An Affected Party must promptly notify the other party in writing upon the occurrence of the Event of Force Majeure and make all reasonable efforts to prevent, control or limit the effect of the Event of Force Majeure so as to resume compliance with the Affected Party's obligations under this Agreement as soon as possible.

11 DEFAULT AND TERMINATION

Definitions relating to default and termination

- 11.1 In this section and sections 11.2 to 11.4:
 - (a) "Event of Default" means any of the following:
 - (i) an Insolvency Event,
 - (ii) the Contractor fails to perform any of the Contractor's obligations under this Agreement, or
 - (iii) any representation or warranty made by the Contractor in this Agreement is untrue or incorrect; and
 - (b) "Insolvency Event" means any of the following:
 - (i) an order is made, a resolution is passed or a petition is filed, for the Contractor's liquidation or winding up,
 - (ii) the Contractor commits an act of bankruptcy, makes an assignment for the benefit of the Contractor's creditors or otherwise acknowledges the Contractor's insolvency,
 - (iii) a bankruptcy petition is filed or presented against the Contractor or a proposal under the Bankruptcy and Insolvency Act (Canada) is made by the Contractor,
 - (iv) a compromise or arrangement is proposed in respect of the Contractor under the Companies' Creditors Arrangement Act (Canada),

- (v) a receiver or receiver-manager is appointed for any of the Contractor's property, or
- (vi) the Contractor ceases, in the Province's reasonable opinion, to carry on business as a going concern.

Province's options on default

- On the happening of an Event of Default, or at any time thereafter, the Province may, at its option, elect to do any one or more of the following:
 - (a) by written notice to the Contractor, require that the Event of Default be remedied within a time period specified in the notice;
 - (b) pursue any remedy or take any other action available to it at law or in equity; or
 - (c) by written notice to the Contractor, terminate this Agreement with immediate effect or on a future date specified in the notice, subject to the expiration of any time period specified under section 11.2(a).

Delay not a waiver

11.3 No failure or delay on the part of the Province to exercise lts rights in relation to an Event of Default will constitute a waiver by the Province of such rights.

Province's right to terminate other than for default

11.4 In addition to the Province's right to terminate this Agreement under section 11.2(c) on the happening of an Event of Default, the Province may terminate this Agreement for any reason by giving at least 10 days' written notice of termination to the Contractor.

Payment consequences of termination

- 11.5 Unless Schedule B otherwise provides, if the Province terminates this Agreement under section 11.4:
 - (a) the Province must, within 30 days of such termination, pay to the Contractor any unpaid portion of the fees and expenses described in Schedule B which corresponds with the portion of the Services that was completed to the Province's satisfaction before termination of this Agreement; and
 - (b) the Contractor must, within 30 days of such termination, repay to the Province any paid portion of the fees and expenses described in Schedule B which corresponds with the portion of the Services that the Province has notified the Contractor in writing was not completed to the Province's satisfaction before termination of this Agreement.

Discharge of liability

The payment by the Province of the amount described in section 11.5(a) discharges the Province from all liability to make payments to the Contractor under this Agreement.

Notice in relation to Events of Default

11.7 If the Contractor becomes aware that an Event of Default has occurred or anticipates that an Event of Default is likely to occur, the Contractor must promptly notify the Province of the particulars of the Event of Default or anticipated Event of Default. A notice under this section as to the occurrence of an Event of Default must also specify the steps the Contractor proposes to take to address, or prevent recurrence of, the Event of Default. A notice under this section as to an anticipated Event of Default must specify the steps the Contractor proposes to take to prevent the occurrence of the anticipated Event of Default.

12 DISPUTE RESOLUTION

Dispute resolution process

- In the event of any dispute between the parties arising out of or in connection with this Agreement, the following dispute resolution process will apply unless the parties otherwise agree in writing:
 - (a) the parties must initially attempt to resolve the dispute through collaborative negotiation;
 - (b) if the dispute is not resolved through collaborative negotiation within 15 Business Days of the dispute arising, the parties must then attempt to resolve the dispute through mediation under the rules of the British Columbia Mediator Roster Society; and
 - (c) if the dispute is not resolved through mediation within 30 Business Days of the commencement of mediation, the dispute must be referred to and finally resolved by arbitration under the *Arbitration Act*.

Location of arbitration or mediation

12.2 Unless the parties otherwise agree in writing, an arbitration or mediation under section 12.1 will be held in Victoria, British Columbia.

Costs of arbitration or mediation

12.3 Unless the parties otherwise agree in writing or, in the case of an arbitration, the arbitrator otherwise orders, the parties must share equally the costs of a arbitration or mediation under section 12.1 other than those costs relating to the production of expert evidence or representation by counsel.

13 MISCELLANEOUS

Delivery of notices

- 13.1 Any notice contemplated by this Agreement, to be effective, must be in writing and delivered as follows:
 - (a) by fax to the addressee's fax number specified on the first page of this Agreement, in which case it will be deemed to be received on the day of transmittal unless transmitted after the normal business hours of the addressee or on a day that is not a Business Day, in which cases it will be deemed to be received on the next following Business Day;
 - (b) by hand to the addressee's address specified on the first page of this Agreement, in which case it will be deemed to be received on the day of its delivery; or
 - (c) by prepaid post to the addressee's address specified on the first page of this Agreement, in which case if mailed during any period when normal postal services prevail, it will be deemed to be received on the fifth Business Day after its mailing.

Change of address or fax number

13.2 Either party may from time to time give notice to the other party of a substitute address or fax number, which from the date such notice is given will supersede for purposes of section 13.1 any previous address or fax number specified for the party giving the notice.

Assignment

13.3 The Contractor must not assign any of the Contractor's rights under this Agreement without the Province's prior written consent.

Subcontracting

- 13.4. The Contractor must not subcontract any of the Contractor's obligations under this Agreement to any person without the Province's prior written consent, excepting persons listed in the attached Schedule C. No subcontract, whether consented to or not, relieves the Contractor from any obligations under this Agreement. The Contractor must ensure that:
 - (a) any person retained by the Contractor to perform obligations under this Agreement; and
 - (b) any person retained by a person described in paragraph (a) to perform those obligations fully complies with this Agreement in performing the subcontracted obligations.

Waiver

- 13.5 A waiver of any term or breach of this Agreement is effective only if it is in writing and signed by, or on behalf of, the waiving party and is not a waiver of any other term or breach.

 Modifications
- 13.6 No modification of this Agreement is effective unless it is in writing and signed by, or on behalf of, the parties.

Entire agreement

13.7 This Agreement (including any modification of it) constitutes the entire agreement between the parties as to performance of the Services.

Survival of certain provisions

13.8 Sections 2.9, 3.1 to 3.4, 3.7, 3.8, 5.1 to 5.5, 6.1 to 6.5, 7.1, 7.2, 8.1, 9.1 to 9.6, 9.9, 10.1 to 10.3, 11.2, 11.3, 11.5, 11.6, 12.1 to 12.3, 13.1, 13.2, 13.8, and 13.10, any accrued but unpaid payment obligations, and any other sections of this Agreement (including schedules) which, by their terms or nature, are intended to survive the completion of the Services or termination of this Agreement, will continue in force indefinitely, even after this Agreement ends.

Schedules

13.9 The schedules to this Agreement (including any appendices or other documents attached to, or incorporated by reference into, those schedules) are part of this Agreement.

Independent contractor

- 13.10 In relation to the performance of the Contractor's obligations under this Agreement, the Contractor is an independent contractor and not:
 - (a) an employee or partner of the Province; or
 - (b) an agent of the Province except as may be expressly provided for in this Agreement.

The Contractor must not act or purport to act contrary to this section.

Personnel not to be employees of Province

13.11 The Contractor must not do anything that would result in personnel hired or used by the Contractor or a Subcontractor in relation to providing the Services being considered employees of the Province.

Key Personnel

13.12 If one or more individuals are specified as "Key Personnel" of the Contractor in Part 4 of Schedule A, the Contractor must cause those individuals to perform the Services on the Contractor's behalf, unless the Province otherwise approves in writing, which approval must not be unreasonably withheld.

Pertinent information

13.13 The Province must make available to the Contractor all information in the Province's possession which the Province considers pertinent to the performance of the Services.

Conflict of interest

13.14 The Contractor must not provide any services to any person in circumstances which, in the Province's reasonable opinion, could give rise to a conflict of interest between the Contractor's duties to that person and the Contractor's duties to the Province under this Agreement.

Time

13.15 Time is of the essence in this Agreement and, without limitation, will remain of the essence after any modification or extension of this Agreement, whether or not expressly restated in the document effecting the modification or extension.

Conflicts among provisions

- 13.16 Conflicts among provisions of this Agreement will be resolved as follows:
 - (a) a provision in the body of this Agreement will prevail over any conflicting provision in, attached to or incorporated by reference into a schedule, unless that conflicting provision expressly states otherwise; and
 - (b) a provision in a schedule will prevail over any conflicting provision in a document attached to, or incorporated by reference into a schedule, unless the schedule expressly states otherwise.

Agreement not permit nor fetter

13.17 This Agreement does not operate as a permit, license, approval or other statutory authority which the Contractor may be required to obtain from the Province or any of its agencies in order to provide the Services. Nothing in this Agreement is to be construed as interfering with, or fettering in any manner, the exercise by the Province or its agencies of any statutory, prerogative, executive or legislative power or duty.

Remainder not affected by invalidity

13.18 If any provision of this Agreement or the application of it to any person or circumstance is invalid or unenforceable to any extent, the remainder of this Agreement and the application of such provision to any other person or circumstance will not be affected or impaired and will be valid and enforceable to the extent permitted by law.

Further assurances

13.19 Each party must perform the acts, execute and deliver the writings, and give the assurances as may be reasonably necessary to give full effect to this Agreement.

Additional terms

13.20 Any additional terms set out in the attached Schedule F apply to this Agreement.

Governing law

13.21 This Agreement is governed by, and is to be interpreted and construed in accordance with, the laws applicable in British Columbia.

14 INTERPRETATION

- 14.1 In this Agreement:
 - (a) "includes" and "including" are not intended to be limiting;
 - (b) unless the context otherwise requires, references to sections by number are to sections of this Agreement;
 - (c) the Contractor and the Province are referred to as "the parties" and each of them as a "party";
 - (d) "attached" means attached to this Agreement when used in relation to a schedule;
 - (e) unless otherwise specified, a reference to a statute by name means the statute of British Columbia by that name, as amended or replaced from time to time;
 - (f) the headings have been inserted for convenience of reference only and are not intended to describe, enlarge or restrict the scope or meaning of this Agreement or any provision of it;
 - (g) "person" includes an individual, partnership, corporation or legal entity of any nature; and
 - (h) unless the context otherwise requires, words expressed in the singular include the plural and *vice* versa.

15 EXECUTION AND DELIVERY OF AGREEMENT

15.1 This Agreement may be entered into by a separate copy of this Agreement being executed by, or on behalf of, each party and that executed copy being delivered to the other party by a method provided for in section 13.1 or any other method agreed to by the parties.

The parties have executed this Agreement as follows:

SIGNED on the	SIGNED on the 4 day of 2013 on behalf of the Province by its duly authorized representative: Signature Carallel Bullet Corallel Bullet
Print Title(s)	Print Title
Print Name(s)	Print Name EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR

Schedule A - Services

PART 1. TERM:

1. The term of this Agreement commences on December 2nd 2013 and ends on March 31st 2014.

PART 2. SERVICES:

The Contractor must provide expert analytical support, manipulate and analyze data in regards to the Fraser Heatlh Authority review, as instructed by the Ministry.

Data Access & Security

Ministry of Health staff will provide the Contractor with de-indentified and/or aggregate level data to allow him to perform analyses of service volume activity, population health status, and service utilization of health services from the following s.15

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Data will be provided to the contractor as extracts that have been vetted by Ministry of Health staff to ensure anonymity is maintained. Raw source data will not be provided to the Contractor.

Information provided to the contractor for analysis purposes may also include briefing materials, summary data, reports and other documents, as necessary.

Data

If any of the Received Material is data ("Data") then the Contractor can only extract or copy that Data to identified locations of the Province.

Further to section 5.3 of this Agreement, the Contractor cannot share Data with third parties unless the Contactor receives the prior written approval of the Province.

If any of the Data is "Sensitive Information" as defined in Schedule G, then the Contractor cannot forward that Sensitive Information to non-government email accounts and the Data must remain on gov.bc.ca email accounts.

Reporting requirements

Briefing materials as required.

PART 3. RELATED DOCUMENTATION:

Not applicable

PART 4 KEY PERSONNEL:

1. The Key Personnel of the Contractor are as follows:

(a) Mark Isaacs

Schedule B - Fees and Expenses

1. MAXIMUM AMOUNT PAYABLE:

<u>Maximum Amount</u>: Despite sections 2 and 3 of this Schedule, \$50,000 is the maximum amount which the Province is obliged to pay to the Contractor for fees and expenses under this Agreement (exclusive of any applicable taxes described in section 3.1(c) of this Agreement).

2. FEES:

Hourly Rate

Fees: at a rate of

per hour for those hours during the Term when the Contractor provides the Services.

3. EXPENSES:

Expenses:

None

4. STATEMENTS OF ACCOUNT:

Statements of Account: In order to obtain payment of any fees and expenses under this Agreement for a period from and including the 1st day of a month to and including the last day of that month (each a "Billing Period"), the Contractor must deliver to the Province on a date after the Billing Period (each a "Billing Date"), a written statement of account in a form satisfactory to the Province containing:

- (a) the Contractor's legal name and address;
- (b) the date of the statement, and the Billing Period to which the statement pertains;
- (c) the Contractor's calculation of all fees claimed for that Billing Period, including a declaration by the Contractor of all hours worked during the Billing Period for which the Contractor claims fees and a description of the applicable fee rates;
- (d) a chronological listing, in reasonable detail, of any expenses claimed by the Contractor for the Billing Period with receipts attached, if applicable, and, if the Contractor is claiming reimbursement of any GST or other applicable taxes paid or payable by the Contractor in relation to those expenses, a description of any credits, rebates, refunds or remissions the Contractor is entitled to from the relevant taxation authorities in relation to those taxes;
- (e) the Contractor's calculation of any applicable taxes payable by the Province in relation to the Services for the Billing Period;
- (f) a description of this Agreement;
- (g) a statement number for identification; and
- (h) any other billing information reasonably requested by the Province.

5. PAYMENTS DUE:

<u>Payments Due</u>: Within 30 days of the Province's receipt of the Contractor's written statement of account delivered in accordance with this Schedule, the Province must pay the Contractor the fees and expenses (plus all applicable taxes), claimed in the statement if they are in accordance with this Schedule. Statements of account or contract invoices offering an early payment discount may be paid by the Province as required to obtain the discount.

Schedule C – Approved Subcontractor(s)

Not applicable .

Schedule D - Insurance

- 1. The Contractor must, without limiting the Contractor's obligation or liabilities and at the Contractor's own expense, purchase and maintain throughout the Term the following insurances with insurers licensed in Canada in forms and amounts acceptable to the Province:
 - (a) Commercial General Liability in an amount not less than \$2,000,000 inclusive per occurrence against bodily injury, personal injury and property damage and including liability assumed under this Agreement and this insurance must:
 - (i) include the Province as an additional insured,
 - (ii) be endorsed to provide the Province with 30 days advance written notice of cancellation or material change, and
 - (iii) include a cross liability clause; and
 - (b) Professional Errors and Omissions Liability insuring the Contractor's liability resulting from errors or omissions in the performance of the Services in an amount per occurrence, and in the aggregate, calculated as follows:
 - (i) not less than \$1,000,000, if the "Maximum Amount" set out in Schedule B is less than \$500,000; and
 - (ii) not less than \$2,000,000, if the "Maximum Amount" set out in Schedule B is \$500,000 or greater.
- 2. All insurance described in section 1 of this Schedule must:
 - (a) be primary; and
 - (b) not require the sharing of any loss by any insurer of the Province.
- 3. The Contractor must provide the Province with evidence of all required insurance as follows:
 - (a) within 10 Business Days of commencement of the Services, the Contractor must provide to the Province evidence of all required insurance in the form of a completed Province of British Columbia Certificate of Insurance;
 - (b) if any required insurance policy expires before the end of the Term, the Contractor must provide, within 10 Business Days of the policy's expiration, evidence of a new or renewal policy meeting the requirements of the expired insurance in the form of a completed Province of British Columbia Certificate of Insurance; and
 - (c) despite paragraph (a) or (b) above, if requested by the Province at any time, the Contractor must provide to the Province certified copies of the required insurance policies.
- 4. Despite section 1(b) of this Schedule, if in the Province's sole discretion, the Province has approved in writing either a fronted self-insurance program or a duly licensed captive insurer as an alternative to the Professional Liability Insurance requirement set out in section 1(b), then the Contractor must maintain throughout the Term that alternative in accordance with the terms of the approval.

Schedule E - Privacy Protection Schedule

Definitions

- 1. In this Schedule,
 - (a) "access" means disclosure by the provision of access;
 - (b) "Act" means the Freedom of Information and Protection of Privacy Act;
 - (c) "contact information" means information to enable an individual at a place of business to be contacted and includes the name, position name or title, business telephone number, business address, business email or business fax number of the individual;
 - (d) "personal information" means recorded information about an identifiable individual, other than contact information, collected or created by the Contractor as a result of the Agreement or any previous agreement between the Province and the Contractor dealing with the same subject matter as the Agreement but excluding any such information that, if this Schedule did not apply to it, would not be under the "control of a public body" within the meaning of the Act.

Purpose

- 2. The purpose of this Schedule is to:
 - (a) enable the Province to comply with the Province's statutory obligations under the Act with respect to personal information; and
 - (b) ensure that, as a service provider, the Contractor is aware of and complies with the Contractor's statutory obligations under the Act with respect to personal information.

Collection of personal information

- 3. Unless the Agreement otherwise specifies or the Province otherwise directs in writing, the Contractor may only collect or create personal information that is necessary for the performance of the Contractor's obligations, or the exercise of the Contractor's rights, under the Agreement.
- 4. Unless the Agreement otherwise specifies or the Province otherwise directs in writing, the Contractor must collect personal information directly from the individual the information is about.
- 5. Unless the Agreement otherwise specifies or the Province otherwise directs in writing, the Contractor must tell an individual from whom the Contractor collects personal information:
 - (a) the purpose for collecting it:
 - (b) the legal authority for collecting it; and
 - (c) the title, business address and business telephone number of the person designated by the Province to answer questions about the Contractor's collection of personal information.

Accuracy of personal information

6.. The Contractor must make every reasonable effort to ensure the accuracy and completeness of any personal information to be used by the Contractor or the Province to make a decision that directly affects the individual the information is about.

Requests for access to personal information

7. If the Contractor receives a request for access to personal information from a person other than the Province, the Contractor must promptly advise the person to make the request to the Province unless the Agreement expressly requires the Contractor to provide such access and, if the Province has advised the Contractor of the name or title and contact information of an official of the Province to whom such requests are to be made, the Contractor must also promptly provide that official's name or title and contact information to the person making the request.

Correction of personal information

- 8. Within 5 Business Days of receiving a written direction from the Province to correct or annotate any personal information, the Contractor must annotate or correct the information in accordance with the direction.
- 9. When issuing a written direction under section 8, the Province must advise the Contractor of the date the correction request to which the direction relates was received by the Province in order that the Contractor may comply with section 10.
- 10. Within 5 Business Days of correcting or annotating any personal information under section 8, the Contractor must provide the corrected or annotated information to any party to whom, within one year prior to the date the correction request was made to the Province, the Contractor disclosed the information being corrected or annotated.
- If the Contractor receives a request for correction of personal information from a person other than the Province, the Contractor must promptly advise the person to make the request to the Province and, if the Province has advised the Contractor of the name or title and contact information of an official of the Province to whom such requests are to be made, the Contractor must also promptly provide that official's name or title and contact information to the person making the request.

Protection of personal information

12. The Contractor must protect personal information by making reasonable security arrangements against such risks as unauthorized access, collection, use, disclosure or disposal, including any expressly set out in the Agreement.

Storage and access to personal information

13. Unless the Province otherwise directs in writing, the Contractor must not store personal information outside Canada or permit access to personal information from outside Canada.

Retention of personal information

14. Unless the Agreement otherwise specifies, the Contractor must retain personal information until directed by the Province in writing to dispose of it or deliver it as specified in the direction.

Use of personal information

15. Unless the Province otherwise directs in writing, the Contractor may only use personal information if that use is for the performance of the Contractor's obligations, or the exercise of the Contractor's rights, under the Agreement.

Disclosure of personal information

- 16. Unless the Province otherwise directs in writing, the Contractor may only disclose personal information inside Canada to any person other than the Province if the disclosure is for the performance of the Contractor's obligations, or the exercise of the Contractor's rights, under the Agreement,
- 17. Unless the Agreement otherwise specifies or the Province otherwise directs in writing, the Contractor must not disclose personal information outside Canada.

Notice of foreign demands for disclosure

- 18. In addition to any obligation the Contractor may have to provide the notification contemplated by section 30.2 of the Act, if in relation to personal information in the custody or under the control of the Contractor, the Contractor:
 - (a) receives a foreign demand for disclosure;
 - (b) receives a request to disclose, produce or provide access that the Contractor knows or has reason to suspect is for the purpose of responding to a foreign demand for disclosure; or
 - (c) has reason to suspect that an unauthorized disclosure of personal information has occurred in response to a foreign demand for disclosure

the Contractor must immediately notify the Province and, in so doing, provide the information described in section 30.2(3) of the Act. In this section, the phrases "foreign demand for disclosure" and "unauthorized disclosure of personal information" will bear the same meanings as in section 30.2 of the Act.

Notice of unauthorized disclosure

19. In addition to any obligation the Contractor may have to provide the notification contemplated by section 30.5 of the Act, if the Contractor knows that there has been an unauthorized disclosure of personal information in the custody or under the control of the Contractor, the Contractor must immediately notify the Province. In this section, the phrase "unauthorized disclosure of personal information" will bear the same meaning as in section 30.5 of the Act.

Inspection of personal information

In addition to any other rights of inspection the Province may have under the Agreement or under statute, the Province may, at any reasonable time and on reasonable notice to the Contractor, enter on the Contractor's premises to inspect any personal information in the possession of the Contractor or any of the Contractor's information management policies or practices relevant to the Contractor's management of personal information or the Contractor's compliance with this Schedule and the Contractor must permit, and provide reasonable assistance to, any such inspection.

Compliance with the Act and directions

- 21. The Contractor must in relation to personal information comply with:
 - (a) the requirements of the Act applicable to the Contractor as a service provider, including any applicable order of the commissioner under the Act; and
 - (b) any direction given by the Province under this Schedule.

22. The Contractor acknowledges that it is familiar with the requirements of the Act governing personal information that are applicable to it as a service provider.

Notice of non-compliance

23. If for any reason the Contractor does not comply, or anticipates that it will be unable to comply, with a provision in this Schedule in any respect, the Contractor must promptly notify the Province of the particulars of the non-compliance or anticipated non-compliance and what steps it proposes to take to address, or prevent recurrence of, the non-compliance or anticipated non-compliance.

Termination of Agreement

24. In addition to any other rights of termination which the Province may have under the Agreement or otherwise at law, the Province may, subject to any provisions in the Agreement establishing mandatory cure periods for defaults by the Contractor, terminate the Agreement by giving written notice of such termination to the Contractor, upon any failure of the Contractor to comply with this Schedule in a material respect.

Interpretation

- 25. In this Schedule, references to sections by number are to sections of this Schedule unless otherwise specified in this Schedule.
- 26. Any reference to the "Contractor" in this Schedule includes any subcontractor or agent retained by the Contractor to perform obligations under the Agreement and the Contractor must ensure that any such subcontractors and agents comply with this Schedule.
- 27. The obligations of the Contractor in this Schedule will survive the termination of the Agreement.
- 28. If a provision of the Agreement (including any direction given by the Province under this Schedule) conflicts with a requirement of the Act or an applicable order of the commissioner under the Act, the conflicting provision of the Agreement (or direction) will be inoperative to the extent of the conflict.
- 29. The Contractor must comply with the provisions of this Schedule despite any conflicting provision of this Agreement or, subject to section 30, the law of any jurisdiction outside Canada.
- 30. Nothing in this Schedule requires the Contractor to contravene the law of any jurisdiction outside Canada unless such contravention is required to comply with the Act.

Schedule F - Additional Terms

- 1. Contractor Identification During the term of this agreement and at the request of the Province, contractors shall identify themselves as contractors to the ministry. This may be in the form of email signature blocks, business cards, correspondence, and verbal business dealings.
- 2. In addition to section 13.1, the General Services Agreement may be entered into by each party signing and delivering it to the other party by email with attachment in PDF format.

Schedule G - Security Schedule

Definitions

- 1. In this Schedule,
 - (a) "Equipment" means any equipment, including interconnected systems or subsystems of equipment, software and networks, used or to be used by the Contractor to provide the Services;
 - (b) "Facilities" means any facilities at which the Contractor provides or is to provide the Services;
 - (c) "Information" means information
 - (i) in the Material, or
 - (ii) accessed, produced or obtained by the Contractor (whether verbally, electronically or otherwise) as a result of the Agreement;
 - (d) "Record" means a "record" as defined in the Interpretation Act;
 - (e) "Sensitive Information" means
 - (i) Information that is "personal information" as defined in the Freedom of Information and Protection of Privacy Act, or
 - (ii) any other Information specified as "Sensitive Information" in Appendix G6, if attached; and
 - (f) "Services Worker" means an individual involved in providing the Services for or on behalf of the Contractor and, for greater certainty, may include
 - (i) the Contractor or a subcontractor if an individual, or
 - (ii) an employee or volunteer of the Contractor or of a subcontractor.

Schedule contains additional obligations

2. The obligations of the Contractor in this Schedule are in addition to any other obligation in the Agreement or the schedules attached to it relating to security including, without limitation, the obligations of the Contractor in the Privacy Protection Schedule, if attached,

Services Worker confidentiality agreements

3. The Contractor must not permit a Services Worker who is an employee or volunteer of the Contractor to have access to Sensitive Information unless the Services Worker has first entered into a confidentiality agreement with the Contractor to keep Sensitive Information confidential on substantially similar terms as those that apply to the Contractor under the Agreement.

Services Worker security screening

4. The Contractor may only permit a Services Worker who is an employee or a volunteer of the Contractor to have access to Sensitive Information or otherwise be involved in providing the Services if, after having subjected the Services Worker to the personnel security screening requirements set out in Appendix G1 and any additional requirements the Contractor may consider appropriate, the Contractor is satisfied that the Services Worker does not constitute an unreasonable security risk. The Contractor must create, obtain and retain Records documenting the Contractor's compliance with the security screening requirements set out in Appendix G1 in accordance with the provisions of that appendix.

Services Worker activity logging

- 5. Subject to section 6, the Contractor must create and maintain detailed Records logging the activities of all Service Workers in relation to:
 - (a) their access to Sensitive Information; and
 - (b) other matters specified by the Province in writing for the purposes of this section.
- 6. The Records described in section 5 must be made and maintained in a manner, and contain information, specified in Appendix G2, if attached.

Facilities and Equipment protection and access control

- 7. The Contractor must create, maintain and follow a documented process to:
 - (a) protect Facilities and Equipment of the Contractor required by the Contractor to provide the Services from loss, damage or any other occurrence that may result in any of those Facilities and Equipment being unavailable when required to provide the Services; and
 - (b) limit access to Facilities and Equipment of the Contractor
 - (i) being used by the Contractor to provide the Services, or
 - (ii) that may be used by someone to access Information

to those persons who are authorized to have that access and for the purposes for which they are authorized, which process must include measures to verify the identity of those persons.

8. If the Province makes available to the Contractor any Facilities or Equipment of the Province for the use of the Contractor in providing the Services, the Contractor must comply with any policies and procedures provided to it by the Province on acceptable use, protection of, and access to, such Facilities or Equipment.

Sensitive Information access control

- 9. The Contractor must:
 - (a) create, maintain and follow a documented process for limiting access to Sensitive Information to those persons who are authorized to have that access and for the purposes for which they are authorized, which process must include measures to verify the identity of those persons; and
 - (b) comply with the information access control requirements set out in Appendix G3, if attached.

Integrity of Information

- 10. The Contractor must:
 - (a) create, maintain and follow a documented process for maintaining the integrity of Information while possessed or accessed by the Contractor; and
 - (b) comply with the information integrity requirements set out in Appendix G4, if attached.
- 11. For the purposes of section 10, maintaining the integrity of Information means that, except to the extent expressly authorized by the Agreement or approved in writing by the Province, the Information has:
 - (a) remained as complete as when it was acquired or accessed by the Contractor; and
 - (b) not been altered in any material respect.

Documentation of changes to processes

12. The Contractor must create and maintain detailed Records logging any changes it makes to the processes described in sections 7, 9 and 10.

Notice of security breaches

- 13. If Contractor becomes aware that:
 - (a) unauthorized access, collection, use, disclosure, alteration or disposal of Information or Records containing Information; or
 - (b) unauthorized access to Facilities or Equipment

has occurred or is likely to occur (whether or not related to a failure by the Contractor to comply with this Schedule or the Agreement), the Contractor must immediately notify the Province of the particulars of that occurrence or likely occurrence. If the Contractor provides a notification under this section other than in writing, that notification must be confirmed in writing to the Province as soon as it is reasonably practicable for the Contractor to do so.

Review of security breaches

14. If the Province decides to conduct a review of a matter described in section 13 (whether or not the matter came to the attention of the Province as a result of a notification under section 13), the Contractor must, on the request of the Province, participate in the review to the extent that it is reasonably practicable for the Contractor to do so.

Retention of Records

15. Unless the Agreement otherwise specifies, the Contractor must retain all Records in the Contractor's possession that contain Information until directed by the Province in writing to dispose of them or deliver them as specified in the direction.

Storage of Records

16. Until disposed of or delivered in accordance with section 15, the Contractor must store any Records in the Contractor's possession that contain Information in accordance with the provisions of Appendix G5, if attached.

Audit

- 17. In addition to any other rights of inspection the Province may have under the Agreement or under statute, the Province may, at any reasonable time and on reasonable notice to the Contractor, enter on the Contractor's premises to inspect and, at the Province's discretion, copy:
 - (a) any Records in the possession of the Contractor containing Information; or
 - (b) any of the Contractor's Information management policies or processes (including the processes described in sections 7, 9 and 10 and the logs described in sections 5 and 12) relevant to the Contractor's compliance with this Schedule

and the Contractor must permit, and provide reasonable assistance to, the exercise by the Province of the Province's rights under this section.

Termination of Agreement

18. In addition to any other rights of termination which the Province may have under the Agreement or otherwise at law, the Province may, subject to any provisions in the Agreement establishing mandatory cure periods for defaults by the Contractor, terminate the Agreement by giving written notice of such termination to the Contractor, upon any failure of the Contractor to comply with this Schedule in a material respect.

Interpretation.

- 19. In this Schedule, unless otherwise specified:
 - (a) references to sections are to sections of this Schedule; and
 - (b) references to appendices are to the appendices attached to this Schedule.
- 20. Any reference to the "Contractor" in this Schedule includes any subcontractor retained by the Contractor to perform obligations under the Agreement and the Contractor must ensure that any such subcontractors comply with this Schedule.
- 21. The appendices attached to this Schedule are part of this Schedule.
- 22. If there is a conflict between a provision in an appendix attached to this Schedule and any other provision of this Schedule, the provision in the appendix is inoperative to the extent of the conflict unless the appendix states that it operates despite a conflicting provision of this Schedule.
- 23. If there is a conflict between:
 - (a) a provision of the Agreement, this Schedule or an appendix attached to this Schedule; and
 - (b) a documented process required by this Schedule to be created or maintained by the Contractor the provision of the Agreement, Schedule or appendix will prevail to the extent of the conflict.
- 24. The obligations of the Contractor in this Schedule will survive the termination of the Agreement.

SCHEDULE G - Appendix G1 - Security screening requirements

The personnel security screening requirements set out in this Appendix G1 are for the purpose of assisting the Contractor determine whether or not a Services Worker constitutes an unreasonable security risk.

Verification of name, date of birth and address

The Contractor must verify the name, date of birth and current address of a Services Worker by viewing at least one piece of "primary identification" of the Services Worker and at least one piece of "secondary identification" of the Services Worker,* as described in the table following this section. The Contractor must obtain or create, as applicable, Records of all such verifications and retain a copy of those Records. For a Services Worker from another province or jurisdiction, reasonably equivalent identification documents are acceptable.

Primary Identification	Secondary Identification
Issued by ICBC: B.C. driver's licence or learner's licence (must have photo) B.C. Identification (BCID) card Issued by provincial or territorial government: Canadian birth certificate Issued by Government of Canada: Canadian Citizenship Card Permanent Resident Card Canadian Record of Landing/Canadian Immigration Identification Record	 School ID card (student card) Bank card (only if holder's name is on card) Credit card (only if holder's name is on card) Passport Foreign birth certificate (a baptismal certificate is not acceptable) Canadian or U.S. driver's licence Naturalization certificate Canadian Forces identification Police identification Foreign Affairs Canada or consular identification Vehicle registration (only if owner's signature is shown) Picture employee ID card Firearms Acquisition Certificate Social Insurance Card (only if has signature strip) B.C. CareCard Native Status Card Parole Certificate ID Correctional Service Conditional Release Card

*It is not necessary that each piece of identification viewed by the Contractor contains the name, date of birth and current address of the Services Worker. It is sufficient that, in combination, the identification viewed contains that information.

Verification of education and professional qualifications

2. The Contractor must verify, by reasonable means, any relevant education and professional qualifications of a Services Worker, obtain or create, as applicable, Records of all such verifications, and retain a copy of those Records.

Verification of employment history and reference checks

3. The Contractor must verify, by reasonable means, any relevant employment history of a Services Worker, which will generally consist of the Contractor requesting that a Services Worker provide employment references and the Contractor contacting those references. If a Services Worker has no relevant employment history, the Contractor must seek to verify the character or other relevant personal characteristics of the Services Worker by requesting the Services Worker to provide one or more personal references and contacting those references. The Contractor must obtain or create, as applicable, Records of all such verifications and retain a copy of those Records.

Security interview

4. The Contractor must allow the Province to conduct a security-focused interview with a Services Worker if the Province identifies a reasonable security concern and notifies the Contractor it wishes to do so.

Criminal history check

5. The Contractor must arrange for and retain documented results of a criminal history check on a Services Worker obtained through the Services Worker's local policing agency. Criminal history checks must be repeated as necessary to ensure that at all times the most recent criminal history check on a Services Worker was completed within the previous five years.

SCHEDULE G - Appendix G6 - Sensitive Information

In addition to the information described in section 1(e)(i) of this Schedule, the following information is specified as "Sensitive Information" for the purposes of this Schedule:

- (a) Sensitive information includes: all findings, data, reports, documents, records and material (both printed and electronic, including but not limited to, on hard disk or diskettes), whether complete or otherwise, that:
 - i. has been provided by or on behalf of the Province to the Client in connection with this contract, and
 - ii. is Personal Information or is related to an individual, whether or not the individual is identifiable, and includes all data-linkages, derived works, copies or modifications of such findings, data, reports, documents, records and material made by or on behalf of the Client.

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THIS AGREEMENT is dated for reference the 22nd day of October, 2013.

BETWEEN:

<u>EAGLEVISION CONSULTING LTD.</u> (the "Contractor") with the following specified address: s.22

AND:

HER MAJESTY THE QUEEN IN RIGHT OF THE PROVINCE OF BRITISH COLUMBIA, as represented by the "Minister of Health" (the "Province") with the following specified address and fax number:

1st Floor, 800 Johnson Street
Victoria BC
V8W 1N3
Fax: 250-387-1407

The Province wishes to retain the Contractor to provide the services specified in Schedule A and, in consideration for the remuneration set out in Schedule B, the Contractor has agreed to provide those services, on the terms and conditions set out in this Agreement.

As a result, the Province and the Contractor agree as follows:

1 DEFINITIONS

General

- 1.1 In this Agreement, unless the context otherwise requires:
 - (a) "Business Day" means a day, other than a Saturday or Sunday, on which Provincial government offices are open for normal business in British Columbia;
 - (b) "Incorporated Material" means any material in existence prior to the start of the Term or developed independently of this Agreement, and that is incorporated or embedded in the Produced Material by the Contractor or a Subcontractor;
 - (c) "Material" means the Produced Material and the Received Material;
 - (d) "Produced Material" means records, software and other material, whether complete or not, that, as a result of this Agreement, are produced by the Contractor or a Subcontractor and includes the Incorporated Material;
 - (e) "Received Material" means records, software and other material, whether complete or not, that, as a result of this Agreement, are received by the Contractor or a Subcontractor from the Province or any other person;
 - (f) "Services" means the services described in Part 2 of Schedule A;
 - (g) "Subcontractor" means a person described in paragraph (a) or (b) of section 13.4; and
 - (h) "Term" means the term of the Agreement described in Part 1 of Schedule A subject to that term ending earlier in accordance with this Agreement.

Meaning of "record"

1.2 The definition of "record" in the *Interpretation Act* is incorporated into this Agreement and "records" will bear a corresponding meaning.

2 SERVICES

Provision of services

2.1 The Contractor must provide the Services in accordance with this Agreement.

Term

2.2 Regardless of the date of execution or delivery of this Agreement, the Contractor must provide the Services during the Term.

Supply of various items

2.3 Unless the parties otherwise agree in writing, the Contractor must supply and pay for all labour, materials, equipment, tools, facilities, approvals and licenses necessary or advisable to perform the Contractor's obligations under this Agreement, including the license under section 6.4.

Standard of care

2.4 Unless otherwise specified in this Agreement, the Contractor must perform the Services to a standard of care, skill and diligence maintained by persons providing, on a commercial basis, services similar to the Services.

Standards in relation to persons performing Services

2.5 The Contractor must ensure that all persons employed or retained to perform the Services are qualified and competent to perform them and are properly trained, instructed and supervised.

Instructions by Province

2.6 The Province may from time to time give the Contractor reasonable instructions (in writing or otherwise) as to the performance of the Services. The Contractor must comply with those instructions but, unless otherwise specified in this Agreement, the Contractor may determine the manner in which the instructions are carried out.

Confirmation of non-written instructions

2.7 If the Province provides an instruction under section 2.6 other than in writing, the Contractor may request that the instruction be confirmed by the Province in writing, which request the Province must comply with as soon as it is reasonably practicable to do so.

Effectiveness of non-written instructions

2.8 Requesting written confirmation of an instruction under section 2.7 does not relieve the Contractor from complying with the instruction at the time the instruction was given.

Applicable laws

2.9 In the performance of the Contractor's obligations under this Agreement, the Contractor must comply with all applicable laws.

3 PAYMENT

Fees and expenses

- 3.1 If the Contractor complies with this Agreement, then the Province must pay to the Contractor at the times and on the conditions set out in Schedule B:
 - (a) the fees described in that Schedule;

- (b) the expenses, if any, described in that Schedule if they are supported, where applicable, by proper receipts and, in the Province's opinion, are necessarily incurred by the Contractor in providing the Services; and
- (c) any applicable taxes payable by the Province under law or agreement with the relevant taxation authorities on the fees and expenses described in paragraphs (a) and (b).

The Province is not obliged to pay to the Contractor more than the "Maximum Amount" specified in Schedule B on account of fees and expenses.

Statements of accounts

3.2 In order to obtain payment of any fees and expenses under this Agreement, the Contractor must submit to the Province a written statement of account in a form satisfactory to the Province upon completion of the Services or at other times described in Schedule B.

Withholding of amounts

3.3 Without limiting section 9.1, the Province may withhold from any payment due to the Contractor an amount sufficient to indemnify, in whole or in part, the Province and its employees and agents against any liens or other third-party claims that have arisen or could arise in connection with the provision of the Services. An amount withheld under this section must be promptly paid by the Province to the Contractor upon the basis for withholding the amount having been fully resolved to the satisfaction of the Province.

Appropriation

3.4 The Province's obligation to pay money to the Contractor is subject to the *Financial Administration Act*, which makes that obligation subject to an appropriation being available in the fiscal year of the Province during which payment becomes due.

Currency

3.5 Unless otherwise specified in this Agreement, all references to money are to Canadian dollars.

Non-resident income tax

3.6 If the Contractor is not a resident in Canada, the Contractor acknowledges that the Province may be required by law to withhold income tax from the fees described in Schedule B and then to remit that tax to the Receiver General of Canada on the Contractor's behalf.

Prohibition against committing money

3.7 Without limiting section 13.10(a), the Contractor must not in relation to performing the Contractor's obligations under this Agreement commit or purport to commit the Province to pay any money except as may be expressly provided for in this Agreement.

Refunds of taxes

- 3.8 The Contractor must:
 - (a) apply for, and use reasonable efforts to obtain, any available refund, credit, rebate or remission of federal, provincial or other tax or duty imposed on the Contractor as a result of this Agreement that the Province has paid or reimbursed to the Contractor or agreed to pay or reimburse to the Contractor under this Agreement; and
 - (b) immediately on receiving, or being credited with, any amount applied for under paragraph (a), remit that amount to the Province.

REPRESENTATIONS AND WARRANTIES

- 4.1 As at the date this Agreement is executed and delivered by, or on behalf of, the parties, the Contractor represents and warrants to the Province as follows:
 - (a) except to the extent the Contractor has previously disclosed otherwise in writing to the Province,
 - (i) all information, statements, documents and reports furnished or submitted by the Contractor to the Province in connection with this Agreement (including as part of any competitive process resulting in this Agreement being entered into) are in all material respects true and correct,
 - (ii) the Contractor has sufficient trained staff, facilities, materials, appropriate equipment and approved subcontractual agreements in place and available to enable the Contractor to fully perform the Services, and
 - (iii) the Contractor holds all permits, licenses, approvals and statutory authorities issued by any government or government agency that are necessary for the performance of the Contractor's obligations under this Agreement; and
 - (b) if the Contractor is not an individual,
 - (i) the Contractor has the power and capacity to enter into this Agreement and to observe, perform and comply with the terms of this Agreement and all necessary corporate or other proceedings have been taken and done to authorize the execution and delivery of this Agreement by, or on behalf of, the Contractor, and
 - (ii) this Agreement has been legally and properly executed by, or on behalf of, the Contractor and is legally binding upon and enforceable against the Contractor in accordance with its terms except as enforcement may be limited by bankruptcy, insolvency or other laws affecting the rights of creditors generally and except that equitable remedies may be granted only in the discretion of a court of competent jurisdiction.

5 PRIVACY, SECURITY AND CONFIDENTIALITY

Privacy

5.1 The Contractor must comply with the Privacy Protection Schedule attached as Schedule E.

Security

- 5.2 The Contractor must:
 - make reasonable security arrangements to protect the Material from unauthorized access, collection, use, disclosure, alteration or disposal; and
 - (b) comply with the Security Schedule attached as Schedule G.

Confidentiality

- 5.3 The Contractor must treat as confidential all information in the Material and all other information accessed or obtained by the Contractor or a Subcontractor (whether verbally, electronically or otherwise) as a result of this Agreement, and not permit its disclosure or use without the Province's prior written consent except:
 - (a) as required to perform the Contractor's obligations under this Agreement or to comply with applicable laws;
 - (b) if it is information that is generally known to the public other than as result of a breach of this Agreement; or
 - (c) if it is information in any Incorporated Material.

Public announcements

5.4 Any public announcement relating to this Agreement will be arranged by the Province and, if such consultation is reasonably practicable, after consultation with the Contractor.

Restrictions on promotion

5.5 The Contractor must not, without the prior written approval of the Province, refer for promotional purposes to the Province being a customer of the Contractor or the Province having entered into this Agreement.

6 MATERIAL AND INTELLECTUAL PROPERTY

Access to Material

6.1 If the Contractor receives a request for access to any of the Material from a person other than the Province, and this Agreement does not require or authorize the Contractor to provide that access, the Contractor must promptly advise the person to make the request to the Province.

Ownership and delivery of Material

6.2 The Province exclusively owns all property rights in the Material which are not intellectual property rights. The Contractor must deliver any Material to the Province immediately upon the Province's request.

Matters respecting intellectual property

- 6.3 The Province exclusively owns all intellectual property rights, including copyright, in:
 - (a) Received Material that the Contractor receives from the Province; and
 - (b) Produced Material, other than any Incorporated Material.

Upon the Province's request, the Contractor must deliver to the Province documents satisfactory to the Province that irrevocably waive in the Province's favour any moral rights which the Contractor (or employees of the Contractor) or a Subcontractor (or employees of a Subcontractor) may have in the Produced Material and that confirm the vesting in the Province of the copyright in the Produced Material, other than any Incorporated Material.

Rights in relation to Incorporated Material

- 6.4 Upon any Incorporated Material being embedded or incorporated in the Produced Material and to the extent that it remains so embedded or incorporated, the Contractor grants to the Province:
 - (a) a non-exclusive, perpetual, irrevocable, royalty-free, worldwide license to use, reproduce, modify and distribute that Incorporated Material; and
 - (b) the right to sublicense to third-parties the right to use, reproduce, modify and distribute that Incorporated Material.

7 RECORDS AND REPORTS

Work reporting

7.1 Upon the Province's request, the Contractor must fully inform the Province of all work done by the Contractor or a Subcontractor in connection with providing the Services.

Time and expense records

7.2 If Schedule B provides for the Contractor to be paid fees at a daily or hourly rate or for the Contractor to be paid or reimbursed for expenses, the Contractor must maintain time records and books of account, invoices, receipts and vouchers of expenses in support of those payments, in form and content satisfactory to the Province. Unless otherwise specified in this Agreement, the Contractor must retain such documents for a period of not less than seven years after this Agreement ends.

8 AUDIT

8.1 In addition to any other rights of inspection the Province may have under statute or otherwise, the Province may at any reasonable time and on reasonable notice to the Contractor, enter on the Contractor's premises to inspect and, at the Province's discretion, copy any of the Material and the Contractor must permit, and provide reasonable assistance to, the exercise by the Province of the Province's rights under this section.

9 INDEMNITY AND INSURANCE

Indemnity

9.1 The Contractor must indemnify and save harmless the Province and the Province's employees and agents from any losses, claims, damages, actions, causes of action, costs and expenses that the Province or any of the Province's employees or agents may sustain, incur, suffer or be put to at any time, either before or after this Agreement ends, including any claim of infringement of third-party intellectual property rights, where the same or any of them are based upon, arise out of or occur, directly or indirectly, by reason of any act or omission by the Contractor or by any of the Contractor's agents, employees, officers, directors or Subcontractors in connection with this Agreement, excepting always liability arising out of the independent acts or omissions of the Province and the Province's employees and agents.

Insurance

9.2 The Contractor must comply with the Insurance Schedule attached as Schedule D.

Workers compensation

9.3 Without limiting the generality of section 2.9, the Contractor must comply with, and must ensure that any Subcontractors comply with, all applicable occupational health and safety laws in relation to the performance of the Contractor's obligations under this Agreement, including the *Workers Compensation Act* in British Columbia or similar laws in other jurisdictions.

Personal optional protection

- 9.4 The Contractor must apply for and maintain personal optional protection insurance (consisting of income replacement and medical care coverage) during the Term at the Contractor's expense if:
 - (a) the Contractor is an individual or a partnership of individuals and does not have the benefit of mandatory workers compensation coverage under the *Workers Compensation Act* or similar laws in other jurisdictions; and
 - (b) such personal optional protection insurance is available for the Contractor from WorkSafeBC or other sources.

Evidence of coverage

9.5 Within 10 Business Days of being requested to do so by the Province, the Contractor must provide the Province with evidence of the Contractor's compliance with sections 9.3 and 9.4.

10 FORCE MAJEURE

Definitions relating to force majeure

- 10.1 In this section and sections 10.2 and 10.3:
 - (a) "Event of Force Majeure" means one of the following events:
 - (i) a natural disaster, fire, flood, storm, epidemic or power failure,
 - (ii) a war (declared and undeclared), insurrection or act of terrorism or piracy,
 - (iii) a strike (including illegal work stoppage or slowdown) or lockout, or
 - (iv) a freight embargo

if the event prevents a party from performing the party's obligations in accordance with this Agreement and is beyond the reasonable control of that party; and

(b) "Affected Party" means a party prevented from performing the party's obligations in accordance with this Agreement by an Event of Force Majeure.

Consequence of Event of Force Majeure

An Affected Party is not liable to the other party for any failure or delay in the performance of the Affected Party's obligations under this Agreement resulting from an Event of Force Majeure and any time periods for the performance of such obligations are automatically extended for the duration of the Event of Force Majeure provided that the Affected Party complies with the requirements of section 10.3.

Duties of Affected Party

10.3 An Affected Party must promptly notify the other party in writing upon the occurrence of the Event of Force Majeure and make all reasonable efforts to prevent, control or limit the effect of the Event of Force Majeure so as to resume compliance with the Affected Party's obligations under this Agreement as soon as possible.

11 DEFAULT AND TERMINATION

Definitions relating to default and termination

- 11.1 In this section and sections 11.2 to 11.4:
 - (a) "Event of Default" means any of the following:
 - (i) an Insolvency Event,
 - (ii) the Contractor fails to perform any of the Contractor's obligations under this Agreement, or
 - (iii) any representation or warranty made by the Contractor in this Agreement is untrue or incorrect; and
 - (b) "Insolvency Event" means any of the following:
 - i) an order is made, a resolution is passed or a petition is filed, for the Contractor's liquidation or winding up,
 - (ii) the Contractor commits an act of bankruptcy, makes an assignment for the benefit of the Contractor's creditors or otherwise acknowledges the Contractor's insolvency,
 - (iii) a bankruptcy petition is filed or presented against the Contractor or a proposal under the *Bankruptcy and Insolvency Act* (Canada) is made by the Contractor,
 - (iv) a compromise or arrangement is proposed in respect of the Contractor under the Companies' Creditors Arrangement Act (Canada),
 - (v) a receiver or receiver-manager is appointed for any of the Contractor's property, or

(vi) the Contractor ceases, in the Province's reasonable opinion, to carry on business as a going concern.

Province's options on default

- On the happening of an Event of Default, or at any time thereafter, the Province may, at its option, elect to do any one or more of the following:
 - (a) by written notice to the Contractor, require that the Event of Default be remedied within a time period specified in the notice;
 - (b) pursue any remedy or take any other action available to it at law or in equity; or
 - (c) by written notice to the Contractor, terminate this Agreement with immediate effect or on a future date specified in the notice, subject to the expiration of any time period specified under section 11.2(a).

Delay not a waiver

11.3 No failure or delay on the part of the Province to exercise its rights in relation to an Event of Default will constitute a waiver by the Province of such rights.

Province's right to terminate other than for default

11.4 In addition to the Province's right to terminate this Agreement under section 11.2(c) on the happening of an Event of Default, the Province may terminate this Agreement for any reason by giving at least 10 days' written notice of termination to the Contractor.

Payment consequences of termination

- 11.5 Unless Schedule B otherwise provides, if the Province terminates this Agreement under section 11.4:
 - (a) the Province must, within 30 days of such termination, pay to the Contractor any unpaid portion of the fees and expenses described in Schedule B which corresponds with the portion of the Services that was completed to the Province's satisfaction before termination of this Agreement; and
 - (b) the Contractor must, within 30 days of such termination, repay to the Province any paid portion of the fees and expenses described in Schedule B which corresponds with the portion of the Services that the Province has notified the Contractor in writing was not completed to the Province's satisfaction before termination of this Agreement.

Discharge of liability

11.6 The payment by the Province of the amount described in section 11.5(a) discharges the Province from all liability to make payments to the Contractor under this Agreement.

Notice in relation to Events of Default

11.7 If the Contractor becomes aware that an Event of Default has occurred or anticipates that an Event of Default is likely to occur, the Contractor must promptly notify the Province of the particulars of the Event of Default or anticipated Event of Default. A notice under this section as to the occurrence of an Event of Default must also specify the steps the Contractor proposes to take to address, or prevent recurrence of, the Event of Default. A notice under this section as to an anticipated Event of Default must specify the steps the Contractor proposes to take to prevent the occurrence of the anticipated Event of Default.

12 DISPUTE RESOLUTION

Dispute resolution process

- 12.1 In the event of any dispute between the parties arising out of or in connection with this Agreement, the following dispute resolution process will apply unless the parties otherwise agree in writing:
 - (a) the parties must initially attempt to resolve the dispute through collaborative negotiation;
 - (b) if the dispute is not resolved through collaborative negotiation within 15 Business Days of the dispute arising, the parties must then attempt to resolve the dispute through mediation under the rules of the British Columbia Mediator Roster Society; and
 - (c) if the dispute is not resolved through mediation within 30 Business Days of the commencement of mediation, the dispute must be referred to and finally resolved by arbitration under the *Arbitration Act*.

Location of arbitration or mediation

12.2 Unless the parties otherwise agree in writing, an arbitration or mediation under section 12.1 will be held in Victoria, British Columbia.

Costs of mediation or arbitration

12.3 Unless the parties otherwise agree in writing or, in the case of an arbitration, the arbitrator otherwise orders, the parties must share equally the costs of a mediation or arbitration under section 12.1 other than those costs relating to the production of expert evidence or representation by counsel.

13 MISCELLANEOUS

Delivery of notices

- 13.1 Any notice contemplated by this Agreement, to be effective, must be in writing and delivered as follows:
 - (a) by fax to the addressee's fax number specified on the first page of this Agreement, in which case it will be deemed to be received on the day of transmittal unless transmitted after the normal business hours of the addressee or on a day that is not a Business Day, in which cases it will be deemed to be received on the next following Business Day;
 - (b) by hand to the addressee's address specified on the first page of this Agreement, in which case it will be deemed to be received on the day of its delivery; or
 - (c) by prepaid post to the addressee's address specified on the first page of this Agreement, in which case if mailed during any period when normal postal services prevail, it will be deemed to be received on the fifth Business Day after its mailing.

Change of address or fax number

13.2 Either party may from time to time give notice to the other party of a substitute address or fax number, which from the date such notice is given will supersede for purposes of section 13.1 any previous address or fax number specified for the party giving the notice.

Assignment

13.3 The Contractor must not assign any of the Contractor's rights under this Agreement without the Province's prior written consent.

Subcontracting

- 13.4 The Contractor must not subcontract any of the Contractor's obligations under this Agreement to any person without the Province's prior written consent, excepting persons listed in the attached Schedule C. No subcontract, whether consented to or not, relieves the Contractor from any obligations under this Agreement. The Contractor must ensure that:
 - (a) any person retained by the Contractor to perform obligations under this Agreement; and
 - (b) any person retained by a person described in paragraph (a) to perform those obligations fully complies with this Agreement in performing the subcontracted obligations.

Waiver

13.5 A waiver of any term or breach of this Agreement is effective only if it is in writing and signed by, or on behalf of, the waiving party and is not a waiver of any other term or breach.

Modifications

13.6 No modification of this Agreement is effective unless it is in writing and signed by, or on behalf of, the parties.

Entire agreement

13.7 This Agreement (including any modification of it) constitutes the entire agreement between the parties as to performance of the Services.

Survival of certain provisions

13.8 Sections 2.9, 3.1 to 3.4, 3.7, 3.8, 5.1 to 5.5, 6.1 to 6.4, 7.1, 7.2, 8.1, 9.1, 9.2, 9.5, 10.1 to 10.3, 11.2, 11.3, 11.5, 11.6, 12.1 to 12.3, 13.1, 13.2, 13.8, and 13.10, any accrued but unpaid payment obligations, and any other sections of this Agreement (including schedules) which, by their terms or nature, are intended to survive the completion of the Services or termination of this Agreement, will continue in force indefinitely, even after this Agreement ends.

Schedules

13.9 The schedules to this Agreement (including any appendices or other documents attached to, or incorporated by reference into, those schedules) are part of this Agreement.

Independent contractor

- 13.10 In relation to the performance of the Contractor's obligations under this Agreement, the Contractor is an independent contractor and not:
 - (a) an employee or partner of the Province; or
 - (b) an agent of the Province except as may be expressly provided for in this Agreement.

The Contractor must not act or purport to act contrary to this section.

Personnel not to be employees of Province

13.11 The Contractor must not do anything that would result in personnel hired or used by the Contractor or a Subcontractor in relation to providing the Services being considered employees of the Province.

Key Personnel

13.12 If one or more individuals are specified as "Key Personnel" of the Contractor in Part 4 of Schedule A, the Contractor must cause those individuals to perform the Services on the Contractor's behalf, unless the Province otherwise approves in writing, which approval must not be unreasonably withheld.

Pertinent information

13.13 The Province must make available to the Contractor all information in the Province's possession which the Province considers pertinent to the performance of the Services.

Conflict of interest

13.14 The Contractor must not provide any services to any person in circumstances which, in the Province's reasonable opinion, could give rise to a conflict of interest between the Contractor's duties to that person and the Contractor's duties to the Province under this Agreement.

Time

13.15 Time is of the essence in this Agreement and, without limitation, will remain of the essence after any modification or extension of this Agreement, whether or not expressly restated in the document effecting the modification or extension.

Conflicts among provisions

- 13.16 Conflicts among provisions of this Agreement will be resolved as follows:
 - (a) a provision in the body of this Agreement will prevail over any conflicting provision in, attached to or incorporated by reference into a schedule, unless that conflicting provision expressly states otherwise; and
 - (b) a provision in a schedule will prevail over any conflicting provision in a document attached to or incorporated by reference into a schedule, unless the schedule expressly states otherwise.

Agreement not permit nor fetter

13.17 This Agreement does not operate as a permit, license, approval or other statutory authority which the Contractor may be required to obtain from the Province or any of its agencies in order to provide the Services. Nothing in this Agreement is to be construed as interfering with, or fettering in any manner, the exercise by the Province or its agencies of any statutory, prerogative, executive or legislative power or duty.

Remainder not affected by invalidity

13.18 If any provision of this Agreement or the application of it to any person or circumstance is invalid or unenforceable to any extent, the remainder of this Agreement and the application of such provision to any other person or circumstance will not be affected or impaired and will be valid and enforceable to the extent permitted by law.

Further assurances

13.19 Each party must perform the acts, execute and deliver the writings, and give the assurances as may be reasonably necessary to give full effect to this Agreement.

Additional terms

13.20 Any additional terms set out in the attached Schedule F apply to this Agreement.

Governing law

13.21 This Agreement is governed by, and is to be interpreted and construed in accordance with, the laws applicable in British Columbia.

14 INTERPRETATION

- 14.1 In this Agreement:
 - (a) "includes" and "including" are not intended to be limiting;
 - (b) unless the context otherwise requires, references to sections by number are to sections of this Agreement;
 - (c) the Contractor and the Province are referred to as "the parties" and each of them as a "party";
 - (d) "attached" means attached to this Agreement when used in relation to a schedule;
 - (e) unless otherwise specified, a reference to a statute by name means the statute of British Columbia by that name, as amended or replaced from time to time;
 - (f) the headings have been inserted for convenience of reference only and are not intended to describe, enlarge or restrict the scope or meaning of this Agreement or any provision of it;
 - (g) "person" includes an individual, partnership, corporation or legal entity of any nature; and
 - (h) unless the context otherwise requires, words expressed in the singular include the plural and *vice versa*.

15 EXECUTION AND DELIVERY OF AGREEMENT

15.1 This Agreement may be entered into by a separate copy of this Agreement being executed by, or on behalf of, each party and that executed copy being delivered to the other party by a method provided for in section 13.1 or any other method agreed to by the parties.

The parties have executed this Agreement as follows:

SIGNED on the _22_ day of, 2013 by the Contractor (or, if not an individual, on its behalf by its authorized signatory or signatories):	SIGNED on the 2 2 day of 20/3 on behalf of the Province by its duly authorized representative:
Manay Rigg. Signature(s)	Meach Davids
Nancy Rigg Print Name(s)	Hoather Davidson Print Name
President, EagleVision Consulting Print Title(s)	Print Title

Schedule A - Services

PART 1. TERM:

- 1. Subject to section 2 of this Part 1, the term of this Agreement commences on October 22, 2013 and ends on March 31, 2014.
- 2. At the sole discretion of the Province, the term may be extended for an additional two (2) months.

PART 2. SERVICES:

The Contractor will be required to develop province-wide quality and safety standards for Home and Community Care (HCC) services that will promote best practices and quality improvement in services provided by health authorities through owned-and-operated or contracted service providers. The standards will be based in a provincial framework for quality and safety standards that identifies how the new standards fit within the relevant legislation, regulations, policies and programs and the Contractor will provide an analysis of any changes required to enable the new standards. The Contractor will manage a focused consultation process using a combination of WebEx/Live Meeting format, web-based platform and limited in-person focus groups to obtain feedback on draft HCC standards from relevant internal Ministry of Health (Ministry) stakeholders, health authorities, contracted service providers, and seniors and caregivers through the Patient Voices Network. Finally, the Contractor will develop an implementation plan and related information materials for a variety of audiences.

Project Scope

The following elements are within the scope of the contract:

- Province wide quality and safety standards for HCC services;
- Standards support documentation;
- An integrated, provincial quality management framework for the HCC standards;
- A consultation process for the draft standards; and
- Implementation plan and related information materials.

Out of Scope

The following elements are beyond the scope of the contract:

- Development of clinical care standards.
- Review of appropriateness of any current operational standards in use within the health authorities.
- Implementation of the standards.
- Development of detailed educational modules.
- Identification of funding sources or other resources required to implement the HCC quality and safety standards.

Outputs

The Contractor must complete the deliverables in the following table within the tinuelines set out below:

Deliverable Action to be Taken		Timeline	
1.	Develop a comprehensive project plan	Develop a project charter.Develop a detailed project work plan.	October 28, 2013
2.	Review and discussion of project to date	 Review all relevant Ministry documents with regards to "Standards Development for HCC" as provided by the Ministry Building on existing work done by the Ministry, selectively review national and international comparable jurisdictions for HCC standards and quality management frameworks as the project evolves. 	November 13, 2013

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		 Conduct a high level scan of current clinical and best practice standards from other jurisdictions and health authorities. Initiate work on draft standards and policy integration. Provide feedback on any identified gaps to the Project team. 	
3.	Develop HCC Standards and Quality Management Framework	 Revise "draft standards" and criteria based on work already completed by the Ministry including documentation depicting how each standard is integrated vertically with other policy instruments such as provincial policy, other standards, practice and quality improvement tools, clinical guidelines and general information. Utilize best practices, findings from other jurisdictions, Michael Smith Foundation and existing policies and standards to inform the development of the standards and framework. Develop a draft high level quality management framework. Complete a review of any required associated legislative or policy changes to support implementation of standards. 	December 13, 2013
4.	Develop a Plan for Key Stakeholder Consultation	 In consultation with the Project team determine the key stakeholders to be included in the consultation process and the actual process for consultation (options include orientation sessions, focus groups, eSurvey, Patient Voices Network). Develop background material and discussion paper and questions for consultation. Confirm and determine consultation format and/or approach, i.e. in person, web link, teleconference, written submissions, etc. Explore opportunities to utilize consultation process to also identify future communication methods to the public. Develop a standardized feedback format to efficiently collect feedback. 	December 31, 2013
5.	Conduct Stakeliolder Consultation	 Conduct consultation through means agreed to by the Ministry Project Team including coordinating, organizing and booking rooms for in-person sessions and/or focus groups where required with the support of Ministry staff. Analyze and summarize feedback and update "draft standards" and policy and legislative impacts based upon feedback. 	February 28, 2014
6.	Develop Final Materials and High Level Implementation Plan	 Identify key change management and risks associated with implementation. In consultation with reference groups, identify education and training needs to support adoption, including communication mechanisms. Identify options for monitoring (audits), reporting, accountability and follow-up, including appropriate governance structures, utilizing learning's from other jurisdictions. Incorporate a high level communication plan that includes development of tools, information material and other documents to introduce the standards to service providers, the public, and clients their families and caregivers. 	March 31, 2014

Inputs

The Contractor must:

- a. provide qualified resources to provide the Services as described above; and
- b. attend the meetings as requested, either in person or by teleconference.

The Contractor will be expected to perform services off-site, however, they may be requested on-site for consultations and meetings in Victoria, British Columbia, as well as other sites around the province.

The Province will:

- a. provide copies of relevant government documents required and brief the Contractor on work to be undertaken;
- b. provide clarification on all relevant issues;
- provide any relevant contacts;
- d. create a Project Team comprised of Ministry staff;
- e. identify internal and external stakeholders for the purpose of meetings;
- f. provide access to, and input/feedback from, stakeholders, as received by the Province;
- g. provide adequate notice to the Contractor regarding attendance at in-person meetings in order to make necessary travel arrangements;
- h. review, comment and sign off on all deliverables.

Outcomes

Through the delivery of the Services the Province wishes to realize the following outcomes and, without limiting the obligation of the Contractor to comply with other provisions of this Part, the Contractor must use commercially reasonable efforts to achieve them:

The Province will be in the position to provide measurable care quality and safety standards for home and community care services as committed in *Improving Care for BC Seniors: An Action Plan*, announced in February of 2012.

The parties acknowledge that the Contractor does not warrant that these outcomes will be achieved.

Reporting requirements

Contractor will participate in periodic in-person or teleconference meetings, as requested by the Province, with appropriate notice given to the Contractor, in order to report on progress.

Detailed reporting requirements are set out in the table in the "Outputs" section above.

PART 3. RELATED DOCUMENTATION:

Not Applicable

PART 4. KEY PERSONNEL:

- 1. The Key Personnel of the Contractor are as follows:
 - (a) Nancy Rigg

If the Contractor's requested Consultant is unavailable for a contemplated project or assignment, the Contractor may be requested to propose a substitute resource to the Province for evaluation and consideration, at the sole option of the Province.

Schedule B - Fees and Expenses

1. MAXIMUM AMOUNT PAYABLE:

<u>Maximum Amount</u>: Despite sections 2 and 3 of this Schedule, \$59,885 is the maximum amount which the Province is obliged to pay to the Contractor for fees and expenses under this Agreement (exclusive of any applicable taxes described in section 3.1(c) of this Agreement).

2. FEES:

Hourly Rate

<u>Fees</u>: at an all-inclusive rate of s.21 er hour for those hours during the Term when the Contractor provides the Services.

3. EXPENSES:

None

4. STATEMENTS OF ACCOUNT:

<u>Statements of Account</u>: In order to obtain payment of any fees and expenses under this Agreement for a period from and including the 1st day of a month to and including the last day of that month (each a "Billing Period"), the Contractor must deliver to the Province on a date after the Billing Period (each a "Billing Date"), a written statement of account in a form satisfactory to the Province containing:

- (a) the Contractor's legal name and address;
- (b) the date of the statement, and the Billing Period to which the statement pertains:
- (c) the Contractor's calculation of all fees claimed for that Billing Period, including a declaration by the Contractor of all hours worked during the Billing Period; a chronological listing, in reasonable detail, of any expenses claimed by the Contractor for the Billing Period with receipts attached, if applicable, and, if the Contractor is claiming reimbursement of any GST or other applicable taxes paid or payable by the Contractor in relation to those expenses, a description of any credits, rebates, refunds or remissions the Contractor is entitled to from the relevant taxation authorities in relation to those taxes:
- (d) the Contractor's calculation of any applicable taxes payable by the Province in relation to the Services for the Billing Period;
- (e) a description of this Agreement;
- (f) a statement number for identification; and
- (g) any other billing information reasonably requested by the Province.

5. PAYMENTS DUE:

<u>Payments Due</u>: Within 30 days of the Province's receipt of the Contractor's written statement of account delivered in accordance with this Schedule, the Province must pay the Contractor the fees and expenses (plus all applicable taxes) claimed in the statement if they are in accordance with this Schedule. Statements of account or contract invoices offering an early payment discount may be paid by the Province as required to obtain the discount.

Schedule C – Approved Subcontractor(s)

Not applicable.

Schedule D - Insurance

- 1. The Contractor must, without limiting the Contractor's obligations or liabilities and at the Contractor's own expense, purchase and maintain throughout the Term the following insurances with insurers licensed in Canada in forms and amounts acceptable to the Province:
 - (a) Commercial General Liability in an amount not less than \$2,000,000.00 inclusive per occurrence against bodily injury, personal injury and property damage and including liability assumed under this Agreement and this insurance must
 - (i) include the Province as an additional insured,
 - (ii) be endorsed to provide the Province with 30 days advance written notice of cancellation or material change, and
 - (iii) include a cross liability clause.
- 2. All insurance described in section 1 of this Schedule must:
 - (a) be primary; and
 - (b) not require the sharing of any loss by any insurer of the Province.
- 3. The Contractor must provide the Province with evidence of all required insurance as follows:
 - (a) within 10 Business Days of commencement of the Services, the Contractor must provide to the Province evidence of all required insurance in the form of a completed Province of British Columbia Certificate of Insurance;
 - (b) if any required insurance policy expires before the end of the Term, the Contractor must provide to the Province within 10 Business Days of the policy's expiration, evidence of a new or renewal policy meeting the requirements of the expired insurance in the form of a completed Province of British Columbia Certificate of Insurance; and
 - (c) despite paragraph (a) or (b) above, if requested by the Province at any time, the Contractor must provide to the Province certified copies of the required insurance policies.
- 4. The Contractor must obtain, maintain and pay for any additional insurance which the Contractor is required by law to carry, or which the Contractor considers necessary to cover risks not otherwise covered by insurance specified in this Schedule in the Contractor's sole discretion.

Schedule E – Privacy Protection Schedule

Not Applicable

Schedule F - Additional Terms

- 1. Contractor Identification During the term of this Agreement and at the request of the Province, contractor shall identify themselves as contractors to the Ministry. This may be in the form of email signature blocks, business cards, correspondence, verbal business dealings and any other identification required by the Province.
- 2. In addition to section 13.1, the General Services Agreement may be entered into by each party signing and delivering it to the other party by email with attachment in PDF format.

Schedule G – Security Schedule

Not applicable.

GENERAL SERVICE AGREEMENT



For Administrative Purposes Only		
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Solicitation No.(if applicable): Commodity Code:	Client: Responsibility Centre: Service Line:	026 66925 44225
Contractor Information	STOB: Project:	6001/6002 6600000
Supplier Name: Dr. M. J. Golbey Inc.		
Supplier No.: 538314 Telephone No.: s.22 E-mail Address Website: N/A	Template version: April	1, 2013

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THIS AGREEMENT is dated for reference the 9th day of December, 2013.

BETWEEN:

<u>DR. M. J. GOLBEY INC.</u> (the "Contractor") with the following specified address: s.22

AND:

HER MAJESTY THE QUEEN IN RIGHT OF THE PROVINCE OF BRITISH COLUMBIA, as represented by the Minister of Health (the "Province") with the following specified address and fax number: 5 – 2, 1515 BLANSHARD STREET VICTORIA BC V8W 3C8 250 952-2605

The Province wishes to retain the Contractor to provide the services specified in Schedule A and, in consideration for the remuneration set out in Schedule B, the Contractor has agreed to provide those services, on the terms and conditions set out in this Agreement.

As a result, the Province and the Contractor agree as follows:

1 DEFINITIONS

General

- 1.1 In this Agreement, unless the context otherwise requires:
 - (a) "Business Day" means a day, other than a Saturday or Sunday, on which Provincial government offices are open for normal business in British Columbia;
 - (b) "Incorporated Material" means any material in existence prior to the start of the Term or developed independently of this Agreement, and that is incorporated or embedded in the Produced Material by the Contractor or a Subcontractor;
 - (c) "Material" means the Produced Material and the Received Material;
 - (d) "Produced Material" means records, software and other material, whether complete or not, that, as a result of this Agreement, are produced by the Contractor or a Subcontractor and includes the Incorporated Material;
 - (e) "Received Material" means records, software and other material, whether complete or not, that, as a result of this Agreement, are received by the Contractor or a Subcontractor from the Province or any other person;
 - (f) "Services" means the services described in Part 2 of Schedule A;
 - (g) "Subcontractor" means a person described in paragraph (a) or (b) of section 13.4; and
 - (h) "Term" means the term of the Agreement described in Part 1 of Schedule A subject to that term ending earlier in accordance with this Agreement.

Meaning of "record"

1.2 The definition of "record" in the *Interpretation Act* is incorporated into this Agreement and "records" will bear a corresponding meaning.

2 SERVICES

Provision of services

2.1 The Contractor must provide the Services in accordance with this Agreement.

Term

2.2 Regardless of the date of execution or delivery of this Agreement, the Contractor must provide the Services during the Term.

Supply of various items

2.3 Unless the parties otherwise agree in writing, the Contractor must supply and pay for all labour, materials, equipment, tools, facilities, approvals and licenses necessary or advisable to perform the Contractor's obligations under this Agreement, including the license under section 6.4.

Standard of care

2.4 Unless otherwise specified in this Agreement, the Contractor must perform the Services to a standard of care, skill and diligence maintained by persons providing, on a commercial basis, services similar to the Services.

Standards in relation to persons performing Services

2.5 The Contractor must ensure that all persons employed or retained to perform the Services are qualified and competent to perform them and are properly trained, instructed and supervised.

Instructions by Province

2.6 The Province may from time to time give the Contractor reasonable instructions (in writing or otherwise) as to the performance of the Services. The Contractor must comply with those instructions but, unless otherwise specified in this Agreement, the Contractor may determine the manner in which the instructions are carried out.

Confirmation of non-written instructions

2.7 If the Province provides an instruction under section 2.6 other than in writing, the Contractor may request that the instruction be confirmed by the Province in writing, which request the Province must comply with as soon as it is reasonably practicable to do so.

Effectiveness of non-written instructions

2.8 Requesting written confirmation of an instruction under section 2.7 does not relieve the Contractor from complying with the instruction at the time the instruction was given.

Applicable laws

2.9 In the performance of the Contractor's obligations under this Agreement, the Contractor must comply with all applicable laws.

3 PAYMENT

Fees and expenses

- 3.1 If the Contractor complies with this Agreement, then the Province must pay to the Contractor at the times and on the conditions set out in Schedule B:
 - (a) the fees described in that Schedule;
 - (b) the expenses, if any, described in that Schedule if they are supported, where applicable, by proper receipts and, in the Province's opinion, are necessarily incurred by the Contractor in providing the Services; and

(c) any applicable taxes payable by the Province under law or agreement with the relevant taxation authorities on the fees and expenses described in paragraphs (a) and (b).

The Province is not obliged to pay to the Contractor more than the "Maximum Amount" specified in Schedule B on account of fees and expenses.

Statements of accounts

3.2 In order to obtain payment of any fees and expenses under this Agreement, the Contractor must submit to the Province a written statement of account in a form satisfactory to the Province upon completion of the Services or at other times described in Schedule B.

Withholding of amounts

3.3 Without limiting section 9.1, the Province may withhold from any payment due to the Contractor an amount sufficient to indemnify, in whole or in part, the Province and its employees and agents against any liens or other third-party claims that have arisen or could arise in connection with the provision of the Services. An amount withheld under this section must be promptly paid by the Province to the Contractor upon the basis for withholding the amount having been fully resolved to the satisfaction of the Province.

Appropriation

3.4 The Province's obligation to pay money to the Contractor is subject to the *Financial Administration Act*, which makes that obligation subject to an appropriation being available in the fiscal year of the Province during which payment becomes due.

Currency

3.5 Unless otherwise specified in this Agreement, all references to money are to Canadian dollars.

Non-resident income tax

3.6 If the Contractor is not a resident in Canada, the Contractor acknowledges that the Province may be required by law to withhold income tax from the fees described in Schedule B and then to remit that tax to the Receiver General of Canada on the Contractor's behalf.

Prohibition against committing money

3.7 Without limiting section 13.10(a), the Contractor must not in relation to performing the Contractor's obligations under this Agreement commit or purport to commit the Province to pay any money except as may be expressly provided for in this Agreement.

Refunds of taxes

3.8 The Contractor must:

- (a) apply for, and use reasonable efforts to obtain, any available refund, credit, rebate or remission of federal, provincial or other tax or duty imposed on the Contractor as a result of this Agreement that the Province has paid or reimbursed to the Contractor or agreed to pay or reimburse to the Contractor under this Agreement; and
- (b) immediately on receiving, or being credited with, any amount applied for under paragraph (a), remit that amount to the Province.

4 REPRESENTATIONS AND WARRANTIES

- 4.1 As at the date this Agreement is executed and delivered by, or on behalf of, the parties, the Contractor represents and warrants to the Province as follows:
 - (a) except to the extent the Contractor has previously disclosed otherwise in writing to the Province,
 - (i) all information, statements, documents and reports furnished or submitted by the Contractor to the Province in connection with this Agreement (including as part of any competitive process resulting in this Agreement being entered into) are in all material respects true and correct,
 - (ii) the Contractor has sufficient trained staff, facilities, materials, appropriate equipment and approved subcontractual agreements in place and available to enable the Contractor to fully perform the Services, and
 - (iii) the Contractor holds all permits, licenses, approvals and statutory authorities issued by any government or government agency that are necessary for the performance of the Contractor's obligations under this Agreement; and
 - (b) if the Contractor is not an individual,
 - (i) the Contractor has the power and capacity to enter into this Agreement and to observe, perform and comply with the terms of this Agreement and all necessary corporate or other proceedings have been taken and done to authorize the execution and delivery of this Agreement by, or on behalf of, the Contractor, and
 - (ii) this Agreement has been legally and properly executed by, or on behalf of, the Contractor and is legally binding upon and enforceable against the Contractor in accordance with its terms except as enforcement may be limited by bankruptcy, insolvency or other laws affecting the rights of creditors generally and except that equitable remedies may be granted only in the discretion of a court of competent jurisdiction.

5 PRIVACY, SECURITY AND CONFIDENTIALITY

Privacy

5.1 The Contractor must comply with the Privacy Protection Schedule attached as Schedule E.

Security

- 5.2 The Contractor must:
 - (a) make reasonable security arrangements to protect the Material from unauthorized access, collection, use, disclosure, alteration or disposal; and
 - (b) comply with the Security Schedule attached as Schedule G.

Confidentiality

- 5.3 The Contractor must treat as confidential all information in the Material and all other information accessed or obtained by the Contractor or a Subcontractor (whether verbally, electronically or otherwise) as a result of this Agreement, and not permit its disclosure or use without the Province's prior written consent except:
 - (a) as required to perform the Contractor's obligations under this Agreement or to comply with applicable laws;
 - (b) if it is information that is generally known to the public other than as result of a breach of this Agreement; or
 - (c) if it is information in any Incorporated Material.

Public announcements

5.4 Any public announcement relating to this Agreement will be arranged by the Province and, if such consultation is reasonably practicable, after consultation with the Contractor.

Restrictions on promotion

5.5 The Contractor must not, without the prior written approval of the Province, refer for promotional purposes to the Province being a customer of the Contractor or the Province having entered into this Agreement.

6 MATERIAL AND INTELLECTUAL PROPERTY

Access to Material

6.1 If the Contractor receives a request for access to any of the Material from a person other than the Province, and this Agreement does not require or authorize the Contractor to provide that access, the Contractor must promptly advise the person to make the request to the Province.

Ownership and delivery of Material

6.2 The Province exclusively owns all property rights in the Material which are not intellectual property rights. The Contractor must deliver any Material to the Province immediately upon the Province's request.

Matters respecting intellectual property

- 6.3 The Province exclusively owns all intellectual property rights, including copyright, in:
 - (a) Received Material that the Contractor receives from the Province; and
 - (b) Produced Material, other than any Incorporated Material.

Upon the Province's request, the Contractor must deliver to the Province documents satisfactory to the Province that irrevocably waive in the Province's favour any moral rights which the Contractor (or employees of the Contractor) or a Subcontractor (or employees of a Subcontractor) may have in the Produced Material and that confirm the vesting in the Province of the copyright in the Produced Material, other than any Incorporated Material.

Rights in relation to Incorporated Material

- 6.4 Upon any Incorporated Material being embedded or incorporated in the Produced Material and to the extent that it remains so embedded or incorporated, the Contractor grants to the Province:
 - (a) a non-exclusive, perpetual, irrevocable, royalty-free, worldwide license to use, reproduce, modify and distribute that Incorporated Material; and
 - (b) the right to sublicense to third-parties the right to use, reproduce, modify and distribute that Incorporated Material.

7 RECORDS AND REPORTS

Work reporting

7.1 Upon the Province's request, the Contractor must fully inform the Province of all work done by the Contractor or a Subcontractor in connection with providing the Services.

Time and expense records

7.2 If Schedule B provides for the Contractor to be paid fees at a daily or hourly rate or for the Contractor to be paid or reimbursed for expenses, the Contractor must maintain time records and books of account, invoices, receipts and vouchers of expenses in support of those payments, in form and content satisfactory to the Province. Unless otherwise specified in this Agreement, the Contractor must retain such documents for a period of not less than seven years after this Agreement ends.

8 AUDIT

8.1 In addition to any other rights of inspection the Province may have under statute or otherwise, the Province may at any reasonable time and on reasonable notice to the Contractor, enter on the Contractor's premises to inspect and, at the Province's discretion, copy any of the Material and the Contractor must permit, and provide reasonable assistance to, the exercise by the Province of the Province's rights under this section.

9 INDEMNITY AND INSURANCE

Indemnity

9.1 The Contractor must indemnify and save harmless the Province and the Province's employees and agents from any losses, claims, damages, actions, causes of action, costs and expenses that the Province or any of the Province's employees or agents may sustain, incur, suffer or be put to at any time, either before or after this Agreement ends, including any claim of infringement of third-party intellectual property rights, where the same or any of them are based upon, arise out of or occur, directly or indirectly, by reason of any act or omission by the Contractor or by any of the Contractor's agents, employees, officers, directors or Subcontractors in connection with this Agreement, excepting always liability arising out of the independent acts or omissions of the Province and the Province's employees and agents.

Insurance

9.2 The Contractor must comply with the Insurance Schedule attached as Schedule D.

Workers compensation

9.3 Without limiting the generality of section 2.9, the Contractor must comply with, and must ensure that any Subcontractors comply with, all applicable occupational health and safety laws in relation to the performance of the Contractor's obligations under this Agreement, including the *Workers Compensation Act* in British Columbia or similar laws in other jurisdictions.

Personal optional protection

- 9.4 The Contractor must apply for and maintain personal optional protection insurance (consisting of income replacement and medical care coverage) during the Term at the Contractor's expense if:
 - (a) the Contractor is an individual or a partnership of individuals and does not have the benefit of mandatory workers compensation coverage under the *Workers Compensation Act* or similar laws in other jurisdictions; and
 - (b) such personal optional protection insurance is available for the Contractor from WorkSafeBC or other sources.

Evidence of coverage

9.5 Within 10 Business Days of being requested to do so by the Province, the Contractor must provide the Province with evidence of the Contractor's compliance with sections 9.3 and 9.4.

10 FORCE MAJEURE

Definitions relating to force majeure

- 10.1 In this section and sections 10.2 and 10.3:
 - (a) "Event of Force Majeure" means one of the following events:
 - (i) a natural disaster, fire, flood, storm, epidemic or power failure,
 - (ii) a war (declared and undeclared), insurrection or act of terrorism or piracy,
 - (iii) a strike (including illegal work stoppage or slowdown) or lockout, or
 - (iv) a freight embargo
 - if the event prevents a party from performing the party's obligations in accordance with this Agreement and is beyond the reasonable control of that party; and
 - (b) "Affected Party" means a party prevented from performing the party's obligations in accordance with this Agreement by an Event of Force Majeure.

Consequence of Event of Force Majeure

An Affected Party is not liable to the other party for any failure or delay in the performance of the Affected Party's obligations under this Agreement resulting from an Event of Force Majeure and any time periods for the performance of such obligations are automatically extended for the duration of the Event of Force Majeure provided that the Affected Party complies with the requirements of section 10.3.

Duties of Affected Party

10.3 An Affected Party must promptly notify the other party in writing upon the occurrence of the Event of Force Majeure and make all reasonable efforts to prevent, control or limit the effect of the Event of Force Majeure so as to resume compliance with the Affected Party's obligations under this Agreement as soon as possible.

11 DEFAULT AND TERMINATION

Definitions relating to default and termination

- 11.1 In this section and sections 11.2 to 11.4:
 - (a) "Event of Default" means any of the following:
 - (i) an Insolvency Event,
 - (ii) the Contractor fails to perform any of the Contractor's obligations under this Agreement, or
 - (iii) any representation or warranty made by the Contractor in this Agreement is untrue or incorrect; and
 - (b) "Insolvency Event" means any of the following:
 - (i) an order is made, a resolution is passed or a petition is filed, for the Contractor's liquidation or winding up,
 - (ii) the Contractor commits an act of bankruptcy, makes an assignment for the benefit of the Contractor's creditors or otherwise acknowledges the Contractor's insolvency,
 - (iii) a bankruptcy petition is filed or presented against the Contractor or a proposal under the *Bankruptcy and Insolvency Act* (Canada) is made by the Contractor,
 - (iv) a compromise or arrangement is proposed in respect of the Contractor under the *Companies' Creditors Arrangement Act* (Canada),
 - (v) a receiver or receiver-manager is appointed for any of the Contractor's property, or

(vi) the Contractor ceases, in the Province's reasonable opinion, to carry on business as a going concern.

Province's options on default

- On the happening of an Event of Default, or at any time thereafter, the Province may, at its option, elect to do any one or more of the following:
 - (a) by written notice to the Contractor, require that the Event of Default be remedied within a time period specified in the notice;
 - (b) pursue any remedy or take any other action available to it at law or in equity; or
 - (c) by written notice to the Contractor, terminate this Agreement with immediate effect or on a future date specified in the notice, subject to the expiration of any time period specified under section 11.2(a).

Delay not a waiver

11.3 No failure or delay on the part of the Province to exercise its rights in relation to an Event of Default will constitute a waiver by the Province of such rights.

Province's right to terminate other than for default

11.4 In addition to the Province's right to terminate this Agreement under section 11.2(c) on the happening of an Event of Default, the Province may terminate this Agreement for any reason by giving at least 10 days' written notice of termination to the Contractor.

Payment consequences of termination

- 11.5 Unless Schedule B otherwise provides, if the Province terminates this Agreement under section 11.4:
 - the Province must, within 30 days of such termination, pay to the Contractor any unpaid portion of the fees and expenses described in Schedule B which corresponds with the portion of the Services that was completed to the Province's satisfaction before termination of this Agreement; and
 - (b) the Contractor must, within 30 days of such termination, repay to the Province any paid portion of the fees and expenses described in Schedule B which corresponds with the portion of the Services that the Province has notified the Contractor in writing was not completed to the Province's satisfaction before termination of this Agreement.

Discharge of liability

11.6 The payment by the Province of the amount described in section 11.5(a) discharges the Province from all liability to make payments to the Contractor under this Agreement.

Notice in relation to Events of Default

11.7 If the Contractor becomes aware that an Event of Default has occurred or anticipates that an Event of Default is likely to occur, the Contractor must promptly notify the Province of the particulars of the Event of Default or anticipated Event of Default. A notice under this section as to the occurrence of an Event of Default must also specify the steps the Contractor proposes to take to address, or prevent recurrence of, the Event of Default. A notice under this section as to an anticipated Event of Default must specify the steps the Contractor proposes to take to prevent the occurrence of the anticipated Event of Default.

12 DISPUTE RESOLUTION

Dispute resolution process

- 12.1 In the event of any dispute between the parties arising out of or in connection with this Agreement, the following dispute resolution process will apply unless the parties otherwise agree in writing:
 - (a) the parties must initially attempt to resolve the dispute through collaborative negotiation;
 - (b) if the dispute is not resolved through collaborative negotiation within 15 Business Days of the dispute arising, the parties must then attempt to resolve the dispute through mediation under the rules of the British Columbia Mediator Roster Society; and
 - (c) if the dispute is not resolved through mediation within 30 Business Days of the commencement of mediation, the dispute must be referred to and finally resolved by arbitration under the *Arbitration Act*.

Location of arbitration or mediation

12.2 Unless the parties otherwise agree in writing, an arbitration or mediation under section 12.1 will be held in Victoria, British Columbia.

Costs of mediation or arbitration

12.3 Unless the parties otherwise agree in writing or, in the case of an arbitration, the arbitrator otherwise orders, the parties must share equally the costs of a mediation or arbitration under section 12.1 other than those costs relating to the production of expert evidence or representation by counsel.

13 MISCELLANEOUS

Delivery of notices

- 13.1 Any notice contemplated by this Agreement, to be effective, must be in writing and delivered as follows:
 - (a) by fax to the addressee's fax number specified on the first page of this Agreement, in which case it will be deemed to be received on the day of transmittal unless transmitted after the normal business hours of the addressee or on a day that is not a Business Day, in which cases it will be deemed to be received on the next following Business Day;
 - (b) by hand to the addressee's address specified on the first page of this Agreement, in which case it will be deemed to be received on the day of its delivery; or
 - (c) by prepaid post to the addressee's address specified on the first page of this Agreement, in which case if mailed during any period when normal postal services prevail, it will be deemed to be received on the fifth Business Day after its mailing.

Change of address or fax number

13.2 Either party may from time to time give notice to the other party of a substitute address or fax number, which from the date such notice is given will supersede for purposes of section 13.1 any previous address or fax number specified for the party giving the notice.

Assignment

13.3 The Contractor must not assign any of the Contractor's rights under this Agreement without the Province's prior written consent.

Subcontracting

- 13.4 The Contractor must not subcontract any of the Contractor's obligations under this Agreement to any person without the Province's prior written consent, excepting persons listed in the attached Schedule C. No subcontract, whether consented to or not, relieves the Contractor from any obligations under this Agreement. The Contractor must ensure that:
 - (a) any person retained by the Contractor to perform obligations under this Agreement; and
 - (b) any person retained by a person described in paragraph (a) to perform those obligations fully complies with this Agreement in performing the subcontracted obligations.

Waiver

13.5 A waiver of any term or breach of this Agreement is effective only if it is in writing and signed by, or on behalf of, the waiving party and is not a waiver of any other term or breach.

Modifications

13.6 No modification of this Agreement is effective unless it is in writing and signed by, or on behalf of, the parties.

Entire agreement

13.7 This Agreement (including any modification of it) constitutes the entire agreement between the parties as to performance of the Services.

Survival of certain provisions

13.8 Sections 2.9, 3.1 to 3.4, 3.7, 3.8, 5.1 to 5.5, 6.1 to 6.4, 7.1, 7.2, 8.1, 9.1, 9.2, 9.5, 10.1 to 10.3, 11.2, 11.3, 11.5, 11.6, 12.1 to 12.3, 13.1, 13.2, 13.8, and 13.10, any accrued but unpaid payment obligations, and any other sections of this Agreement (including schedules) which, by their terms or nature, are intended to survive the completion of the Services or termination of this Agreement, will continue in force indefinitely, even after this Agreement ends.

Schedules

13.9 The schedules to this Agreement (including any appendices or other documents attached to, or incorporated by reference into, those schedules) are part of this Agreement.

Independent contractor

- 13.10 In relation to the performance of the Contractor's obligations under this Agreement, the Contractor is an independent contractor and not:
 - (a) an employee or partner of the Province; or
 - (b) an agent of the Province except as may be expressly provided for in this Agreement.

The Contractor must not act or purport to act contrary to this section.

Personnel not to be employees of Province

13.11 The Contractor must not do anything that would result in personnel hired or used by the Contractor or a Subcontractor in relation to providing the Services being considered employees of the Province.

Key Personnel

13.12 If one or more individuals are specified as "Key Personnel" of the Contractor in Part 4 of Schedule A, the Contractor must cause those individuals to perform the Services on the Contractor's behalf, unless the Province otherwise approves in writing, which approval must not be unreasonably withheld.

Pertinent information

13.13 The Province must make available to the Contractor all information in the Province's possession which the Province considers pertinent to the performance of the Services.

Conflict of interest

13.14 The Contractor must not provide any services to any person in circumstances which, in the Province's reasonable opinion, could give rise to a conflict of interest between the Contractor's duties to that person and the Contractor's duties to the Province under this Agreement.

Time

13.15 Time is of the essence in this Agreement and, without limitation, will remain of the essence after any modification or extension of this Agreement, whether or not expressly restated in the document effecting the modification or extension.

Conflicts among provisions

- 13.16 Conflicts among provisions of this Agreement will be resolved as follows:
 - (a) a provision in the body of this Agreement will prevail over any conflicting provision in, attached to or incorporated by reference into a schedule, unless that conflicting provision expressly states otherwise; and
 - (b) a provision in a schedule will prevail over any conflicting provision in a document attached to or incorporated by reference into a schedule, unless the schedule expressly states otherwise.

Agreement not permit nor fetter

13.17 This Agreement does not operate as a permit, license, approval or other statutory authority which the Contractor may be required to obtain from the Province or any of its agencies in order to provide the Services. Nothing in this Agreement is to be construed as interfering with, or fettering in any manner, the exercise by the Province or its agencies of any statutory, prerogative, executive or legislative power or duty.

Remainder not affected by invalidity

13.18 If any provision of this Agreement or the application of it to any person or circumstance is invalid or unenforceable to any extent, the remainder of this Agreement and the application of such provision to any other person or circumstance will not be affected or impaired and will be valid and enforceable to the extent permitted by law.

Further assurances

13.19 Each party must perform the acts, execute and deliver the writings, and give the assurances as may be reasonably necessary to give full effect to this Agreement.

Additional terms

13.20 Any additional terms set out in the attached Schedule F apply to this Agreement.

Governing law

13.21 This Agreement is governed by, and is to be interpreted and construed in accordance with, the laws applicable in British Columbia.

14 INTERPRETATION

- 14.1 In this Agreement:
 - (a) "includes" and "including" are not intended to be limiting;
 - (b) unless the context otherwise requires, references to sections by number are to sections of this Agreement;
 - (c) the Contractor and the Province are referred to as "the parties" and each of them as a "party";
 - (d) "attached" means attached to this Agreement when used in relation to a schedule;
 - (e) unless otherwise specified, a reference to a statute by name means the statute of British Columbia by that name, as amended or replaced from time to time;
 - (f) the headings have been inserted for convenience of reference only and are not intended to describe, enlarge or restrict the scope or meaning of this Agreement or any provision of it;
 - (g) "person" includes an individual, partnership, corporation or legal entity of any nature; and
 - (h) unless the context otherwise requires, words expressed in the singular include the plural and *vice versa*.

15 EXECUTION AND DELIVERY OF AGREEMENT

15.1 This Agreement may be entered into by a separate copy of this Agreement being executed by, or on behalf of, each party and that executed copy being delivered to the other party by a method provided for in section 13.1 or any other method agreed to by the parties.

The parties have executed this Agreement as follows:

SIGNED on the 13 day of 0.20/3 by the Contractor (or, if not an individual,	SIGNED on the // day of, 20/3 on behalf of the Province
on its behalf by its authorized	by its duly authorized representative:
signatory or signatories):	10
Belle	Heller.
Signature(s)	Signature
DR MICHARL CUBEY	M, The 15 mA
Print Name(s)	Print Name
	WINDURY.
Print Title(s)	Print Title

Schedule A - Services

PART 1. TERM:

1. The term of this Agreement commences on December 9, 2013, and ends on December 8, 2016.

PART 2. SERVICES:

Outputs

- 1. In this Schedule:
 - (a) "Audit Report" means a written report which details the findings of the on-site audit and inspection of a practitioner.
 - (b) "Audit Section" means the Audit Section of the Billing Integrity Program at the Audit and Investigations Branch and reference to it includes reference to the Director of the Program;
 - (c) "Working Papers" means documents that the Contractor must fill out indicating whether the clinical records pertaining to various claims meet specific criteria of benefits.
- 2. During the term of this Agreement, the Contractor must provide the following services at the stages listed below:

A. On-Site Inspections

- (i) Prior to an audit and inspection under Section 36 of the Medicare Protection Act, the Contractor will be provided, by staff of the Audit Section, with Working Papers and a list of claims pertaining to services rendered to patients.
- (ii) During the audit and inspection, the Contractor must request and examine the practitioner's records relating to the claims set out in the list referred to in (i) above. An Audit Section staff member will copy the relevant records.
- (iii) The Contractor must remove copied records referred to in (ii) above from the location where they were copied to a secure site for the purpose of reviewing them and completing the Working Papers to be used in the inspection portion of an Audit Report.
- (iv) The Audit Section may request that the Contractor complete work outside of the on-site audit, and the Contractor agrees to complete any such work within 30 days of receiving the request, unless the Contractor and the Billing Integrity Program agree otherwise in writing.

B. Audit Reports

- (i) The Contractor must review the copied records referred to in clause (ii) of Section A, and will complete his or her portion of the Working Papers and will supply the Audit Section with the original Working Papers.
- (ii) The Audit Section staff will prepare a draft Audit Report, and a copy will be provided to the Contractor for review. The Contractor must provide comments to the Audit Section as to the accuracy and completeness of the draft with respect to the inspection portion of the report.
- (iii) Audit Section staff will provide the Contractor with two original Audit Reports. If the Contractor is satisfied that an Audit Report accurately and completely reflects the inspection findings, the Contractor must sign and date the two original Audit Reports and return both of them, along with all copied records and Working Papers, to the Audit Section.

C. Hearings

- (i) If required by the Medical Services Commission, the Contractor must appear at hearings under section 37 or section 15 of the Medicare Protection Act as a witness to give evidence regarding the audit and inspections referred to in Section A above, including providing evidence about practitioners' claims for payment and patterns of practice or billing.
- (ii) Prior to a hearing referred to in (i) above, the Contractor must meet, as necessary, with counsel for the Medical Services Commission to be briefed on the hearing process and his or her role in it.

Inputs

The Audit Section will send the Contractor an information package prior to the commencement of the Audit. The package will include:

- a) the original Audit and Inspection Committee referral;
- b) the Audit Plan; and,
- c) a five year practitioner profile.

Upon completion of the on-site Audit, the Audit Section will send the final Audit Report to the Contractor for review and sign-off.

Outcomes

Through the delivery of the Services the Province wishes to realize the following outcomes and, without limiting the obligation of the Contractor to comply with other provisions of this Part, the Contractor must use commercially reasonable efforts to achieve them:

The ministry will:

- have a better understanding as to the medical practitioner adherence to billing guidelines
- help to prevent overbillings by medical practitioners through an established audit presence and recovery process

The parties acknowledge that the Contractor does not warrant that these outcomes will be achieved.

Reporting requirements

If the Contractor is satisfied that the Audit Report accurately and completely reflects the inspection findings, the Contractor must sign and date the two original Audit Reports and return both of them, along with all copied records and Working Papers, to the Audit Section.

PART 3. RELATED DOCUMENTATION:

Not applicable.

PART 4. KEY PERSONNEL:

1. Dr. Michael J. Golbey

Schedule B – Fees and Expenses

1. MAXIMUM AMOUNT PAYABLE:

<u>Maximum Amount</u>: Despite sections 2 and 3 of this Schedule, \$50,000.00 is the maximum amount which the Province is obliged to pay to the Contractor for fees and expenses under this Agreement (exclusive of any applicable taxes described in section 3.1(c) of this Agreement).

Time spent eligible for remuneration consists of the following:

- a) any work done in preparation for the audit, attendance at the location of the audit to complete working papers and audit reports, any preparation for a hearing, attendance at the location of the hearing and any other related work done, as requested by the Province, Commission or the Audit Hearing Panel;
- b) travel time from the Contractor's office/residence to the location of the audit or hearing will be paid at the rate specified below, by most expedient mode of transportation; (if the Contractor chooses to travel via a slower mode of transportation that incurs greater travel time costs, for example driving vs. flying, his or her claim for travel time may be reduced);

 If unsure, please contact Administration at (250) 952-2732 or email <a href="https://example.com/https://example.
- c) in the event that an audit inspection takes less than the schedule time allotted to complete the audit, the Contractor can be compensated for the time scheduled for the audit inspection. For this purpose, one day is equal to 7 hours;
- d) in the event that an audit inspection, witness preparation or hearing is cancelled and less than 21 days notice given to the Contractor, the Contractor will be compensated for the time scheduled for the audit hearing in which regular work activities could not be rescheduled. The Contractor will submit a detailed calculation of the fees claimed, including hours and dates. For this purpose, one day is equal to 7 hours; and
- e) in the event that an audit inspection, witness preparation or hearing is cancelled and the flight cannot be refunded, the Province will reimburse the Contractor the entire amount of the flight. If the flight can be re-booked for other business required by the Contractor, the Province will pay for any additional fees to re-book the flight.

2. FEES:

The British Columbia Medical Association (BCMA) sets the sessional rates for this contract. If the sessional rates change, the Province will be notified in writing by the BCMA.

Hourly Rate

<u>Fees</u>: at a rate o s.21 per hour for those hours during the Term when the Contractor provides the Services.

3. EXPENSES:

Expenses:

- a. Travel, accommodation and meal expenses for travel greater than 32 kilometers away from s.22 on the same basis as the Province pays its Group II employees when they are on travel status;
- b. the Contractor's actual long distance telephone, fax, postage and other identifiable communication expenses; and
- c. refer to Appendix 1 for allowable expenses;

excluding goods and services tax ("GST") or other applicable tax paid or payable by the Contractor on expenses described in (a) to (c) above to the extent that the Contractor is entitled to claim credits (including GST input tax credits), rebates, refunds or remissions of the tax from the relevant taxation authorities.

4. STATEMENTS OF ACCOUNT:

<u>Statements of Account</u>: In order to obtain payment of any fees and expenses under this Agreement for a period from and including the first day of a month to and including the last day of that month (each a "Billing Period"), the Contractor must deliver to the Province on a date after the Billing Period (each a "Billing Date"), a written statement of account in a form satisfactory to the Province containing:

- (a) the Contractor's legal name and address;
- (b) the date of the statement, and the Billing Period to which the statement pertains;
- (c) the Contractor's calculation of all fees claimed for that Billing Period, including a declaration by the Contractor of all hours worked; for which the Contractor claims fees and a description of the applicable fee rates;
- (d) a chronological listing, in reasonable detail, of any expenses claimed by the Contractor for the Billing Period with receipts attached, if applicable, and, if the Contractor is claiming reimbursement of any GST or other applicable taxes paid or payable by the Contractor in relation to those expenses, a description of any credits, rebates, refunds or remissions the Contractor is entitled to from the relevant taxation authorities in relation to those taxes;
- (e) the Contractor's calculation of any applicable taxes payable by the Province in relation to the Services for the Billing Period;
- (f) a description of this Agreement;
- (g) a statement number for identification; and
- (h) any other billing information reasonably requested by the Province.

5. PAYMENTS DUE:

<u>Payments Due</u>: Within 30 days of the Province's receipt of the Contractor's written statement of account delivered in accordance with this Schedule, the Province must pay the Contractor the fees and expenses (plus all applicable taxes) claimed in the statement if they are in accordance with this Schedule. Statements of account or contract invoices offering an early payment discount may be paid by the Province as required to obtain the discount.

Schedule C – Approved Subcontractor(s)

The Contractor must not subcontract any obligation under this Agreement without the prior written consent from the Province.

Schedule D – Insurance

Not applicable.

Schedule E - Privacy Protection Schedule

Definitions

- In this Schedule,
 - (a) "access" means disclosure by the provision of access;
 - (b) "Act" means the Freedom of Information and Protection of Privacy Act (British Columbia);
 - (c) "contact information" means information to enable an individual at a place of business to be contacted and includes the name, position name or title, business telephone number, business address, business email or business fax number of the individual;
 - (d) "personal information" means recorded information about an identifiable individual, other than contact information, collected or created by the Contractor as a result of the Agreement or any previous agreement between the Province and the Contractor dealing with the same subject matter as the Agreement but excluding any such information that, if this Schedule did not apply to it, would not be under the "control of a public body" within the meaning of the Act.

Purpose

- 2. The purpose of this Schedule is to:
 - (a) enable the Province to comply with the Province's statutory obligations under the Act with respect to personal information; and
 - (b) ensure that, as a service provider, the Contractor is aware of and complies with the Contractor's statutory obligations under the Act with respect to personal information.

Collection of personal information

- 3. Unless the Agreement otherwise specifies or the Province otherwise directs in writing, the Contractor may only collect or create personal information that is necessary for the performance of the Contractor's obligations, or the exercise of the Contractor's rights, under the Agreement.
- 4. Unless the Agreement otherwise specifies or the Province otherwise directs in writing, the Contractor must collect personal information directly from the individual the information is about.
- 5. Unless the Agreement otherwise specifies or the Province otherwise directs in writing, the Contractor must tell an individual from whom the Contractor collects personal information:
 - (a) the purpose for collecting it;
 - (b) the legal authority for collecting it; and
 - (c) the title, business address and business telephone number of the person designated by the Province to answer questions about the Contractor's collection of personal information.

Accuracy of personal information

6. The Contractor must make every reasonable effort to ensure the accuracy and completeness of any personal information to be used by the Contractor or the Province to make a decision that directly affects the individual the information is about.

Requests for access to personal information

7. If the Contractor receives a request for access to personal information from a person other than the Province, the Contractor must promptly advise the person to make the request to the Province unless the Agreement

expressly requires the Contractor to provide such access and, if the Province has advised the Contractor of the name or title and contact information of an official of the Province to whom such requests are to be made, the Contractor must also promptly provide that official's name or title and contact information to the person making the request.

Correction of personal information

- 8. Within 5 Business Days of receiving a written direction from the Province to correct or annotate any personal information, the Contractor must correct or annotate the information in accordance with the direction.
- 9. When issuing a written direction under section 8, the Province must advise the Contractor of the date the correction request to which the direction relates was received by the Province in order that the Contractor may comply with section 10.
- 10. Within 5 Business Days of correcting or annotating any personal information under section 8, the Contractor must provide the corrected or annotated information to any party to whom, within one year prior to the date the correction request was made to the Province, the Contractor disclosed the information being corrected or annotated.
- 11. If the Contractor receives a request for correction of personal information from a person other than the Province, the Contractor must promptly advise the person to make the request to the Province and, if the Province has advised the Contractor of the name or title and contact information of an official of the Province to whom such requests are to be made, the Contractor must also promptly provide that official's name or title and contact information to the person making the request.

Protection of personal information

12. The Contractor must protect personal information by making reasonable security arrangements against such risks as unauthorized access, collection, use, disclosure or disposal, including any expressly set out in the Agreement.

Storage and access to personal information

13. Unless the Province otherwise directs in writing, the Contractor must not store personal information outside Canada or permit access to personal information from outside Canada.

Retention of personal information

14. Unless the Agreement otherwise specifies, the Contractor must retain personal information until directed by the Province in writing to dispose of it or deliver it as specified in the direction.

Use of personal information

15. Unless the Province otherwise directs in writing, the Contractor may only use personal information if that use is for the performance of the Contractor's obligations, or the exercise of the Contractor's rights, under the Agreement.

Disclosure of personal information

- 16. Unless the Province otherwise directs in writing, the Contractor may only disclose personal information inside Canada to any person other than the Province if the disclosure is for the performance of the Contractor's obligations, or the exercise of the Contractor's rights, under the Agreement.
- 17. Unless the Agreement otherwise specifies or the Province otherwise directs in writing, the Contractor must not disclose personal information outside Canada.

Notice of foreign demands for disclosure

- 18. In addition to any obligation the Contractor may have to provide the notification contemplated by section 30.2 of the Act, if in relation to personal information in the custody or under the control of the Contractor, the Contractor:
 - (a) receives a foreign demand for disclosure;
 - (b) receives a request to disclose, produce or provide access that the Contractor knows or has reason to suspect is for the purpose of responding to a foreign demand for disclosure; or
 - (c) has reason to suspect that an unauthorized disclosure of personal information has occurred in response to a foreign demand for disclosure

the Contractor must immediately notify the Province and, in so doing, provide the information described in section 30.2(3) of the Act. In this section, the phrases "foreign demand for disclosure" and "unauthorized disclosure of personal information" will bear the same meanings as in section 30.2 of the Act.

Notice of unauthorized disclosure

19. In addition to any obligation the Contractor may have to provide the notification contemplated by section 30.5 of the Act, if the Contractor knows that there has been an unauthorized disclosure of personal information in the custody or under the control of the Contractor, the Contractor must immediately notify the Province. In this section, the phrase "unauthorized disclosure of personal information" will bear the same meaning as in section 30.5 of the Act.

Inspection of personal information

20. In addition to any other rights of inspection the Province may have under the Agreement or under statute, the Province may, at any reasonable time and on reasonable notice to the Contractor, enter on the Contractor's premises to inspect any personal information in the possession of the Contractor or any of the Contractor's information management policies or practices relevant to the Contractor's management of personal information or the Contractor's compliance with this Schedule, and the Contractor must permit and provide reasonable assistance to any such inspection.

Compliance with the Act and directions

- 21. The Contractor must in relation to personal information comply with:
 - (a) the requirements of the Act applicable to the Contractor as a service provider, including any applicable order of the commissioner under the Act; and
 - (b) any direction given by the Province under this Schedule.
- 22. The Contractor acknowledges that it is familiar with the requirements of the Act governing personal information that are applicable to it as a service provider.

Notice of non-compliance

23. If for any reason the Contractor does not comply, or anticipates that it will be unable to comply, with a provision in this Schedule in any respect, the Contractor must promptly notify the Province of the particulars of the non-compliance or anticipated non-compliance and what steps it proposes to take to address, or prevent recurrence of, the non-compliance or anticipated non-compliance.

Termination of Agreement

24. In addition to any other rights of termination which the Province may have under the Agreement or otherwise at law, the Province may, subject to any provisions in the Agreement establishing mandatory cure periods for defaults by the Contractor, terminate the Agreement by giving written notice of such termination to the Contractor, upon any failure of the Contractor to comply with this Schedule in a material respect.

Interpretation

- 25. In this Schedule, references to sections by number are to sections of this Schedule unless otherwise specified in this Schedule.
- 26. Any reference to the "Contractor" in this Schedule includes any subcontractor or agent retained by the Contractor to perform obligations under the Agreement and the Contractor must ensure that any such subcontractors and agents comply with this Schedule.
- 27. The obligations of the Contractor in this Schedule will survive the termination of the Agreement.
- 28. If a provision of the Agreement (including any direction given by the Province under this Schedule) conflicts with a requirement of the Act or an applicable order of the commissioner under the Act, the conflicting provision of the Agreement (or direction) will be inoperative to the extent of the conflict.
- 29. The Contractor must comply with the provisions of this Schedule despite any conflicting provision of this Agreement or, subject to section 30, the law of any jurisdiction outside Canada.
- 30. Nothing in this Schedule requires the Contractor to contravene the law of any jurisdiction outside Canada unless such contravention is required to comply with the Act.

Schedule F - Additional Terms

- 1. Contractor Identification During the term of this agreement and at the request of the Province, contractors shall identify themselves as contractors to the ministry. This may be in the form of email signature blocks, business cards, correspondence, and verbal business dealings.
- 2. In addition to section 13.1, the General Services Agreement may be entered into by each party signing and delivering it to the other party by email with attachment in PDF format.
- 3. The Contractor represents that the Contractor is a Practitioner and has been appointed to act as an inspector under section 36 of the *Medicare Protection Act*.
- 4. The Contractor is a Practitioner, and will maintain this status for the Term of this Agreement. The Contractor will notify the Province immediately if a change to the Contractor's status as a Practitioner occurs or is likely to occur.
- 5. The Province will indemnify and save harmless the Contractor from any losses, claims, damages, actions, causes of action, costs and expenses that the Contractor may sustain, incur, suffer or be put to at any time, either before or after this Agreement ends, which are based upon, arise out of or occur, directly or indirectly, by reason of any professional act or omission by the Contractor in providing the Services, except liability arising from the wilful misconduct, bad faith or independent negligent act of the Contractor, to the extent that the Contractor is not provided coverage by the Canadian Medical Protective Association or any other insurance or indemnification.
- 6. The Province will indemnify and save harmless the Contractor from any losses, claims, damages, actions, causes of action, costs and expenses that the Contractor may sustain, incur, suffer or be put to at any time, either before or after this Agreement ends, which are based upon, arise out of or occur, directly or indirectly, by reason of any act or omission of the Province or any of its agents or employees in carrying out the Province's obligations under this Agreement, except liability arising from the wilful misconduct, bad faith or independent negligent act of the Contractor.

Schedule G - Security Schedule

Definitions

- 1. In this Schedule,
 - (a) "Equipment" means any equipment, including interconnected systems or subsystems of equipment, software and networks, used or to be used by the Contractor to provide the Services;
 - (b) "Facilities" means any facilities at which the Contractor provides or is to provide the Services;
 - (c) "Information" means information
 - (i) in the Material, or
 - (ii) accessed, produced or obtained by the Contractor (whether verbally, electronically or otherwise) as a result of the Agreement;
 - (d) "Record" means a "record" as defined in the Interpretation Act;
 - (e) "Sensitive Information" means
 - (i) Information that is "personal information" as defined in the Freedom of Information and Protection of Privacy Act, or
 - (ii) any other Information specified as "Sensitive Information" in Appendix G6, if attached; and
 - (f) "Services Worker" means an individual involved in providing the Services for or on behalf of the Contractor and, for greater certainty, may include
 - (i) the Contractor or a subcontractor if an individual, or
 - (ii) an employee or volunteer of the Contractor or of a subcontractor.

Schedule contains additional obligations

2. The obligations of the Contractor in this Schedule are in addition to any other obligations in the Agreement or the schedules attached to it relating to security including, without limitation, the obligations of the Contractor in the Privacy Protection Schedule, if attached.

Services Worker confidentiality agreements

3. The Contractor must not permit a Services Worker who is an employee or volunteer of the Contractor to have access to Sensitive Information unless the Services Worker has first entered into a confidentiality agreement with the Contractor to keep Sensitive Information confidential on substantially similar terms as those that apply to the Contractor under the Agreement.

Services Worker security screening

4. The Contractor may only permit a Services Worker who is an employee or a volunteer of the Contractor to have access to Sensitive Information or otherwise be involved in providing the Services if, after having subjected the Services Worker to the personnel security screening requirements set out in Appendix G1 and any additional requirements the Contractor may consider appropriate, the Contractor is satisfied that the Services Worker does not constitute an unreasonable security risk. The Contractor must create, obtain and retain Records documenting the Contractor's compliance with the security screening requirements set out in Appendix G1 in accordance with the provisions of that appendix.

Services Worker activity logging

- 5. Subject to section 6, the Contractor must create and maintain detailed Records logging the activities of all Service Workers in relation to:
 - (a) their access to Sensitive Information; and
 - (b) other matters specified by the Province in writing for the purposes of this section.
- 6. The Records described in section 5 must be made and maintained in a manner, and contain information, specified in Appendix G2, if attached.

Facilities and Equipment protection and access control

- 7. The Contractor must create, maintain and follow a documented process to:
 - (a) protect Facilities and Equipment of the Contractor required by the Contractor to provide the Services from loss, damage or any other occurrence that may result in any of those Facilities and Equipment being unavailable when required to provide the Services; and
 - (b) limit access to Facilities and Equipment of the Contractor
 - (i) being used by the Contractor to provide the Services, or
 - (ii) that may be used by someone to access Information

to those persons who are authorized to have that access and for the purposes for which they are authorized, which process must include measures to verify the identity of those persons.

8. If the Province makes available to the Contractor any Facilities or Equipment of the Province for the use of the Contractor in providing the Services, the Contractor must comply with any policies and procedures provided to it by the Province on acceptable use, protection of, and access to, such Facilities or Equipment.

Sensitive Information access control

- 9. The Contractor must:
 - (a) create, maintain and follow a documented process for limiting access to Sensitive Information to those persons who are authorized to have that access and for the purposes for which they are authorized, which process must include measures to verify the identity of those persons; and
 - (b) comply with the information access control requirements set out in Appendix G3, if attached.

Integrity of Information

- 10. The Contractor must:
 - (a) create, maintain and follow a documented process for maintaining the integrity of Information while possessed or accessed by the Contractor; and
 - (b) comply with the information integrity requirements set out in Appendix G4, if attached.
- 11. For the purposes of section 10, maintaining the integrity of Information means that, except to the extent expressly authorized by the Agreement or approved in writing by the Province, the Information has:

- (a) remained as complete as when it was acquired or accessed by the Contractor; and
- (b) not been altered in any material respect.

Documentation of changes to processes

12. The Contractor must create and maintain detailed Records logging any changes it makes to the processes described in sections 7, 9 and 10.

Notice of security breaches

- 13. If Contractor becomes aware that:
 - (a) unauthorized access, collection, use, disclosure, alteration or disposal of Information or Records containing Information; or
 - (b) unauthorized access to Facilities or Equipment

has occurred or is likely to occur (whether or not related to a failure by the Contractor to comply with this Schedule or the Agreement), the Contractor must immediately notify the Province of the particulars of that occurrence or likely occurrence. If the Contractor provides a notification under this section other than in writing, that notification must be confirmed in writing to the Province as soon as it is reasonably practicable for the Contractor to do so.

Review of security breaches

14. If the Province decides to conduct a review of a matter described in section 13 (whether or not the matter came to the attention of the Province as a result of a notification under section 13), the Contractor must, on the request of the Province, participate in the review to the extent that it is reasonably practicable for the Contractor to do so.

Retention of Records

15. Unless the Agreement otherwise specifies, the Contractor must retain all Records in the Contractor's possession that contain Information until directed by the Province in writing to dispose of them or deliver them as specified in the direction.

Storage of Records

16. Until disposed of or delivered in accordance with section 15, the Contractor must store any Records in the Contractor's possession that contain Information in accordance with the provisions of Appendix G5, if attached.

Audit

- 17. In addition to any other rights of inspection the Province may have under the Agreement or under statute, the Province may, at any reasonable time and on reasonable notice to the Contractor, enter on the Contractor's premises to inspect and, at the Province's discretion, copy:
 - (a) any Records in the possession of the Contractor containing Information; or
 - (b) any of the Contractor's Information management policies or processes (including the processes described in sections 7, 9 and 10 and the logs described in sections 5 and 12) relevant to the Contractor's compliance with this Schedule

and the Contractor must permit, and provide reasonable assistance to the exercise by the Province of the Province's rights under this section.

Termination of Agreement

18. In addition to any other rights of termination which the Province may have under the Agreement or otherwise at law, the Province may, subject to any provisions in the Agreement establishing mandatory cure periods for defaults by the Contractor, terminate the Agreement by giving written notice of such termination to the Contractor, upon any failure of the Contractor to comply with this Schedule in a material respect.

Interpretation

- 19. In this Schedule, unless otherwise specified:
 - (a) references to sections are to sections of this Schedule; and
 - (b) references to appendices are to the appendices attached to this Schedule.
- 20. Any reference to the "Contractor" in this Schedule includes any subcontractor retained by the Contractor to perform obligations under the Agreement and the Contractor must ensure that any such subcontractors comply with this Schedule.
- 21. The appendices attached to this Schedule are part of this Schedule.
- 22. If there is a conflict between a provision in an appendix attached to this Schedule and any other provision of this Schedule, the provision in the appendix is inoperative to the extent of the conflict unless the appendix states that it operates despite a conflicting provision of this Schedule.
- 23. If there is a conflict between:
 - (a) a provision of the Agreement, this Schedule or an appendix attached to this Schedule; and
 - (b) a documented process required by this Schedule to be created or maintained by the Contractor the provision of the Agreement, Schedule or appendix will prevail to the extent of the conflict.
- 24. The obligations of the Contractor in this Schedule will survive the termination of the Agreement.

SCHEDULE G – Appendix G1 – Security screening requirements

The personnel security screening requirements set out in this Appendix G1 are for the purpose of assisting the Contractor determine whether or not a Services Worker constitutes an unreasonable security risk.

Verification of name, date of birth and address

1. The Contractor must verify the name, date of birth and current address of a Services Worker by viewing at least one piece of "primary identification" of the Services Worker and at least one piece of "secondary identification" of the Services Worker,* as described in the table following this section. The Contractor must obtain or create, as applicable, Records of all such verifications and retain a copy of those Records. For a Services Worker from another province or jurisdiction, reasonably equivalent identification documents are acceptable.

Primary Identification	Secondary Identification
Issued by ICBC: B.C. driver's licence or learner's licence (must have photo) B.C. Identification (BCID) card Issued by provincial or territorial government: Canadian birth certificate Issued by Government of Canada: Canadian Citizenship Card Permanent Resident Card Canadian Record of Landing/Canadian Immigration Identification Record	 School ID card (student card) Bank card (only if holder's name is on card) Credit card (only if holder's name is on card) Passport Foreign birth certificate (a baptismal certificate is not acceptable) Canadian or U.S. driver's licence Naturalization certificate Canadian Forces identification Police identification Foreign Affairs Canada or consular identification Vehicle registration (only if owner's signature is shown) Picture employee ID card Firearms Acquisition Certificate Social Insurance Card (only if has signature strip) B.C. CareCard Native Status Card Parole Certificate ID Correctional Service Conditional Release Card

*It is not necessary that each piece of identification viewed by the Contractor contains the name, date of birth and current address of the Services Worker. It is sufficient that, in combination, the identification viewed contains that information.

Verification of education and professional qualifications

2. The Contractor must verify, by reasonable means, any relevant education and professional qualifications of a Services Worker, obtain or create, as applicable, Records of all such verifications, and retain a copy of those Records.

Verification of employment history and reference checks

3. The Contractor must verify, by reasonable means, any relevant employment history of a Services Worker, which will generally consist of the Contractor requesting that a Services Worker provide employment references and the Contractor contacting those references. If a Services Worker has no relevant employment history, the Contractor must seek to verify the character or other relevant personal characteristics of the Services Worker by requesting the Services Worker to provide one or more personal references and contacting those references. The Contractor must obtain or create, as applicable, Records of all such verifications and retain a copy of those Records.

Security interview

4. The Contractor must allow the Province to conduct a security-focused interview with a Services Worker if the Province identifies a reasonable security concern and notifies the Contractor it wishes to do so.

APPENDIX 1 - Group 2 Rates EXPENSES FOR CONTRACTORS

The following are allowable expenses for contractors. All expenses must be paid by the contractor. Expenses cannot be direct billed to the ministry except in unusual circumstances (in these cases a special clause must be included in the contract). Original receipts must be submitted with the expense claim (when receipts are required) but photocopies of receipts will be accepted if the contractor requires the original for another purpose (e.g., to claim for GST credits).

Travel Expenses

The contractor must be outside their headquarters area (32 kilometres from where they ordinarily perform their duties) to be eligible to claim travel, meal and accommodation expenses.

1.Meal Allowances:

Effective March 29, 2009, the following meal allowances can be claimed which must not exceed \$49.00 per day (receipts are not

required):

required).		
Breakfast only	\$22.00	claim if travel starts
		before 7:00 a.m. or
*		ends after 7:00 a.m.
Lunch only	\$22.00	claim if travel starts
		before 12:00 noon or
		ends after 12:00 noon.
Dinner only	\$28.50	claim if travel starts
•	1	before 6:00 p.m. or
10.2		ends after 6:00 p.m.
Breakfast and lunch only	\$30.00	see above
Breakfast and dinner only	\$36.50	see above
Lunch and dinner only	\$36.50	see above
Full day	\$49.00	

2. Mileage Rates When Using Private Vehicle:

Effective April 1, 2013 the private mileage allowance is \$.52 per kilometre (receipts are not required). This rate can be claimed when using a private vehicle for travel. It is intended to cover costs of gas and maintenance.

3. Taxi and Parking:

Taxi and parking charges will be reimbursed if receipts/copies of receipts are provided. Tips identified separately on taxi receipts cannot be claimed.

4. Car Rentals:

Approved car rental agencies and the maximum rates for each community are listed at www.pss.gov.bc.ca/csa/categories/vehicle rentals/vehicle rentals/daily/html#suppliers. Other agencies are to be used only when these agencies cannot supply vehicles or when renting a vehicle outside BC. Contractors should ask for the government rate. Receipts/copies of receipts are required.

PAI (personal accident insurance) will not be reimbursed. **CDW/LDW** (collision/loss damage waiver) will be reimbursed only when renting from a company not on the approved list for the specific community or when renting outside BC.

5.Accommodation:

a) **Hotel/motel** (Receipt/copy of receipt and proof of payment required).

Approved hotels and the maximum rates that may be claimed for rooms and supplementary items (e.g., parking) are listed in the <u>Accommodation Guide</u>. Rates may vary between summer, winter and shoulder seasons.

Only the single government rate will be reimbursed. The "number in party" identified on the receipt must show only one person.

Process for Selecting Accommodation:

- Select the most cost-effective hotel from the accommodation quide that meets your business requirements.
- Ensure the expectations of the ministry expense authority are clarified (through the contract manager) regarding the price of accommodation before travel takes place.
- Ensure the rates charged by the hotel for the room and supplementary charges are at or below the rates quoted in the accommodation guide.

If the contractor cannot stay at any of the hotels listed in the guide due to an exceptional or emergency situation, preapproval must be obtained from the ministry expense authority and attached to the expense claim. This approval should be obtained through the contract manager.

b) *Private lodging* (receipts are not required): \$30 per night may be claimed when private lodging is arranged (e.g., staying with friends).

6. Airfare:

Economy airfare only will be reimbursed. Receipts/copies of receipts and proof of payment are required.

7. Miscellaneous Travel Expenses:

Laundry, gratuities, porterage and personal phone calls cannot be claimed. Ferry charges and highway tolls can be claimed if supported by an original receipt. Other miscellaneous expenses incurred when travelling (e.g., courier and photocopying charges) can also be claimed if supported by a receipt/copy of receipt.

8. Out-of-Province Travel:

When B.C. contractors are required to travel out-of-province, a Travel Authorization form approved by the ministry director must accompany the expense claim.

Other Expenses

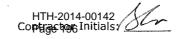
1.Business Expenses (e.g., all costs associated with meetings, including business and guest meals):
Claims for business expenses must be accompanied by an approved Business Expense Approval form (which should be completed by the ministry, not the contractor).

2.GST:

When receipts are submitted for reimbursement, they should be adjusted to deduct the embedded GST. A contractor with a GST registration number can claim input tax credits from Canada Revenue Agency.

3.Miscellaneous Expenses (e.g. business telephone/fax calls, newspapers, etc.):

Miscellaneous expenses will be paid if supported by original receipts and in our opinion are necessarily incurred by you in providing the service. Contact the contract manager before incurring any miscellaneous expenses.





CONFIDENTIALITY AGREEMENT/ UNDERTAKING OF CONFIDENTIALITY

- **Dr. M. J. Golbey Inc.** (the "Contractor") executed a services agreement dated **November 30, 2013**, (the "Agreement") with Her Majesty the Queen in right of the Province of British Columbia, as represented by the Ministry of Health (the "Province") to provide services to the Ministry of Health. As a result of the Agreement, the Contractor may produce or receive from the Province or another person, accounting records, findings, software, data, code, designs, plans, specifications, drawings, working papers, reports, documents and other material (the "Material").
- I, **Dr. Michael Golbey**, am the authorized Signatory and Key Personnel of the Contractor. For good and valuable consideration, the receipt and sufficiency of which I acknowledge, I undertake and agree as follows.
- 1. I will treat as confidential and will not, without the prior written consent of the Province use, publish, disclose or permit to be used, published or disclosed, the Material and other information that comes to my knowledge, or is supplied to or obtained by me as a result of the Agreement (collectively, the "Confidential Information"), except:
 - (a) insofar as the Confidential Information to be used, published, or disclosed is general public knowledge or was in my possession prior to the date of the Agreement;
 - (b) insofar as the Confidential Information to be used, published or disclosed is provided by a third party who waives any requirement that it be held confidential; and
 - (c) as such use, publication or disclosure is required by law.
- 2. I agree that the Province, on written notice to me, may end my access to the Confidential Information if I do not adhere to the provisions contained in this Undertaking of Confidentiality.
- 3. On the end of my access to the Confidential Information, or on written request and direction by the Province, I agree to return to the Province, as applicable, within a reasonable time, all Confidential Information in my possession.

Executed at <u>KELOUND</u> , BC,	this <u>/</u>	$\frac{3}{2}$ day of <u>DECEMBA</u> , 2	201 <u>多</u> .
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THIS AGREEMENT is dated for reference the 30th day of December, 2013.

BETWEEN:

<u>DOUGLAS HENDERSON LAMB</u> (the "Contractor") with the following specified address: 101 – 230 MENZIES STREET VICTORIA BC V8V 2G7

AND:

HER MAJESTY THE QUEEN IN RIGHT OF THE PROVINCE OF BRITISH COLUMBIA, as represented by the Minister of Health (the "Province") with the following specified address and fax number: 5 – 2, 1515 BLANSHARD STREET VICTORIA BC V8W 3C8 250 952-2605

The Province wishes to retain the Contractor to provide the services specified in Schedule A and, in consideration for the remuneration set out in Schedule B, the Contractor has agreed to provide those services, on the terms and conditions set out in this Agreement.

As a result, the Province and the Contractor agree as follows:

1 DEFINITIONS

General

- 1.1 In this Agreement, unless the context otherwise requires:
 - (a) "Business Day" means a day, other than a Saturday or Sunday, on which Provincial government offices are open for normal business in British Columbia;
 - (b) "Incorporated Material" means any material in existence prior to the start of the Term or developed independently of this Agreement, and that is incorporated or embedded in the Produced Material by the Contractor or a Subcontractor;
 - (c) "Material" means the Produced Material and the Received Material;
 - (d) "Produced Material" means records, software and other material, whether complete or not, that, as a result of this Agreement, are produced by the Contractor or a Subcontractor and includes the Incorporated Material;
 - (e) "Received Material" means records, software and other material, whether complete or not, that, as a result of this Agreement, are received by the Contractor or a Subcontractor from the Province or any other person;
 - (f) "Services" means the services described in Part 2 of Schedule A;
 - (g) "Subcontractor" means a person described in paragraph (a) or (b) of section 13.4; and
 - (h) "Term" means the term of the Agreement described in Part 1 of Schedule A subject to that term ending earlier in accordance with this Agreement.

Meaning of "record"

1.2 The definition of "record" in the *Interpretation Act* is incorporated into this Agreement and "records" will bear a corresponding meaning.

2 SERVICES

Provision of services

2.1 The Contractor must provide the Services in accordance with this Agreement.

Term

2.2 Regardless of the date of execution or delivery of this Agreement, the Contractor must provide the Services during the Term.

Supply of various items

2.3 Unless the parties otherwise agree in writing, the Contractor must supply and pay for all labour, materials, equipment, tools, facilities, approvals and licenses necessary or advisable to perform the Contractor's obligations under this Agreement, including the license under section 6.4.

Standard of care

2.4 Unless otherwise specified in this Agreement, the Contractor must perform the Services to a standard of care, skill and diligence maintained by persons providing, on a commercial basis, services similar to the Services.

Standards in relation to persons performing Services

2.5 The Contractor must ensure that all persons employed or retained to perform the Services are qualified and competent to perform them and are properly trained, instructed and supervised.

Instructions by Province

2.6 The Province may from time to time give the Contractor reasonable instructions (in writing or otherwise) as to the performance of the Services. The Contractor must comply with those instructions but, unless otherwise specified in this Agreement, the Contractor may determine the manner in which the instructions are carried out.

Confirmation of non-written instructions

2.7 If the Province provides an instruction under section 2.6 other than in writing, the Contractor may request that the instruction be confirmed by the Province in writing, which request the Province must comply with as soon as it is reasonably practicable to do so.

Effectiveness of non-written instructions

2.8 Requesting written confirmation of an instruction under section 2.7 does not relieve the Contractor from complying with the instruction at the time the instruction was given.

Applicable laws

2.9 In the performance of the Contractor's obligations under this Agreement, the Contractor must comply with all applicable laws.

3 PAYMENT

Fees and expenses

- 3.1 If the Contractor complies with this Agreement, then the Province must pay to the Contractor at the times and on the conditions set out in Schedule B:
 - (a) the fees described in that Schedule;
 - (b) the expenses, if any, described in that Schedule if they are supported, where applicable, by proper receipts and, in the Province's opinion, are necessarily incurred by the Contractor in providing the Services; and

any applicable taxes payable by the Province under law or agreement with the relevant taxation authorities on the fees and expenses described in paragraphs (a) and (b).

The Province is not obliged to pay to the Contractor more than the "Maximum Amount" specified in Schedule B on account of fees and expenses.

Statements of accounts

3.2 In order to obtain payment of any fees and expenses under this Agreement, the Contractor must submit to the Province a written statement of account in a form satisfactory to the Province upon completion of the Services or at other times described in Schedule B.

Withholding of amounts

3.3 Without limiting section 9.1, the Province may withhold from any payment due to the Contractor an amount sufficient to indemnify, in whole or in part, the Province and its employees and agents against any liens or other third-party claims that have arisen or could arise in connection with the provision of the Services. An amount withheld under this section must be promptly paid by the Province to the Contractor upon the basis for withholding the amount having been fully resolved to the satisfaction of the Province.

Appropriation

3.4 The Province's obligation to pay money to the Contractor is subject to the *Financial Administration Act*, which makes that obligation subject to an appropriation being available in the fiscal year of the Province during which payment becomes due.

Currency

3.5 Unless otherwise specified in this Agreement, all references to money are to Canadian dollars.

Non-resident income tax

3.6 If the Contractor is not a resident in Canada, the Contractor acknowledges that the Province may be required by law to withhold income tax from the fees described in Schedule B and then to remit that tax to the Receiver General of Canada on the Contractor's behalf.

Prohibition against committing money

3.7 Without limiting section 13.10(a), the Contractor must not in relation to performing the Contractor's obligations under this Agreement commit or purport to commit the Province to pay any money except as may be expressly provided for in this Agreement.

Refunds of taxes

3.8 The Contractor must:

- (a) apply for, and use reasonable efforts to obtain, any available refund, credit, rebate or remission of federal, provincial or other tax or duty imposed on the Contractor as a result of this Agreement that the Province has paid or reimbursed to the Contractor or agreed to pay or reimburse to the Contractor under this Agreement; and
- (b) immediately on receiving, or being credited with, any amount applied for under paragraph (a), remit that amount to the Province.

4 REPRESENTATIONS AND WARRANTIES

- 4.1 As at the date this Agreement is executed and delivered by, or on behalf of, the parties, the Contractor represents and warrants to the Province as follows:
 - (a) except to the extent the Contractor has previously disclosed otherwise in writing to the Province,
 - (i) all information, statements, documents and reports furnished or submitted by the Contractor to the Province in connection with this Agreement (including as part of any competitive process resulting in this Agreement being entered into) are in all material respects true and correct,
 - (ii) the Contractor has sufficient trained staff, facilities, materials, appropriate equipment and approved subcontractual agreements in place and available to enable the Contractor to fully perform the Services, and
 - (iii) the Contractor holds all permits, licenses, approvals and statutory authorities issued by any government or government agency that are necessary for the performance of the Contractor's obligations under this Agreement; and
 - (b) if the Contractor is not an individual,
 - (i) the Contractor has the power and capacity to enter into this Agreement and to observe, perform and comply with the terms of this Agreement and all necessary corporate or other proceedings have been taken and done to authorize the execution and delivery of this Agreement by, or on behalf of, the Contractor, and
 - (ii) this Agreement has been legally and properly executed by, or on behalf of, the Contractor and is legally binding upon and enforceable against the Contractor in accordance with its terms except as enforcement may be limited by bankruptcy, insolvency or other laws affecting the rights of creditors generally and except that equitable remedies may be granted only in the discretion of a court of competent jurisdiction.

5 PRIVACY, SECURITY AND CONFIDENTIALITY

Privacy

5.1 The Contractor must comply with the Privacy Protection Schedule attached as Schedule E.

Security

- 5.2 The Contractor must:
 - (a) make reasonable security arrangements to protect the Material from unauthorized access, collection, use, disclosure, alteration or disposal; and
 - (b) comply with the Security Schedule attached as Schedule G.

Confidentiality

- 5.3 The Contractor must treat as confidential all information in the Material and all other information accessed or obtained by the Contractor or a Subcontractor (whether verbally, electronically or otherwise) as a result of this Agreement, and not permit its disclosure or use without the Province's prior written consent except:
 - (a) as required to perform the Contractor's obligations under this Agreement or to comply with applicable laws;
 - (b) if it is information that is generally known to the public other than as result of a breach of this Agreement; or
 - (c) if it is information in any Incorporated Material.

Public announcements

Any public announcement relating to this Agreement will be arranged by the Province and, if such consultation is reasonably practicable, after consultation with the Contractor.

Restrictions on promotion

5.5 The Contractor must not, without the prior written approval of the Province, refer for promotional purposes to the Province being a customer of the Contractor or the Province having entered into this Agreement.

6 MATERIAL AND INTELLECTUAL PROPERTY

Access to Material

6.1 If the Contractor receives a request for access to any of the Material from a person other than the Province, and this Agreement does not require or authorize the Contractor to provide that access, the Contractor must promptly advise the person to make the request to the Province.

Ownership and delivery of Material

6.2 The Province exclusively owns all property rights in the Material which are not intellectual property rights. The Contractor must deliver any Material to the Province immediately upon the Province's request.

Matters respecting intellectual property

- 6.3 The Province exclusively owns all intellectual property rights, including copyright, in:
 - (a) Received Material that the Contractor receives from the Province; and
 - (b) Produced Material, other than any Incorporated Material.

Upon the Province's request, the Contractor must deliver to the Province documents satisfactory to the Province that irrevocably waive in the Province's favour any moral rights which the Contractor (or employees of the Contractor) or a Subcontractor (or employees of a Subcontractor) may have in the Produced Material and that confirm the vesting in the Province of the copyright in the Produced Material, other than any Incorporated Material.

Rights in relation to Incorporated Material

- 6.4 Upon any Incorporated Material being embedded or incorporated in the Produced Material and to the extent that it remains so embedded or incorporated, the Contractor grants to the Province:
 - (a) a non-exclusive, perpetual, irrevocable, royalty-free, worldwide license to use, reproduce, modify and distribute that Incorporated Material; and
 - (b) the right to sublicense to third-parties the right to use, reproduce, modify and distribute that Incorporated Material.

7 RECORDS AND REPORTS

Work reporting

7.1 Upon the Province's request, the Contractor must fully inform the Province of all work done by the Contractor or a Subcontractor in connection with providing the Services.

Time and expense records

7.2 If Schedule B provides for the Contractor to be paid fees at a daily or hourly rate or for the Contractor to be paid or reimbursed for expenses, the Contractor must maintain time records and books of account, invoices, receipts and vouchers of expenses in support of those payments, in form and content satisfactory to the Province. Unless otherwise specified in this Agreement, the Contractor must retain such documents for a period of not less than seven years after this Agreement ends.

8 AUDIT

8.1 In addition to any other rights of inspection the Province may have under statute or otherwise, the Province may at any reasonable time and on reasonable notice to the Contractor, enter on the Contractor's premises to inspect and, at the Province's discretion, copy any of the Material and the Contractor must permit, and provide reasonable assistance to, the exercise by the Province of the Province's rights under this section.

9 INDEMNITY AND INSURANCE

Indemnity

9.1 The Contractor must indemnify and save harmless the Province and the Province's employees and agents from any losses, claims, damages, actions, causes of action, costs and expenses that the Province or any of the Province's employees or agents may sustain, incur, suffer or be put to at any time, either before or after this Agreement ends, including any claim of infringement of third-party intellectual property rights, where the same or any of them are based upon, arise out of or occur, directly or indirectly, by reason of any act or omission by the Contractor or by any of the Contractor's agents, employees, officers, directors or Subcontractors in connection with this Agreement, excepting always liability arising out of the independent acts or omissions of the Province and the Province's employees and agents.

Insurance

9.2 The Contractor must comply with the Insurance Schedule attached as Schedule D.

Workers compensation

9.3 Without limiting the generality of section 2.9, the Contractor must comply with, and must ensure that any Subcontractors comply with, all applicable occupational health and safety laws in relation to the performance of the Contractor's obligations under this Agreement, including the *Workers Compensation Act* in British Columbia or similar laws in other jurisdictions.

Personal optional protection

- 9.4 The Contractor must apply for and maintain personal optional protection insurance (consisting of income replacement and medical care coverage) during the Term at the Contractor's expense if:
 - (a) the Contractor is an individual or a partnership of individuals and does not have the benefit of mandatory workers compensation coverage under the *Workers Compensation Act* or similar laws in other jurisdictions; and
 - (b) such personal optional protection insurance is available for the Contractor from WorkSafeBC or other sources.

Evidence of coverage

9.5 Within 10 Business Days of being requested to do so by the Province, the Contractor must provide the Province with evidence of the Contractor's compliance with sections 9.3 and 9.4.

10 FORCE MAJEURE

Definitions relating to force majeure

- 10.1 In this section and sections 10.2 and 10.3:
 - (a) "Event of Force Majeure" means one of the following events:
 - (i) a natural disaster, fire, flood, storm, epidemic or power failure,
 - (ii) a war (declared and undeclared), insurrection or act of terrorism or piracy,
 - (iii) a strike (including illegal work stoppage or slowdown) or lockout, or
 - (iv) a freight embargo

if the event prevents a party from performing the party's obligations in accordance with this Agreement and is beyond the reasonable control of that party; and

(b) "Affected Party" means a party prevented from performing the party's obligations in accordance with this Agreement by an Event of Force Majeure.

Consequence of Event of Force Majeure

An Affected Party is not liable to the other party for any failure or delay in the performance of the Affected Party's obligations under this Agreement resulting from an Event of Force Majeure and any time periods for the performance of such obligations are automatically extended for the duration of the Event of Force Majeure provided that the Affected Party complies with the requirements of section 10.3.

Duties of Affected Party

10.3 An Affected Party must promptly notify the other party in writing upon the occurrence of the Event of Force Majeure and make all reasonable efforts to prevent, control or limit the effect of the Event of Force Majeure so as to resume compliance with the Affected Party's obligations under this Agreement as soon as possible.

11 DEFAULT AND TERMINATION

Definitions relating to default and termination

- 11.1 In this section and sections 11.2 to 11.4:
 - (a) "Event of Default" means any of the following:
 - (i) an Insolvency Event,
 - (ii) the Contractor fails to perform any of the Contractor's obligations under this Agreement, or
 - (iii) any representation or warranty made by the Contractor in this Agreement is untrue or incorrect; and
 - (b) "Insolvency Event" means any of the following:
 - (i) an order is made, a resolution is passed or a petition is filed, for the Contractor's liquidation or winding up,
 - (ii) the Contractor commits an act of bankruptcy, makes an assignment for the benefit of the Contractor's creditors or otherwise acknowledges the Contractor's insolvency,
 - (iii) a bankruptcy petition is filed or presented against the Contractor or a proposal under the Bankruptcy and Insolvency Act (Canada) is made by the Contractor,
 - (iv) a compromise or arrangement is proposed in respect of the Contractor under the Companies' Creditors Arrangement Act (Canada),
 - (v) a receiver or receiver-manager is appointed for any of the Contractor's property, or

(vi) the Contractor ceases, in the Province's reasonable opinion, to carry on business as a going concern.

Province's options on default

- On the happening of an Event of Default, or at any time thereafter, the Province may, at its option, elect to do any one or more of the following:
 - (a) by written notice to the Contractor, require that the Event of Default be remedied within a time period specified in the notice;
 - (b) pursue any remedy or take any other action available to it at law or in equity; or
 - (c) by written notice to the Contractor, terminate this Agreement with immediate effect or on a future date specified in the notice, subject to the expiration of any time period specified under section 11.2(a).

Delay not a waiver

11.3 No failure or delay on the part of the Province to exercise its rights in relation to an Event of Default will constitute a waiver by the Province of such rights.

Province's right to terminate other than for default

11.4 In addition to the Province's right to terminate this Agreement under section 11.2(c) on the happening of an Event of Default, the Province may terminate this Agreement for any reason by giving at least 10 days' written notice of termination to the Contractor.

Payment consequences of termination

- 11.5 Unless Schedule B otherwise provides, if the Province terminates this Agreement under section 11.4:
 - (a) the Province must, within 30 days of such termination, pay to the Contractor any unpaid portion of the fees and expenses described in Schedule B which corresponds with the portion of the Services that was completed to the Province's satisfaction before termination of this Agreement; and
 - (b) the Contractor must, within 30 days of such termination, repay to the Province any paid portion of the fees and expenses described in Schedule B which corresponds with the portion of the Services that the Province has notified the Contractor in writing was not completed to the Province's satisfaction before termination of this Agreement.

Discharge of liability

11.6 The payment by the Province of the amount described in section 11.5(a) discharges the Province from all liability to make payments to the Contractor under this Agreement.

Notice in relation to Events of Default

11.7 If the Contractor becomes aware that an Event of Default has occurred or anticipates that an Event of Default is likely to occur, the Contractor must promptly notify the Province of the particulars of the Event of Default or anticipated Event of Default. A notice under this section as to the occurrence of an Event of Default must also specify the steps the Contractor proposes to take to address, or prevent recurrence of, the Event of Default. A notice under this section as to an anticipated Event of Default must specify the steps the Contractor proposes to take to prevent the occurrence of the anticipated Event of Default.

12 DISPUTE RESOLUTION

Dispute resolution process

- 12.1 In the event of any dispute between the parties arising out of or in connection with this Agreement, the following dispute resolution process will apply unless the parties otherwise agree in writing:
 - (a) the parties must initially attempt to resolve the dispute through collaborative negotiation;
 - (b) if the dispute is not resolved through collaborative negotiation within 15 Business Days of the dispute arising, the parties must then attempt to resolve the dispute through mediation under the rules of the British Columbia Mediator Roster Society; and
 - (c) if the dispute is not resolved through mediation within 30 Business Days of the commencement of mediation, the dispute must be referred to and finally resolved by arbitration under the *Arbitration Act*.

Location of arbitration or mediation

12.2 Unless the parties otherwise agree in writing, an arbitration or mediation under section 12.1 will be held in Victoria, British Columbia.

Costs of mediation or arbitration

12.3 Unless the parties otherwise agree in writing or, in the case of an arbitration, the arbitrator otherwise orders, the parties must share equally the costs of a mediation or arbitration under section 12.1 other than those costs relating to the production of expert evidence or representation by counsel.

13 MISCELLANEOUS

Delivery of notices

- 13.1 Any notice contemplated by this Agreement, to be effective, must be in writing and delivered as follows:
 - by fax to the addressee's fax number specified on the first page of this Agreement, in which case it will be deemed to be received on the day of transmittal unless transmitted after the normal business hours of the addressee or on a day that is not a Business Day, in which cases it will be deemed to be received on the next following Business Day;
 - (b) by hand to the addressee's address specified on the first page of this Agreement, in which case it will be deemed to be received on the day of its delivery; or
 - (c) by prepaid post to the addressee's address specified on the first page of this Agreement, in which case if mailed during any period when normal postal services prevail, it will be deemed to be received on the fifth Business Day after its mailing.

Change of address or fax number

13.2 Either party may from time to time give notice to the other party of a substitute address or fax number, which from the date such notice is given will supersede for purposes of section 13.1 any previous address or fax number specified for the party giving the notice.

Assignment

13.3 The Contractor must not assign any of the Contractor's rights under this Agreement without the Province's prior written consent.

Subcontracting

- 13.4 The Contractor must not subcontract any of the Contractor's obligations under this Agreement to any person without the Province's prior written consent, excepting persons listed in the attached Schedule C. No subcontract, whether consented to or not, relieves the Contractor from any obligations under this Agreement. The Contractor must ensure that:
 - (a) any person retained by the Contractor to perform obligations under this Agreement; and
 - (b) any person retained by a person described in paragraph (a) to perform those obligations fully complies with this Agreement in performing the subcontracted obligations.

Waiver

A waiver of any term or breach of this Agreement is effective only if it is in writing and signed by, or on behalf of, the waiving party and is not a waiver of any other term or breach.

Modifications

13.6 No modification of this Agreement is effective unless it is in writing and signed by, or on behalf of, the parties.

Entire agreement

13.7 This Agreement (including any modification of it) constitutes the entire agreement between the parties as to performance of the Services.

Survival of certain provisions

13.8 Sections 2.9, 3.1 to 3.4, 3.7, 3.8, 5.1 to 5.5, 6.1 to 6.4, 7.1, 7.2, 8.1, 9.1, 9.2, 9.5, 10.1 to 10.3, 11.2, 11.3, 11.5, 11.6, 12.1 to 12.3, 13.1, 13.2, 13.8, and 13.10, any accrued but unpaid payment obligations, and any other sections of this Agreement (including schedules) which, by their terms or nature, are intended to survive the completion of the Services or termination of this Agreement, will continue in force indefinitely, even after this Agreement ends.

Schedules

13.9 The schedules to this Agreement (including any appendices or other documents attached to, or incorporated by reference into, those schedules) are part of this Agreement.

Independent contractor

- 13.10 In relation to the performance of the Contractor's obligations under this Agreement, the Contractor is an independent contractor and not:
 - (a) an employee or partner of the Province; or
 - (b) an agent of the Province except as may be expressly provided for in this Agreement.

The Contractor must not act or purport to act contrary to this section.

Personnel not to be employees of Province

13.11 The Contractor must not do anything that would result in personnel hired or used by the Contractor or a Subcontractor in relation to providing the Services being considered employees of the Province.

Key Personnel

13.12 If one or more individuals are specified as "Key Personnel" of the Contractor in Part 4 of Schedule A, the Contractor must cause those individuals to perform the Services on the Contractor's behalf, unless the Province otherwise approves in writing, which approval must not be unreasonably withheld.

Pertinent information

13.13 The Province must make available to the Contractor all information in the Province's possession which the Province considers pertinent to the performance of the Services.

Conflict of interest

13.14 The Contractor must not provide any services to any person in circumstances which, in the Province's reasonable opinion, could give rise to a conflict of interest between the Contractor's duties to that person and the Contractor's duties to the Province under this Agreement.

Time

13.15 Time is of the essence in this Agreement and, without limitation, will remain of the essence after any modification or extension of this Agreement, whether or not expressly restated in the document effecting the modification or extension.

Conflicts among provisions

- 13.16 Conflicts among provisions of this Agreement will be resolved as follows:
 - (a) a provision in the body of this Agreement will prevail over any conflicting provision in, attached to or incorporated by reference into a schedule, unless that conflicting provision expressly states otherwise; and
 - (b) a provision in a schedule will prevail over any conflicting provision in a document attached to or incorporated by reference into a schedule, unless the schedule expressly states otherwise.

Agreement not permit nor fetter

13.17 This Agreement does not operate as a permit, license, approval or other statutory authority which the Contractor may be required to obtain from the Province or any of its agencies in order to provide the Services. Nothing in this Agreement is to be construed as interfering with, or fettering in any manner, the exercise by the Province or its agencies of any statutory, prerogative, executive or legislative power or duty.

Remainder not affected by invalidity

13.18 If any provision of this Agreement or the application of it to any person or circumstance is invalid or unenforceable to any extent, the remainder of this Agreement and the application of such provision to any other person or circumstance will not be affected or impaired and will be valid and enforceable to the extent permitted by law.

Further assurances

Each party must perform the acts, execute and deliver the writings, and give the assurances as may be reasonably necessary to give full effect to this Agreement.

Additional terms

13.20 Any additional terms set out in the attached Schedule F apply to this Agreement.

Governing law

13.21 This Agreement is governed by, and is to be interpreted and construed in accordance with, the laws applicable in British Columbia.

14 INTERPRETATION

- 14.1 In this Agreement:
 - (a) "includes" and "including" are not intended to be limiting;
 - (b) unless the context otherwise requires, references to sections by number are to sections of this Agreement;
 - (c) the Contractor and the Province are referred to as "the parties" and each of them as a "party";
 - (d) "attached" means attached to this Agreement when used in relation to a schedule;
 - (e) unless otherwise specified, a reference to a statute by name means the statute of British Columbia by that name, as amended or replaced from time to time;
 - (f) the headings have been inserted for convenience of reference only and are not intended to describe, enlarge or restrict the scope or meaning of this Agreement or any provision of it;
 - (g) "person" includes an individual, partnership, corporation or legal entity of any nature; and
 - (h) unless the context otherwise requires, words expressed in the singular include the plural and *vice* versa.

15 EXECUTION AND DELIVERY OF AGREEMENT

15.1 This Agreement may be entered into by a separate copy of this Agreement being executed by, or on behalf of, each party and that executed copy being delivered to the other party by a method provided for in section 13.1 or any other method agreed to by the parties.

The parties have executed this Agreement as follows:

SIGNED on the 3 day of 2014 by the Contractor (or, if not an individual,	SIGNED on the, day of, 20/Yon behalf of the Province by its duly authorized
on its behalf by its authorized signatory or signatories):	representative:
Signature(s)	Signature
Print Name(s)	Print Name
Doctor of Podiatric Medicine	DIELLAR
Print Title(s)	Print Title

Schedule A - Services

PART 1. TERM:

1. The term of this Agreement commences on December 30, 2013, and ends on December 29, 2016.

PART 2. SERVICES:

During the Term of this Agreement, the Contractor must provide the following services:

- (a) attend the hearing as a member of the Audit Hearing Panel;
- (b) review such evidence as the parities to a hearing allow, or the panel orders, prior to the commencement of the hearing;
- (c) immediately notify the Province of any scheduling conflicts upon notification of hearing dates;
- (d) attend and participate in the post-hearing deliberations to review the evidence and render a decision; and,
- (e) prepare or participate in the preparation of the reasons for the decisions of the Panel.

All services are subject to Ministry Review, acceptance and sign-off.

The Ministry makes no guarantee as to the maximum number of billable hours under this Agreement.

PART 3. RELATED DOCUMENTATION:

Not applicable.

PART 4. KEY PERSONNEL:

1. Dr. Douglas Lamb

Schedule B - Fees and Expenses

1. MAXIMUM AMOUNT PAYABLE:

<u>Maximum Amount</u>: Despite sections 2 and 3 of this Schedule, \$74,999.99 is the maximum amount which the Province is obliged to pay to the Contractor for fees and expenses under this Agreement (exclusive of any applicable taxes described in section 3.1(c) of this Agreement).

Time spent eligible for remuneration consists of the following:

- a) any preparation for a hearing, attendance at the location of the hearing and any other related work done, as requested by the Province, Commission or the Audit Hearing Panel;
- b) travel time from the Contractor's office/residence to the location of the hearing will be paid at the rate specified below, by most expedient mode of transportation; (if the Contractor chooses to travel via a slower mode of transportation that incurs greater travel time costs, for example driving vs. flying, his or her claim for travel time may be reduced);

 If unsure, please contact Administration at (250) 952-2732 or email HLTH.BIP@gov.bc.ca prior to travelling to determine the most economical method.
- c) in the event that the hearing takes less than the schedule time allotted, the Contractor can be compensated for the time scheduled for the hearing. For this purpose, one day is equal to 7 hours;
- d) in the event that the hearing is cancelled and less than 21 days notice given to the Contractor, the Contractor will be compensated for the time scheduled for the audit hearing in which regular work activities could not be rescheduled. The Contractor will submit a detailed calculation of the fees claimed, including hours and dates. For this purpose, one day is equal to 7 hours; and,
- e) in the event that the hearing is cancelled and the flight cannot be refunded, the Province will reimburse the Contractor the entire amount of the flight. If the flight can be re-booked for other business required by the Contractor, the Province will pay for any additional fees to re-book the flight.

2. FEES:

Daily Rate

<u>Fees</u>: at a rate of \$600.00 per day (based on a day of 7 hours) for those days during the Term when the Contractor provides the Services. If the Contractor provides the Services for less than the required hours on any day, then fees for that day will be reduced proportionally.

3. EXPENSES:

Expenses:

- a. Travel, accommodation and meal expenses for travel greater than 32 kilometers away from 101 230 Menzies Street, Victoria, BC on the same basis as the Province pays its Group II employees when they are on travel status;
- b. the Contractor's actual long distance telephone, fax, postage and other identifiable communication expenses; and
- c. refer to Appendix 1 for allowable expenses;

excluding goods and services tax ("GST") or other applicable tax paid or payable by the Contractor on expenses described in (a) to (c) above to the extent that the Contractor is entitled to claim credits (including GST input tax credits), rebates, refunds or remissions of the tax from the relevant taxation authorities.

4. STATEMENTS OF ACCOUNT:

<u>Statements of Account</u>: In order to obtain payment of any fees and expenses under this Agreement for a period from and including the first day of a month to and including the last day of that month (each a "Billing Period"), the Contractor must deliver to the Province on a date after the Billing Period (each a "Billing Date"), a written statement of account in a form satisfactory to the Province containing:

- (a) the Contractor's legal name and address;
- (b) the date of the statement, and the Billing Period to which the statement pertains;
- (c) the Contractor's calculation of all fees claimed for that Billing Period, including a declaration by the Contractor of all hours worked; for which the Contractor claims fees and a description of the applicable fee rates;
- (d) a chronological listing, in reasonable detail, of any expenses claimed by the Contractor for the Billing Period with receipts attached, if applicable, and, if the Contractor is claiming reimbursement of any GST or other applicable taxes paid or payable by the Contractor in relation to those expenses, a description of any credits, rebates, refunds or remissions the Contractor is entitled to from the relevant taxation authorities in relation to those taxes;
- (e) the Contractor's calculation of any applicable taxes payable by the Province in relation to the Services for the Billing Period;
- (f) a description of this Agreement;
- (g) a statement number for identification; and
- (h) any other billing information reasonably requested by the Province.

5. PAYMENTS DUE:

<u>Payments Due</u>: Within 30 days of the Province's receipt of the Contractor's written statement of account delivered in accordance with this Schedule, the Province must pay the Contractor the fees and expenses (plus all applicable taxes) claimed in the statement if they are in accordance with this Schedule. Statements of account or contract invoices offering an early payment discount may be paid by the Province as required to obtain the discount.

Schedule C – Approved Subcontractor(s)

The Contractor must not subcontract any obligation under this Agreement without the prior written consent from the Province.			
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Schedule D - Insurance

Not Applicable

Schedule E - Privacy Protection Schedule

Definitions

- 1. In this Schedule,
 - (a) "access" means disclosure by the provision of access;
 - (b) "Act" means the Freedom of Information and Protection of Privacy Act (British Columbia);
 - (c) "contact information" means information to enable an individual at a place of business to be contacted and includes the name, position name or title, business telephone number, business address, business email or business fax number of the individual;
 - (d) "personal information" means recorded information about an identifiable individual, other than contact information, collected or created by the Contractor as a result of the Agreement or any previous agreement between the Province and the Contractor dealing with the same subject matter as the Agreement but excluding any such information that, if this Schedule did not apply to it, would not be under the "control of a public body" within the meaning of the Act.

Purpose

- 2. The purpose of this Schedule is to:
 - (a) enable the Province to comply with the Province's statutory obligations under the Act with respect to personal information; and
 - (b) ensure that, as a service provider, the Contractor is aware of and complies with the Contractor's statutory obligations under the Act with respect to personal information.

Collection of personal information

- 3. Unless the Agreement otherwise specifies or the Province otherwise directs in writing, the Contractor may only collect or create personal information that is necessary for the performance of the Contractor's obligations, or the exercise of the Contractor's rights, under the Agreement.
- 4. Unless the Agreement otherwise specifies or the Province otherwise directs in writing, the Contractor must collect personal information directly from the individual the information is about.
- 5. Unless the Agreement otherwise specifies or the Province otherwise directs in writing, the Contractor must tell an individual from whom the Contractor collects personal information:
 - (a) the purpose for collecting it;
 - (b) the legal authority for collecting it; and
 - (c) the title, business address and business telephone number of the person designated by the Province to answer questions about the Contractor's collection of personal information.

Accuracy of personal information

6. The Contractor must make every reasonable effort to ensure the accuracy and completeness of any personal information to be used by the Contractor or the Province to make a decision that directly affects the individual the information is about.

Requests for access to personal information

7. If the Contractor receives a request for access to personal information from a person other than the Province, the Contractor must promptly advise the person to make the request to the Province unless the Agreement

expressly requires the Contractor to provide such access and, if the Province has advised the Contractor of the name or title and contact information of an official of the Province to whom such requests are to be made, the Contractor must also promptly provide that official's name or title and contact information to the person making the request.

Correction of personal information

- 8. Within 5 Business Days of receiving a written direction from the Province to correct or annotate any personal information, the Contractor must correct or annotate the information in accordance with the direction.
- 9. When issuing a written direction under section 8, the Province must advise the Contractor of the date the correction request to which the direction relates was received by the Province in order that the Contractor may comply with section 10.
- 10. Within 5 Business Days of correcting or annotating any personal information under section 8, the Contractor must provide the corrected or annotated information to any party to whom, within one year prior to the date the correction request was made to the Province, the Contractor disclosed the information being corrected or annotated.
- 11. If the Contractor receives a request for correction of personal information from a person other than the Province, the Contractor must promptly advise the person to make the request to the Province and, if the Province has advised the Contractor of the name or title and contact information of an official of the Province to whom such requests are to be made, the Contractor must also promptly provide that official's name or title and contact information to the person making the request.

Protection of personal information

12. The Contractor must protect personal information by making reasonable security arrangements against such risks as unauthorized access, collection, use, disclosure or disposal, including any expressly set out in the Agreement.

Storage and access to personal information

13. Unless the Province otherwise directs in writing, the Contractor must not store personal information outside Canada or permit access to personal information from outside Canada.

Retention of personal information

14. Unless the Agreement otherwise specifies, the Contractor must retain personal information until directed by the Province in writing to dispose of it or deliver it as specified in the direction.

Use of personal information

15. Unless the Province otherwise directs in writing, the Contractor may only use personal information if that use is for the performance of the Contractor's obligations, or the exercise of the Contractor's rights, under the Agreement.

Disclosure of personal information

- 16. Unless the Province otherwise directs in writing, the Contractor may only disclose personal information inside Canada to any person other than the Province if the disclosure is for the performance of the Contractor's obligations, or the exercise of the Contractor's rights, under the Agreement.
- 17. Unless the Agreement otherwise specifies or the Province otherwise directs in writing, the Contractor must not disclose personal information outside Canada.

Notice of foreign demands for disclosure

- 18. In addition to any obligation the Contractor may have to provide the notification contemplated by section 30.2 of the Act, if in relation to personal information in the custody or under the control of the Contractor, the Contractor:
 - (a) receives a foreign demand for disclosure;
 - (b) receives a request to disclose, produce or provide access that the Contractor knows or has reason to suspect is for the purpose of responding to a foreign demand for disclosure; or
 - (c) has reason to suspect that an unauthorized disclosure of personal information has occurred in response to a foreign demand for disclosure

the Contractor must immediately notify the Province and, in so doing, provide the information described in section 30.2(3) of the Act. In this section, the phrases "foreign demand for disclosure" and "unauthorized disclosure of personal information" will bear the same meanings as in section 30.2 of the Act.

Notice of unauthorized disclosure

19. In addition to any obligation the Contractor may have to provide the notification contemplated by section 30.5 of the Act, if the Contractor knows that there has been an unauthorized disclosure of personal information in the custody or under the control of the Contractor, the Contractor must immediately notify the Province. In this section, the phrase "unauthorized disclosure of personal information" will bear the same meaning as in section 30.5 of the Act.

Inspection of personal information

20. In addition to any other rights of inspection the Province may have under the Agreement or under statute, the Province may, at any reasonable time and on reasonable notice to the Contractor, enter on the Contractor's premises to inspect any personal information in the possession of the Contractor or any of the Contractor's information management policies or practices relevant to the Contractor's management of personal information or the Contractor's compliance with this Schedule, and the Contractor must permit and provide reasonable assistance to any such inspection.

Compliance with the Act and directions

- 21. The Contractor must in relation to personal information comply with:
 - (a) the requirements of the Act applicable to the Contractor as a service provider, including any applicable order of the commissioner under the Act; and
 - (b) any direction given by the Province under this Schedule.
- 22. The Contractor acknowledges that it is familiar with the requirements of the Act governing personal information that are applicable to it as a service provider.

Notice of non-compliance

23. If for any reason the Contractor does not comply, or anticipates that it will be unable to comply, with a provision in this Schedule in any respect, the Contractor must promptly notify the Province of the particulars of the non-compliance or anticipated non-compliance and what steps it proposes to take to address, or prevent recurrence of, the non-compliance or anticipated non-compliance.

Termination of Agreement

24. In addition to any other rights of termination which the Province may have under the Agreement or otherwise at law, the Province may, subject to any provisions in the Agreement establishing mandatory cure periods for defaults by the Contractor, terminate the Agreement by giving written notice of such termination to the Contractor, upon any failure of the Contractor to comply with this Schedule in a material respect.

Interpretation

- 25. In this Schedule, references to sections by number are to sections of this Schedule unless otherwise specified in this Schedule.
- 26. Any reference to the "Contractor" in this Schedule includes any subcontractor or agent retained by the Contractor to perform obligations under the Agreement and the Contractor must ensure that any such subcontractors and agents comply with this Schedule.
- 27. The obligations of the Contractor in this Schedule will survive the termination of the Agreement.
- 28. If a provision of the Agreement (including any direction given by the Province under this Schedule) conflicts with a requirement of the Act or an applicable order of the commissioner under the Act, the conflicting provision of the Agreement (or direction) will be inoperative to the extent of the conflict.
- 29. The Contractor must comply with the provisions of this Schedule despite any conflicting provision of this Agreement or, subject to section 30, the law of any jurisdiction outside Canada.
- 30. Nothing in this Schedule requires the Contractor to contravene the law of any jurisdiction outside Canada unless such contravention is required to comply with the Act.

Schedule F - Additional Terms

- 1. Contractor Identification During the term of this agreement and at the request of the Province, contractors shall identify themselves as contractors to the ministry. This may be in the form of email signature blocks, business cards, correspondence, and verbal business dealings.
- 2. The Contractor has been appointed to a panel established by the Health Care Practitioners Special Committee for Audit Hearings to hear matters under Sections 15 and 37 of the Act.
- The Contractor is a Practitioner, and will maintain this status for the Term of this Agreement. The Contractor
 will notify the Province immediately if a change to the Contractor's status as a Practitioner occurs or is likely
 to occur.
- 4. The Province will indemnify and save harmless the Contractor from any losses, claims, damages, actions, causes of action, costs and expenses that the Contractor may sustain, incur, suffer or be put to at any time, either before or after this Agreement ends, which are based upon, arise out of or occur, directly or indirectly, by reason of any professional act or omission by the Contractor in providing the Services, except liability arising from the wilful misconduct, bad faith or independent negligent act of the Contractor, to the extent that the Contractor is not provided coverage by the Canadian Medical Protective Association or any other insurance or indemnification.
- 5. The Province will indemnify and save harmless the Contractor from any losses, claims, damages, actions, causes of action, costs and expenses that the Contractor may sustain, incur, suffer or be put to at any time, either before or after this Agreement ends, which are based upon, arise out of or occur, directly or indirectly, by reason of any act or omission of the Province or any of its agents or employees in carrying out the Province's obligations under this Agreement, except liability arising from the wilful misconduct, bad faith or independent negligent act of the Contractor.

Schedule G - Security Schedule

Definitions

- 1. In this Schedule,
 - (a) "Equipment" means any equipment, including interconnected systems or subsystems of equipment, software and networks, used or to be used by the Contractor to provide the Services;
 - (b) "Facilities" means any facilities at which the Contractor provides or is to provide the Services;
 - (c) "Information" means information
 - (i) in the Material, or
 - (ii) accessed, produced or obtained by the Contractor (whether verbally, electronically or otherwise) as a result of the Agreement;
 - (d) "Record" means a "record" as defined in the Interpretation Act;
 - (e) "Sensitive Information" means
 - (i) Information that is "personal information" as defined in the Freedom of Information and Protection of Privacy Act, or
 - (ii) any other Information specified as "Sensitive Information" in Appendix G6, if attached; and
 - (f) "Services Worker" means an individual involved in providing the Services for or on behalf of the Contractor and, for greater certainty, may include
 - (i) the Contractor or a subcontractor if an individual, or
 - (ii) an employee or volunteer of the Contractor or of a subcontractor.

Schedule contains additional obligations

2. The obligations of the Contractor in this Schedule are in addition to any other obligations in the Agreement or the schedules attached to it relating to security including, without limitation, the obligations of the Contractor in the Privacy Protection Schedule, if attached.

Services Worker confidentiality agreements

3. The Contractor must not permit a Services Worker who is an employee or volunteer of the Contractor to have access to Sensitive Information unless the Services Worker has first entered into a confidentiality agreement with the Contractor to keep Sensitive Information confidential on substantially similar terms as those that apply to the Contractor under the Agreement.

Services Worker security screening

4. The Contractor may only permit a Services Worker who is an employee or a volunteer of the Contractor to have access to Sensitive Information or otherwise be involved in providing the Services if, after having subjected the Services Worker to the personnel security screening requirements set out in Appendix G1 and any additional requirements the Contractor may consider appropriate, the Contractor is satisfied that the Services Worker does not constitute an unreasonable security risk. The Contractor must create, obtain and retain Records documenting the Contractor's compliance with the security screening requirements set out in Appendix G1 in accordance with the provisions of that appendix.

Services Worker activity logging

- 5. Subject to section 6, the Contractor must create and maintain detailed Records logging the activities of all Service Workers in relation to:
 - (a) their access to Sensitive Information; and
 - (b) other matters specified by the Province in writing for the purposes of this section.
- 6. The Records described in section 5 must be made and maintained in a manner, and contain information, specified in Appendix G2, if attached.

Facilities and Equipment protection and access control

- 7. The Contractor must create, maintain and follow a documented process to:
 - (a) protect Facilities and Equipment of the Contractor required by the Contractor to provide the Services from loss, damage or any other occurrence that may result in any of those Facilities and Equipment being unavailable when required to provide the Services; and
 - (b) limit access to Facilities and Equipment of the Contractor
 - (i) being used by the Contractor to provide the Services, or
 - (ii) that may be used by someone to access Information

to those persons who are authorized to have that access and for the purposes for which they are authorized, which process must include measures to verify the identity of those persons.

8. If the Province makes available to the Contractor any Facilities or Equipment of the Province for the use of the Contractor in providing the Services, the Contractor must comply with any policies and procedures provided to it by the Province on acceptable use, protection of, and access to, such Facilities or Equipment.

Sensitive Information access control

- 9. The Contractor must:
 - (a) create, maintain and follow a documented process for limiting access to Sensitive Information to those persons who are authorized to have that access and for the purposes for which they are authorized, which process must include measures to verify the identity of those persons; and
 - (b) comply with the information access control requirements set out in Appendix G3, if attached.

Integrity of Information

- 10. The Contractor must:
 - (a) create, maintain and follow a documented process for maintaining the integrity of Information while possessed or accessed by the Contractor; and
 - (b) comply with the information integrity requirements set out in Appendix G4, if attached.
- 11. For the purposes of section 10, maintaining the integrity of Information means that, except to the extent expressly authorized by the Agreement or approved in writing by the Province, the Information has:

- (a) remained as complete as when it was acquired or accessed by the Contractor; and
- (b) not been altered in any material respect.

Documentation of changes to processes

12. The Contractor must create and maintain detailed Records logging any changes it makes to the processes described in sections 7, 9 and 10.

Notice of security breaches

- 13. If Contractor becomes aware that:
 - (a) unauthorized access, collection, use, disclosure, alteration or disposal of Information or Records containing Information; or
 - (b) unauthorized access to Facilities or Equipment

has occurred or is likely to occur (whether or not related to a failure by the Contractor to comply with this Schedule or the Agreement), the Contractor must immediately notify the Province of the particulars of that occurrence or likely occurrence. If the Contractor provides a notification under this section other than in writing, that notification must be confirmed in writing to the Province as soon as it is reasonably practicable for the Contractor to do so.

Review of security breaches

14. If the Province decides to conduct a review of a matter described in section 13 (whether or not the matter came to the attention of the Province as a result of a notification under section 13), the Contractor must, on the request of the Province, participate in the review to the extent that it is reasonably practicable for the Contractor to do so.

Retention of Records

15. Unless the Agreement otherwise specifies, the Contractor must retain all Records in the Contractor's possession that contain Information until directed by the Province in writing to dispose of them or deliver them as specified in the direction.

Storage of Records

16. Until disposed of or delivered in accordance with section 15, the Contractor must store any Records in the Contractor's possession that contain Information in accordance with the provisions of Appendix G5, if attached.

Audit

- 17. In addition to any other rights of inspection the Province may have under the Agreement or under statute, the Province may, at any reasonable time and on reasonable notice to the Contractor, enter on the Contractor's premises to inspect and, at the Province's discretion, copy:
 - (a) any Records in the possession of the Contractor containing Information; or
 - (b) any of the Contractor's Information management policies or processes (including the processes described in sections 7, 9 and 10 and the logs described in sections 5 and 12) relevant to the Contractor's compliance with this Schedule

and the Contractor must permit, and provide reasonable assistance to the exercise by the Province of the Province's rights under this section.

Termination of Agreement

18. In addition to any other rights of termination which the Province may have under the Agreement or otherwise at law, the Province may, subject to any provisions in the Agreement establishing mandatory cure periods for defaults by the Contractor, terminate the Agreement by giving written notice of such termination to the Contractor, upon any failure of the Contractor to comply with this Schedule in a material respect.

Interpretation

- 19. In this Schedule, unless otherwise specified:
 - (a) references to sections are to sections of this Schedule; and
 - (b) references to appendices are to the appendices attached to this Schedule.
- 20. Any reference to the "Contractor" in this Schedule includes any subcontractor retained by the Contractor to perform obligations under the Agreement and the Contractor must ensure that any such subcontractors comply with this Schedule.
- 21. The appendices attached to this Schedule are part of this Schedule.
- 22. If there is a conflict between a provision in an appendix attached to this Schedule and any other provision of this Schedule, the provision in the appendix is inoperative to the extent of the conflict unless the appendix states that it operates despite a conflicting provision of this Schedule.
- 23. If there is a conflict between:
 - (a) a provision of the Agreement, this Schedule or an appendix attached to this Schedule; and
 - (b) a documented process required by this Schedule to be created or maintained by the Contractor the provision of the Agreement, Schedule or appendix will prevail to the extent of the conflict.
- 24. The obligations of the Contractor in this Schedule will survive the termination of the Agreement.

SCHEDULE G - Appendix G1 - Security screening requirements

The personnel security screening requirements set out in this Appendix G1 are for the purpose of assisting the Contractor determine whether or not a Services Worker constitutes an unreasonable security risk.

Verification of name, date of birth and address

1. The Contractor must verify the name, date of birth and current address of a Services Worker by viewing at least one piece of "primary identification" of the Services Worker and at least one piece of "secondary identification" of the Services Worker,* as described in the table following this section. The Contractor must obtain or create, as applicable, Records of all such verifications and retain a copy of those Records. For a Services Worker from another province or jurisdiction, reasonably equivalent identification documents are acceptable.

Primary Identification	Secondary Identification
Issued by ICBC: B.C. driver's licence or learner's licence (must have photo) B.C. Identification (BCID) card Issued by provincial or territorial government: Canadian birth certificate Issued by Government of Canada: Canadian Citizenship Card Permanent Resident Card Canadian Record of Landing/Canadian Immigration Identification Record	 School ID card (student card) Bank card (only if holder's name is on card) Credit card (only if holder's name is on card) Passport Foreign birth certificate (a baptismal certificate is not acceptable) Canadian or U.S. driver's licence Naturalization certificate Canadian Forces identification Police identification Foreign Affairs Canada or consular identification Vehicle registration (only if owner's signature is shown) Picture employee ID card Firearms Acquisition Certificate Social Insurance Card (only if has signature strip) B.C. CareCard Native Status Card Parole Certificate ID Correctional Service Conditional Release Card

*It is not necessary that each piece of identification viewed by the Contractor contains the name, date of birth and current address of the Services Worker. It is sufficient that, in combination, the identification viewed contains that information.

Verification of education and professional qualifications

2. The Contractor must verify, by reasonable means, any relevant education and professional qualifications of a Services Worker, obtain or create, as applicable, Records of all such verifications, and retain a copy of those Records.

Verification of employment history and reference checks

3. The Contractor must verify, by reasonable means, any relevant employment history of a Services Worker, which will generally consist of the Contractor requesting that a Services Worker provide employment references and the Contractor contacting those references. If a Services Worker has no relevant employment history, the Contractor must seek to verify the character or other relevant personal characteristics of the Services Worker by requesting the Services Worker to provide one or more personal references and contacting those references. The Contractor must obtain or create, as applicable, Records of all such verifications and retain a copy of those Records.

Security interview

4. The Contractor must allow the Province to conduct a security-focused interview with a Services Worker if the Province identifies a reasonable security concern and notifies the Contractor it wishes to do so.

SCHEDULE G - Appendix G6 - Sensitive Information

In addition to the information described in section 1(e)(i) of this Schedule, the following information is specified as "Sensitive Information" for the purposes of this Schedule:

- (a) Audit report on practitioner
- (b) Audit report
- (c) AIC referral
- (d) All information, records and correspondence regarding the audit.

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THIS AGREEMENT is dated for reference the 30th day of December, 2013.

BETWEEN:

 ${\hbox{IONALAN ODDLEIFSON (the "Contractor") with the following specified address: } \\ {\hbox{s.22}}$

AND:

HER MAJESTY THE QUEEN IN RIGHT OF THE PROVINCE OF BRITISH COLUMBIA, as represented by the Minister of Health (the "Province") with the following specified address and fax number: 5 – 2, 1515 BLANSHARD STREET VICTORIA BC V8W 3C8 250 952-2605

The Province wishes to retain the Contractor to provide the services specified in Schedule A and, in consideration for the remuneration set out in Schedule B, the Contractor has agreed to provide those services, on the terms and conditions set out in this Agreement.

As a result, the Province and the Contractor agree as follows:

1 **DEFINITIONS**

General

- 1.1 In this Agreement, unless the context otherwise requires:
 - (a) "Business Day" means a day, other than a Saturday or Sunday, on which Provincial government offices are open for normal business in British Columbia;
 - (b) "Incorporated Material" means any material in existence prior to the start of the Term or developed independently of this Agreement, and that is incorporated or embedded in the Produced Material by the Contractor or a Subcontractor;
 - (c) "Material" means the Produced Material and the Received Material;
 - (d) "Produced Material" means records, software and other material, whether complete or not, that, as a result of this Agreement, are produced by the Contractor or a Subcontractor and includes the Incorporated Material;
 - (e) "Received Material" means records, software and other material, whether complete or not, that, as a result of this Agreement, are received by the Contractor or a Subcontractor from the Province or any other person;
 - (f) "Services" means the services described in Part 2 of Schedule A;
 - (g) "Subcontractor" means a person described in paragraph (a) or (b) of section 13.4; and
 - (h) "Term" means the term of the Agreement described in Part 1 of Schedule A subject to that term ending earlier in accordance with this Agreement.

Meaning of "record"

1.2 The definition of "record" in the *Interpretation Act* is incorporated into this Agreement and "records" will bear a corresponding meaning.

2 SERVICES

Provision of services

2.1 The Contractor must provide the Services in accordance with this Agreement.

Term

2.2 Regardless of the date of execution or delivery of this Agreement, the Contractor must provide the Services during the Term.

Supply of various items

2.3 Unless the parties otherwise agree in writing, the Contractor must supply and pay for all labour, materials, equipment, tools, facilities, approvals and licenses necessary or advisable to perform the Contractor's obligations under this Agreement, including the license under section 6.4.

Standard of care

2.4 Unless otherwise specified in this Agreement, the Contractor must perform the Services to a standard of care, skill and diligence maintained by persons providing, on a commercial basis, services similar to the Services.

Standards in relation to persons performing Services

2.5 The Contractor must ensure that all persons employed or retained to perform the Services are qualified and competent to perform them and are properly trained, instructed and supervised.

Instructions by Province

2.6 The Province may from time to time give the Contractor reasonable instructions (in writing or otherwise) as to the performance of the Services. The Contractor must comply with those instructions but, unless otherwise specified in this Agreement, the Contractor may determine the manner in which the instructions are carried out.

Confirmation of non-written instructions

2.7 If the Province provides an instruction under section 2.6 other than in writing, the Contractor may request that the instruction be confirmed by the Province in writing, which request the Province must comply with as soon as it is reasonably practicable to do so.

Effectiveness of non-written instructions

2.8 Requesting written confirmation of an instruction under section 2.7 does not relieve the Contractor from complying with the instruction at the time the instruction was given.

Applicable laws

2.9 In the performance of the Contractor's obligations under this Agreement, the Contractor must comply with all applicable laws.

3 PAYMENT

Fees and expenses

- 3.1 If the Contractor complies with this Agreement, then the Province must pay to the Contractor at the times and on the conditions set out in Schedule B:
 - (a) the fees described in that Schedule;
 - (b) the expenses, if any, described in that Schedule if they are supported, where applicable, by proper receipts and, in the Province's opinion, are necessarily incurred by the Contractor in providing the Services; and

any applicable taxes payable by the Province under law or agreement with the relevant taxation authorities on the fees and expenses described in paragraphs (a) and (b).

The Province is not obliged to pay to the Contractor more than the "Maximum Amount" specified in Schedule B on account of fees and expenses.

Statements of accounts

3.2 In order to obtain payment of any fees and expenses under this Agreement, the Contractor must submit to the Province a written statement of account in a form satisfactory to the Province upon completion of the Services or at other times described in Schedule B.

Withholding of amounts

3.3 Without limiting section 9.1, the Province may withhold from any payment due to the Contractor an amount sufficient to indemnify, in whole or in part, the Province and its employees and agents against any liens or other third-party claims that have arisen or could arise in connection with the provision of the Services. An amount withheld under this section must be promptly paid by the Province to the Contractor upon the basis for withholding the amount having been fully resolved to the satisfaction of the Province.

Appropriation

3.4 The Province's obligation to pay money to the Contractor is subject to the *Financial Administration Act*, which makes that obligation subject to an appropriation being available in the fiscal year of the Province during which payment becomes due.

Currency

3.5 Unless otherwise specified in this Agreement, all references to money are to Canadian dollars.

Non-resident income tax

3.6 If the Contractor is not a resident in Canada, the Contractor acknowledges that the Province may be required by law to withhold income tax from the fees described in Schedule B and then to remit that tax to the Receiver General of Canada on the Contractor's behalf.

Prohibition against committing money

3.7 Without limiting section 13.10(a), the Contractor must not in relation to performing the Contractor's obligations under this Agreement commit or purport to commit the Province to pay any money except as may be expressly provided for in this Agreement.

Refunds of taxes

3.8 The Contractor must:

- (a) apply for, and use reasonable efforts to obtain, any available refund, credit, rebate or remission of federal, provincial or other tax or duty imposed on the Contractor as a result of this Agreement that the Province has paid or reimbursed to the Contractor or agreed to pay or reimburse to the Contractor under this Agreement; and
- (b) immediately on receiving, or being credited with, any amount applied for under paragraph (a), remit that amount to the Province.

4 REPRESENTATIONS AND WARRANTIES

- 4.1 As at the date this Agreement is executed and delivered by, or on behalf of, the parties, the Contractor represents and warrants to the Province as follows:
 - (a) except to the extent the Contractor has previously disclosed otherwise in writing to the Province,
 - (i) all information, statements, documents and reports furnished or submitted by the Contractor to the Province in connection with this Agreement (including as part of any competitive process resulting in this Agreement being entered into) are in all material respects true and correct,
 - (ii) the Contractor has sufficient trained staff, facilities, materials, appropriate equipment and approved subcontractual agreements in place and available to enable the Contractor to fully perform the Services, and
 - (iii) the Contractor holds all permits, licenses, approvals and statutory authorities issued by any government or government agency that are necessary for the performance of the Contractor's obligations under this Agreement; and
 - (b) if the Contractor is not an individual,
 - (i) the Contractor has the power and capacity to enter into this Agreement and to observe, perform and comply with the terms of this Agreement and all necessary corporate or other proceedings have been taken and done to authorize the execution and delivery of this Agreement by, or on behalf of, the Contractor, and
 - (ii) this Agreement has been legally and properly executed by, or on behalf of, the Contractor and is legally binding upon and enforceable against the Contractor in accordance with its terms except as enforcement may be limited by bankruptcy, insolvency or other laws affecting the rights of creditors generally and except that equitable remedies may be granted only in the discretion of a court of competent jurisdiction.

5 PRIVACY, SECURITY AND CONFIDENTIALITY

Privacy

5.1 The Contractor must comply with the Privacy Protection Schedule attached as Schedule E.

Security

- 5.2 The Contractor must:
 - (a) make reasonable security arrangements to protect the Material from unauthorized access, collection, use, disclosure, alteration or disposal; and
 - (b) comply with the Security Schedule attached as Schedule G.

Confidentiality

- 5.3 The Contractor must treat as confidential all information in the Material and all other information accessed or obtained by the Contractor or a Subcontractor (whether verbally, electronically or otherwise) as a result of this Agreement, and not permit its disclosure or use without the Province's prior written consent except:
 - (a) as required to perform the Contractor's obligations under this Agreement or to comply with applicable laws;
 - (b) if it is information that is generally known to the public other than as result of a breach of this Agreement; or
 - (c) if it is information in any Incorporated Material.

Public announcements

Any public announcement relating to this Agreement will be arranged by the Province and, if such consultation is reasonably practicable, after consultation with the Contractor.

Restrictions on promotion

5.5 The Contractor must not, without the prior written approval of the Province, refer for promotional purposes to the Province being a customer of the Contractor or the Province having entered into this Agreement.

6 MATERIAL AND INTELLECTUAL PROPERTY

Access to Material

6.1 If the Contractor receives a request for access to any of the Material from a person other than the Province, and this Agreement does not require or authorize the Contractor to provide that access, the Contractor must promptly advise the person to make the request to the Province.

Ownership and delivery of Material

The Province exclusively owns all property rights in the Material which are not intellectual property rights. The Contractor must deliver any Material to the Province immediately upon the Province's request.

Matters respecting intellectual property

- 6.3 The Province exclusively owns all intellectual property rights, including copyright, in:
 - (a) Received Material that the Contractor receives from the Province; and
 - (b) Produced Material, other than any Incorporated Material.

Upon the Province's request, the Contractor must deliver to the Province documents satisfactory to the Province that irrevocably waive in the Province's favour any moral rights which the Contractor (or employees of the Contractor) or a Subcontractor (or employees of a Subcontractor) may have in the Produced Material and that confirm the vesting in the Province of the copyright in the Produced Material, other than any Incorporated Material.

Rights in relation to Incorporated Material

- 6.4 Upon any Incorporated Material being embedded or incorporated in the Produced Material and to the extent that it remains so embedded or incorporated, the Contractor grants to the Province:
 - (a) a non-exclusive, perpetual, irrevocable, royalty-free, worldwide license to use, reproduce, modify and distribute that Incorporated Material; and
 - (b) the right to sublicense to third-parties the right to use, reproduce, modify and distribute that Incorporated Material.

7 RECORDS AND REPORTS

Work reporting

7.1 Upon the Province's request, the Contractor must fully inform the Province of all work done by the Contractor or a Subcontractor in connection with providing the Services.

Time and expense records

7.2 If Schedule B provides for the Contractor to be paid fees at a daily or hourly rate or for the Contractor to be paid or reimbursed for expenses, the Contractor must maintain time records and books of account, invoices, receipts and vouchers of expenses in support of those payments, in form and content satisfactory to the Province. Unless otherwise specified in this Agreement, the Contractor must retain such documents for a period of not less than seven years after this Agreement ends.

8 AUDIT

8.1 In addition to any other rights of inspection the Province may have under statute or otherwise, the Province may at any reasonable time and on reasonable notice to the Contractor, enter on the Contractor's premises to inspect and, at the Province's discretion, copy any of the Material and the Contractor must permit, and provide reasonable assistance to, the exercise by the Province of the Province's rights under this section.

9 INDEMNITY AND INSURANCE

Indemnity

9.1 The Contractor must indemnify and save harmless the Province and the Province's employees and agents from any losses, claims, damages, actions, causes of action, costs and expenses that the Province or any of the Province's employees or agents may sustain, incur, suffer or be put to at any time, either before or after this Agreement ends, including any claim of infringement of third-party intellectual property rights, where the same or any of them are based upon, arise out of or occur, directly or indirectly, by reason of any act or omission by the Contractor or by any of the Contractor's agents, employees, officers, directors or Subcontractors in connection with this Agreement, excepting always liability arising out of the independent acts or omissions of the Province and the Province's employees and agents.

Insurance

9.2 The Contractor must comply with the Insurance Schedule attached as Schedule D.

Workers compensation

9.3 Without limiting the generality of section 2.9, the Contractor must comply with, and must ensure that any Subcontractors comply with, all applicable occupational health and safety laws in relation to the performance of the Contractor's obligations under this Agreement, including the *Workers Compensation Act* in British Columbia or similar laws in other jurisdictions.

Personal optional protection

- 9.4 The Contractor must apply for and maintain personal optional protection insurance (consisting of income replacement and medical care coverage) during the Term at the Contractor's expense if:
 - (a) the Contractor is an individual or a partnership of individuals and does not have the benefit of mandatory workers compensation coverage under the *Workers Compensation Act* or similar laws in other jurisdictions; and
 - (b) such personal optional protection insurance is available for the Contractor from WorkSafeBC or other sources.

Evidence of coverage

9.5 Within 10 Business Days of being requested to do so by the Province, the Contractor must provide the Province with evidence of the Contractor's compliance with sections 9.3 and 9.4.

10 FORCE MAJEURE

Definitions relating to force majeure

- 10.1 In this section and sections 10.2 and 10.3:
 - a) "Event of Force Majeure" means one of the following events:
 - (i) a natural disaster, fire, flood, storm, epidemic or power failure,
 - (ii) a war (declared and undeclared), insurrection or act of terrorism or piracy,
 - (iii) a strike (including illegal work stoppage or slowdown) or lockout, or
 - (iv) a freight embargo

if the event prevents a party from performing the party's obligations in accordance with this Agreement and is beyond the reasonable control of that party; and

(b) "Affected Party" means a party prevented from performing the party's obligations in accordance with this Agreement by an Event of Force Majeure.

Consequence of Event of Force Majeure

An Affected Party is not liable to the other party for any failure or delay in the performance of the Affected Party's obligations under this Agreement resulting from an Event of Force Majeure and any time periods for the performance of such obligations are automatically extended for the duration of the Event of Force Majeure provided that the Affected Party complies with the requirements of section 10.3.

Duties of Affected Party

10.3 An Affected Party must promptly notify the other party in writing upon the occurrence of the Event of Force Majeure and make all reasonable efforts to prevent, control or limit the effect of the Event of Force Majeure so as to resume compliance with the Affected Party's obligations under this Agreement as soon as possible.

11 DEFAULT AND TERMINATION

Definitions relating to default and termination

- 11.1 In this section and sections 11.2 to 11.4:
 - (a) "Event of Default" means any of the following:
 - (i) an Insolvency Event,
 - (ii) the Contractor fails to perform any of the Contractor's obligations under this Agreement, or
 - (iii) any representation or warranty made by the Contractor in this Agreement is untrue or incorrect; and
 - (b) "Insolvency Event" means any of the following:
 - (i) an order is made, a resolution is passed or a petition is filed, for the Contractor's liquidation or winding up,
 - (ii) the Contractor commits an act of bankruptcy, makes an assignment for the benefit of the Contractor's creditors or otherwise acknowledges the Contractor's insolvency,
 - (iii) a bankruptcy petition is filed or presented against the Contractor or a proposal under the Bankruptcy and Insolvency Act (Canada) is made by the Contractor,
 - (iv) a compromise or arrangement is proposed in respect of the Contractor under the Companies' Creditors Arrangement Act (Canada),
 - (v) a receiver or receiver-manager is appointed for any of the Contractor's property, or

(vi) the Contractor ceases, in the Province's reasonable opinion, to carry on business as a going concern.

Province's options on default

- On the happening of an Event of Default, or at any time thereafter, the Province may, at its option, elect to do any one or more of the following:
 - (a) by written notice to the Contractor, require that the Event of Default be remedied within a time period specified in the notice;
 - (b) pursue any remedy or take any other action available to it at law or in equity; or
 - (c) by written notice to the Contractor, terminate this Agreement with immediate effect or on a future date specified in the notice, subject to the expiration of any time period specified under section 11.2(a).

Delay not a waiver

11.3 No failure or delay on the part of the Province to exercise its rights in relation to an Event of Default will constitute a waiver by the Province of such rights.

Province's right to terminate other than for default

In addition to the Province's right to terminate this Agreement under section 11.2(c) on the happening of an Event of Default, the Province may terminate this Agreement for any reason by giving at least 10 days' written notice of termination to the Contractor.

Payment consequences of termination

- 11.5 Unless Schedule B otherwise provides, if the Province terminates this Agreement under section 11.4:
 - the Province must, within 30 days of such termination, pay to the Contractor any unpaid portion of the fees and expenses described in Schedule B which corresponds with the portion of the Services that was completed to the Province's satisfaction before termination of this Agreement; and
 - (b) the Contractor must, within 30 days of such termination, repay to the Province any paid portion of the fees and expenses described in Schedule B which corresponds with the portion of the Services that the Province has notified the Contractor in writing was not completed to the Province's satisfaction before termination of this Agreement.

Discharge of liability

11.6 The payment by the Province of the amount described in section 11.5(a) discharges the Province from all liability to make payments to the Contractor under this Agreement.

Notice in relation to Events of Default

11.7 If the Contractor becomes aware that an Event of Default has occurred or anticipates that an Event of Default is likely to occur, the Contractor must promptly notify the Province of the particulars of the Event of Default or anticipated Event of Default. A notice under this section as to the occurrence of an Event of Default must also specify the steps the Contractor proposes to take to address, or prevent recurrence of, the Event of Default. A notice under this section as to an anticipated Event of Default must specify the steps the Contractor proposes to take to prevent the occurrence of the anticipated Event of Default.

12 DISPUTE RESOLUTION

Dispute resolution process

- 12.1 In the event of any dispute between the parties arising out of or in connection with this Agreement, the following dispute resolution process will apply unless the parties otherwise agree in writing:
 - (a) the parties must initially attempt to resolve the dispute through collaborative negotiation;
 - (b) if the dispute is not resolved through collaborative negotiation within 15 Business Days of the dispute arising, the parties must then attempt to resolve the dispute through mediation under the rules of the British Columbia Mediator Roster Society; and
 - (c) if the dispute is not resolved through mediation within 30 Business Days of the commencement of mediation, the dispute must be referred to and finally resolved by arbitration under the *Arbitration Act*.

Location of arbitration or mediation

12.2 Unless the parties otherwise agree in writing, an arbitration or mediation under section 12.1 will be held in Victoria, British Columbia.

Costs of mediation or arbitration

12.3 Unless the parties otherwise agree in writing or, in the case of an arbitration, the arbitrator otherwise orders, the parties must share equally the costs of a mediation or arbitration under section 12.1 other than those costs relating to the production of expert evidence or representation by counsel.

13 MISCELLANEOUS

Delivery of notices

- 13.1 Any notice contemplated by this Agreement, to be effective, must be in writing and delivered as follows:
 - (a) by fax to the addressee's fax number specified on the first page of this Agreement, in which case it will be deemed to be received on the day of transmittal unless transmitted after the normal business hours of the addressee or on a day that is not a Business Day, in which cases it will be deemed to be received on the next following Business Day;
 - (b) by hand to the addressee's address specified on the first page of this Agreement, in which case it will be deemed to be received on the day of its delivery; or
 - (c) by prepaid post to the addressee's address specified on the first page of this Agreement, in which case if mailed during any period when normal postal services prevail, it will be deemed to be received on the fifth Business Day after its mailing.

Change of address or fax number

Either party may from time to time give notice to the other party of a substitute address or fax number, which from the date such notice is given will supersede for purposes of section 13.1 any previous address or fax number specified for the party giving the notice.

Assignment

13.3 The Contractor must not assign any of the Contractor's rights under this Agreement without the Province's prior written consent.

Subcontracting

- 13.4 The Contractor must not subcontract any of the Contractor's obligations under this Agreement to any person without the Province's prior written consent, excepting persons listed in the attached Schedule C. No subcontract, whether consented to or not, relieves the Contractor from any obligations under this Agreement. The Contractor must ensure that:
 - (a) any person retained by the Contractor to perform obligations under this Agreement; and
 - (b) any person retained by a person described in paragraph (a) to perform those obligations fully complies with this Agreement in performing the subcontracted obligations.

Waiver

A waiver of any term or breach of this Agreement is effective only if it is in writing and signed by, or on behalf of, the waiving party and is not a waiver of any other term or breach.

Modifications

13.6 No modification of this Agreement is effective unless it is in writing and signed by, or on behalf of, the parties.

Entire agreement

13.7 This Agreement (including any modification of it) constitutes the entire agreement between the parties as to performance of the Services.

Survival of certain provisions

13.8 Sections 2.9, 3.1 to 3.4, 3.7, 3.8, 5.1 to 5.5, 6.1 to 6.4, 7.1, 7.2, 8.1, 9.1, 9.2, 9.5, 10.1 to 10.3, 11.2, 11.3, 11.5, 11.6, 12.1 to 12.3, 13.1, 13.2, 13.8, and 13.10, any accrued but unpaid payment obligations, and any other sections of this Agreement (including schedules) which, by their terms or nature, are intended to survive the completion of the Services or termination of this Agreement, will continue in force indefinitely, even after this Agreement ends.

Schedules

13.9 The schedules to this Agreement (including any appendices or other documents attached to, or incorporated by reference into, those schedules) are part of this Agreement.

Independent contractor

- 13.10 In relation to the performance of the Contractor's obligations under this Agreement, the Contractor is an independent contractor and not:
 - (a) an employee or partner of the Province; or
 - (b) an agent of the Province except as may be expressly provided for in this Agreement.

The Contractor must not act or purport to act contrary to this section.

Personnel not to be employees of Province

13.11 The Contractor must not do anything that would result in personnel hired or used by the Contractor or a Subcontractor in relation to providing the Services being considered employees of the Province.

Key Personnel

13.12 If one or more individuals are specified as "Key Personnel" of the Contractor in Part 4 of Schedule A, the Contractor must cause those individuals to perform the Services on the Contractor's behalf, unless the Province otherwise approves in writing, which approval must not be unreasonably withheld.

Pertinent information

13.13 The Province must make available to the Contractor all information in the Province's possession which the Province considers pertinent to the performance of the Services.

Conflict of interest

13.14 The Contractor must not provide any services to any person in circumstances which, in the Province's reasonable opinion, could give rise to a conflict of interest between the Contractor's duties to that person and the Contractor's duties to the Province under this Agreement.

Time

13.15 Time is of the essence in this Agreement and, without limitation, will remain of the essence after any modification or extension of this Agreement, whether or not expressly restated in the document effecting the modification or extension.

Conflicts among provisions

- 13.16 Conflicts among provisions of this Agreement will be resolved as follows:
 - (a) a provision in the body of this Agreement will prevail over any conflicting provision in, attached to or incorporated by reference into a schedule, unless that conflicting provision expressly states otherwise; and
 - (b) a provision in a schedule will prevail over any conflicting provision in a document attached to or incorporated by reference into a schedule, unless the schedule expressly states otherwise.

Agreement not permit nor fetter

13.17 This Agreement does not operate as a permit, license, approval or other statutory authority which the Contractor may be required to obtain from the Province or any of its agencies in order to provide the Services. Nothing in this Agreement is to be construed as interfering with, or fettering in any manner, the exercise by the Province or its agencies of any statutory, prerogative, executive or legislative power or duty.

Remainder not affected by invalidity

13.18 If any provision of this Agreement or the application of it to any person or circumstance is invalid or unenforceable to any extent, the remainder of this Agreement and the application of such provision to any other person or circumstance will not be affected or impaired and will be valid and enforceable to the extent permitted by law.

Further assurances

Each party must perform the acts, execute and deliver the writings, and give the assurances as may be reasonably necessary to give full effect to this Agreement.

Additional terms

13.20 Any additional terms set out in the attached Schedule F apply to this Agreement.

Governing law

13.21 This Agreement is governed by, and is to be interpreted and construed in accordance with, the laws applicable in British Columbia.

14 INTERPRETATION

- 14.1 In this Agreement:
 - (a) "includes" and "including" are not intended to be limiting;
 - (b) unless the context otherwise requires, references to sections by number are to sections of this Agreement;
 - (c) the Contractor and the Province are referred to as "the parties" and each of them as a "party";
 - (d) "attached" means attached to this Agreement when used in relation to a schedule;
 - (e) unless otherwise specified, a reference to a statute by name means the statute of British Columbia by that name, as amended or replaced from time to time;
 - (f) the headings have been inserted for convenience of reference only and are not intended to describe, enlarge or restrict the scope or meaning of this Agreement or any provision of it;
 - (g) "person" includes an individual, partnership, corporation or legal entity of any nature; and
 - (h) unless the context otherwise requires, words expressed in the singular include the plural and *vice versa*.

15 EXECUTION AND DELIVERY OF AGREEMENT

15.1 This Agreement may be entered into by a separate copy of this Agreement being executed by, or on behalf of, each party and that executed copy being delivered to the other party by a method provided for in section 13.1 or any other method agreed to by the parties.

The parties have executed this Agreement as follows:

SIGNED on the day of day of 2014 by the Contractor (or, if not an individual, on its behalf by its authorized	SIGNED on the day of, 20 /f on behalf of the Province by its duly authorized representative:
Signatory or signatories): Signature(s)	Illur-
Jonalan Oddlei Fson Print Name(s)	Print Name
Print Title(s)	Print Title

Schedule A - Services

PART 1. TERM:

1. The term of this Agreement commences on December 30, 2013, and ends on December 29, 2016.

PART 2. SERVICES:

During the Term of this Agreement, the Contractor must provide the following services:

- (a) attend the hearing as a member of the Audit Hearing Panel;
- (b) review such evidence as the parities to a hearing allow, or the panel orders, prior to the commencement of the hearing;
- (c) immediately notify the Province of any scheduling conflicts upon notification of hearing dates;
- (d) attend and participate in the post-hearing deliberations to review the evidence and render a decision; and,
- (e) prepare or participate in the preparation of the reasons for the decisions of the Panel.

All services are subject to Ministry Review, acceptance and sign-off.

The Ministry makes no guarantee as to the maximum number of billable hours under this Agreement.

PART 3. RELATED DOCUMENTATION:

Not applicable.

PART 4. KEY PERSONNEL:

1. Jonalan (Jay) Oddleifson

Schedule B - Fees and Expenses

1. MAXIMUM AMOUNT PAYABLE:

<u>Maximum Amount</u>: Despite sections 2 and 3 of this Schedule, \$74,999.99 is the maximum amount which the Province is obliged to pay to the Contractor for fees and expenses under this Agreement (exclusive of any applicable taxes described in section 3.1(c) of this Agreement).

Time spent eligible for remuneration consists of the following:

- a) any preparation for a hearing, attendance at the location of the hearing and any other related work done, as requested by the Province, Commission or the Audit Hearing Panel;
- b) travel time from the Contractor's office/residence to the location of the hearing will be paid at the rate specified below, by most expedient mode of transportation; (if the Contractor chooses to travel via a slower mode of transportation that incurs greater travel time costs, for example driving vs. flying, his or her claim for travel time may be reduced);

 If unsure, please contact Administration at (250) 952-2732 or email HLTH.BIP@gov.bc.ca prior to travelling to determine the most economical method.
- c) in the event that the hearing takes less than the schedule time allotted, the Contractor can be compensated for the time scheduled for the hearing. For this purpose, one day is equal to 7 hours;
- d) in the event that the hearing is cancelled and less than 21 days notice given to the Contractor, the Contractor will be compensated for the time scheduled for the audit hearing in which regular work activities could not be rescheduled. The Contractor will submit a detailed calculation of the fees claimed, including hours and dates. For this purpose, one day is equal to 7 hours; and,
- e) in the event that the hearing is cancelled and the flight cannot be refunded, the Province will reimburse the Contractor the entire amount of the flight. If the flight can be re-booked for other business required by the Contractor, the Province will pay for any additional fees to re-book the flight.

2. FEES:

Daily Rate

<u>Fees</u>: at a rate of \$500.00 per day (based on a day of 7 hours) for those days during the Term when the Contractor provides the Services. If the Contractor provides the Services for less than the required hours on any day, then fees for that day will be reduced proportionally.

3. EXPENSES:

Expenses:

- a. Travel, accommodation and meal expenses for travel greater than 32 kilometers away from on the same basis as the Province pays its Group II employees when they are on travel status;
- b. the Contractor's actual long distance telephone, fax, postage and other identifiable communication expenses; and
- refer to Appendix 1 for allowable expenses;

excluding goods and services tax ("GST") or other applicable tax paid or payable by the Contractor on expenses described in (a) to (c) above to the extent that the Contractor is entitled to claim credits (including GST input tax credits), rebates, refunds or remissions of the tax from the relevant taxation authorities.

4. STATEMENTS OF ACCOUNT:

<u>Statements of Account</u>: In order to obtain payment of any fees and expenses under this Agreement for a period from and including the first day of a month to and including the last day of that month (each a "Billing Period"), the Contractor must deliver to the Province on a date after the Billing Period (each a "Billing Date"), a written statement of account in a form satisfactory to the Province containing:

- (a) the Contractor's legal name and address;
- (b) the date of the statement, and the Billing Period to which the statement pertains;
- (c) the Contractor's calculation of all fees claimed for that Billing Period, including a declaration by the Contractor of all hours worked; for which the Contractor claims fees and a description of the applicable fee rates;
- (d) a chronological listing, in reasonable detail, of any expenses claimed by the Contractor for the Billing Period with receipts attached, if applicable, and, if the Contractor is claiming reimbursement of any GST or other applicable taxes paid or payable by the Contractor in relation to those expenses, a description of any credits, rebates, refunds or remissions the Contractor is entitled to from the relevant taxation authorities in relation to those taxes;
- (e) the Contractor's calculation of any applicable taxes payable by the Province in relation to the Services for the Billing Period;
- (f) a description of this Agreement;
- (g) a statement number for identification; and
- (h) any other billing information reasonably requested by the Province.

5. PAYMENTS DUE:

<u>Payments Due</u>: Within 30 days of the Province's receipt of the Contractor's written statement of account delivered in accordance with this Schedule, the Province must pay the Contractor the fees and expenses (plus all applicable taxes) claimed in the statement if they are in accordance with this Schedule. Statements of account or contract invoices offering an early payment discount may be paid by the Province as required to obtain the discount.

Schedule C – Approved Subcontractor(s)

The Contractor must not subcontract any obligation under t	nis Agreement witho	out the prior writte	n consent from
the Province.		-	

Schedule D – Insurance

Not Applicable.

Schedule E - Privacy Protection Schedule

Definitions

- In this Schedule,
 - (a) "access" means disclosure by the provision of access;
 - (b) "Act" means the Freedom of Information and Protection of Privacy Act (British Columbia);
 - (c) "contact information" means information to enable an individual at a place of business to be contacted and includes the name, position name or title, business telephone number, business address, business email or business fax number of the individual;
 - (d) "personal information" means recorded information about an identifiable individual, other than contact information, collected or created by the Contractor as a result of the Agreement or any previous agreement between the Province and the Contractor dealing with the same subject matter as the Agreement but excluding any such information that, if this Schedule did not apply to it, would not be under the "control of a public body" within the meaning of the Act.

Purpose

- 2. The purpose of this Schedule is to:
 - (a) enable the Province to comply with the Province's statutory obligations under the Act with respect to personal information; and
 - (b) ensure that, as a service provider, the Contractor is aware of and complies with the Contractor's statutory obligations under the Act with respect to personal information.

Collection of personal information

- 3. Unless the Agreement otherwise specifies or the Province otherwise directs in writing, the Contractor may only collect or create personal information that is necessary for the performance of the Contractor's obligations, or the exercise of the Contractor's rights, under the Agreement.
- 4. Unless the Agreement otherwise specifies or the Province otherwise directs in writing, the Contractor must collect personal information directly from the individual the information is about.
- 5. Unless the Agreement otherwise specifies or the Province otherwise directs in writing, the Contractor must tell an individual from whom the Contractor collects personal information:
 - (a) the purpose for collecting it;
 - (b) the legal authority for collecting it; and
 - (c) the title, business address and business telephone number of the person designated by the Province to answer questions about the Contractor's collection of personal information.

Accuracy of personal information

6. The Contractor must make every reasonable effort to ensure the accuracy and completeness of any personal information to be used by the Contractor or the Province to make a decision that directly affects the individual the information is about.

Requests for access to personal information

7. If the Contractor receives a request for access to personal information from a person other than the Province, the Contractor must promptly advise the person to make the request to the Province unless the Agreement

expressly requires the Contractor to provide such access and, if the Province has advised the Contractor of the name or title and contact information of an official of the Province to whom such requests are to be made, the Contractor must also promptly provide that official's name or title and contact information to the person making the request.

Correction of personal information

- 8. Within 5 Business Days of receiving a written direction from the Province to correct or annotate any personal information, the Contractor must correct or annotate the information in accordance with the direction.
- 9. When issuing a written direction under section 8, the Province must advise the Contractor of the date the correction request to which the direction relates was received by the Province in order that the Contractor may comply with section 10.
- 10. Within 5 Business Days of correcting or annotating any personal information under section 8, the Contractor must provide the corrected or annotated information to any party to whom, within one year prior to the date the correction request was made to the Province, the Contractor disclosed the information being corrected or annotated.
- 11. If the Contractor receives a request for correction of personal information from a person other than the Province, the Contractor must promptly advise the person to make the request to the Province and, if the Province has advised the Contractor of the name or title and contact information of an official of the Province to whom such requests are to be made, the Contractor must also promptly provide that official's name or title and contact information to the person making the request.

Protection of personal information

12. The Contractor must protect personal information by making reasonable security arrangements against such risks as unauthorized access, collection, use, disclosure or disposal, including any expressly set out in the Agreement.

Storage and access to personal information

13. Unless the Province otherwise directs in writing, the Contractor must not store personal information outside Canada or permit access to personal information from outside Canada.

Retention of personal information

14. Unless the Agreement otherwise specifies, the Contractor must retain personal information until directed by the Province in writing to dispose of it or deliver it as specified in the direction.

Use of personal information

15. Unless the Province otherwise directs in writing, the Contractor may only use personal information if that use is for the performance of the Contractor's obligations, or the exercise of the Contractor's rights, under the Agreement.

Disclosure of personal information

- 16. Unless the Province otherwise directs in writing, the Contractor may only disclose personal information inside Canada to any person other than the Province if the disclosure is for the performance of the Contractor's obligations, or the exercise of the Contractor's rights, under the Agreement.
- 17. Unless the Agreement otherwise specifies or the Province otherwise directs in writing, the Contractor must not disclose personal information outside Canada.

Notice of foreign demands for disclosure

- 18. In addition to any obligation the Contractor may have to provide the notification contemplated by section 30.2 of the Act, if in relation to personal information in the custody or under the control of the Contractor, the Contractor:
 - (a) receives a foreign demand for disclosure;
 - (b) receives a request to disclose, produce or provide access that the Contractor knows or has reason to suspect is for the purpose of responding to a foreign demand for disclosure; or
 - (c) has reason to suspect that an unauthorized disclosure of personal information has occurred in response to a foreign demand for disclosure

the Contractor must immediately notify the Province and, in so doing, provide the information described in section 30.2(3) of the Act. In this section, the phrases "foreign demand for disclosure" and "unauthorized disclosure of personal information" will bear the same meanings as in section 30.2 of the Act.

Notice of unauthorized disclosure

19. In addition to any obligation the Contractor may have to provide the notification contemplated by section 30.5 of the Act, if the Contractor knows that there has been an unauthorized disclosure of personal information in the custody or under the control of the Contractor, the Contractor must immediately notify the Province. In this section, the phrase "unauthorized disclosure of personal information" will bear the same meaning as in section 30.5 of the Act.

Inspection of personal information

20. In addition to any other rights of inspection the Province may have under the Agreement or under statute, the Province may, at any reasonable time and on reasonable notice to the Contractor, enter on the Contractor's premises to inspect any personal information in the possession of the Contractor or any of the Contractor's information management policies or practices relevant to the Contractor's management of personal information or the Contractor's compliance with this Schedule, and the Contractor must permit and provide reasonable assistance to any such inspection.

Compliance with the Act and directions

- 21. The Contractor must in relation to personal information comply with:
 - (a) the requirements of the Act applicable to the Contractor as a service provider, including any applicable order of the commissioner under the Act; and
 - (b) any direction given by the Province under this Schedule.
- 22. The Contractor acknowledges that it is familiar with the requirements of the Act governing personal information that are applicable to it as a service provider.

Notice of non-compliance

23. If for any reason the Contractor does not comply, or anticipates that it will be unable to comply, with a provision in this Schedule in any respect, the Contractor must promptly notify the Province of the particulars of the non-compliance or anticipated non-compliance and what steps it proposes to take to address, or prevent recurrence of, the non-compliance or anticipated non-compliance.

Termination of Agreement

24. In addition to any other rights of termination which the Province may have under the Agreement or otherwise at law, the Province may, subject to any provisions in the Agreement establishing mandatory cure periods for defaults by the Contractor, terminate the Agreement by giving written notice of such termination to the Contractor, upon any failure of the Contractor to comply with this Schedule in a material respect.

Interpretation

- 25. In this Schedule, references to sections by number are to sections of this Schedule unless otherwise specified in this Schedule.
- 26. Any reference to the "Contractor" in this Schedule includes any subcontractor or agent retained by the Contractor to perform obligations under the Agreement and the Contractor must ensure that any such subcontractors and agents comply with this Schedule.
- 27. The obligations of the Contractor in this Schedule will survive the termination of the Agreement.
- 28. If a provision of the Agreement (including any direction given by the Province under this Schedule) conflicts with a requirement of the Act or an applicable order of the commissioner under the Act, the conflicting provision of the Agreement (or direction) will be inoperative to the extent of the conflict.
- 29. The Contractor must comply with the provisions of this Schedule despite any conflicting provision of this Agreement or, subject to section 30, the law of any jurisdiction outside Canada.
- 30. Nothing in this Schedule requires the Contractor to contravene the law of any jurisdiction outside Canada unless such contravention is required to comply with the Act.

Schedule F – Additional Terms

- 1. Contractor Identification During the term of this agreement and at the request of the Province, contractors shall identify themselves as contractors to the ministry. This may be in the form of email signature blocks, business cards, correspondence, and verbal business dealings.
- 2. The Contractor has been appointed to a panel established by the Health Care Practitioners Special Committee for Audit Hearings to hear matters under Sections 15 and 37 of the Act.
- 3. The Province will indemnify and save harmless the Contractor from any losses, claims, damages, actions, causes of action, costs and expenses that the Contractor may sustain, incur, suffer or be put to at any time, either before or after this Agreement ends, which are based upon, arise out of or occur, directly or indirectly, by reason of any professional act or omission by the Contractor in providing the Services, except liability arising from the wilful misconduct, bad faith or independent negligent act of the Contractor, to the extent that the Contractor is not provided coverage by the Canadian Medical Protective Association or any other insurance or indemnification.
- 4. The Province will indemnify and save harmless the Contractor from any losses, claims, damages, actions, causes of action, costs and expenses that the Contractor may sustain, incur, suffer or be put to at any time, either before or after this Agreement ends, which are based upon, arise out of or occur, directly or indirectly, by reason of any act or omission of the Province or any of its agents or employees in carrying out the Province's obligations under this Agreement, except liability arising from the wilful misconduct, bad faith or independent negligent act of the Contractor.

Schedule G - Security Schedule

Definitions

- 1. In this Schedule,
 - (a) "Equipment" means any equipment, including interconnected systems or subsystems of equipment, software and networks, used or to be used by the Contractor to provide the Services;
 - (b) "Facilities" means any facilities at which the Contractor provides or is to provide the Services;
 - (c) "Information" means information
 - (i) in the Material, or
 - (ii) accessed, produced or obtained by the Contractor (whether verbally, electronically or otherwise) as a result of the Agreement;
 - (d) "Record" means a "record" as defined in the Interpretation Act;
 - (e) "Sensitive Information" means
 - (i) Information that is "personal information" as defined in the Freedom of Information and Protection of Privacy Act, or
 - (ii) any other Information specified as "Sensitive Information" in Appendix G6, if attached; and
 - (f) "Services Worker" means an individual involved in providing the Services for or on behalf of the Contractor and, for greater certainty, may include
 - (i) the Contractor or a subcontractor if an individual, or
 - (ii) an employee or volunteer of the Contractor or of a subcontractor.

Schedule contains additional obligations

2. The obligations of the Contractor in this Schedule are in addition to any other obligations in the Agreement or the schedules attached to it relating to security including, without limitation, the obligations of the Contractor in the Privacy Protection Schedule, if attached.

Services Worker confidentiality agreements

3. The Contractor must not permit a Services Worker who is an employee or volunteer of the Contractor to have access to Sensitive Information unless the Services Worker has first entered into a confidentiality agreement with the Contractor to keep Sensitive Information confidential on substantially similar terms as those that apply to the Contractor under the Agreement.

Services Worker security screening

4. The Contractor may only permit a Services Worker who is an employee or a volunteer of the Contractor to have access to Sensitive Information or otherwise be involved in providing the Services if, after having subjected the Services Worker to the personnel security screening requirements set out in Appendix G1 and any additional requirements the Contractor may consider appropriate, the Contractor is satisfied that the Services Worker does not constitute an unreasonable security risk. The Contractor must create, obtain and retain Records documenting the Contractor's compliance with the security screening requirements set out in Appendix G1 in accordance with the provisions of that appendix.

Services Worker activity logging

- 5. Subject to section 6, the Contractor must create and maintain detailed Records logging the activities of all Service Workers in relation to:
 - (a) their access to Sensitive Information; and
 - (b) other matters specified by the Province in writing for the purposes of this section.
- 6. The Records described in section 5 must be made and maintained in a manner, and contain information, specified in Appendix G2, if attached.

Facilities and Equipment protection and access control

- 7. The Contractor must create, maintain and follow a documented process to:
 - (a) protect Facilities and Equipment of the Contractor required by the Contractor to provide the Services from loss, damage or any other occurrence that may result in any of those Facilities and Equipment being unavailable when required to provide the Services; and
 - (b) limit access to Facilities and Equipment of the Contractor
 - (i) being used by the Contractor to provide the Services, or
 - (ii) that may be used by someone to access Information

to those persons who are authorized to have that access and for the purposes for which they are authorized, which process must include measures to verify the identity of those persons.

8. If the Province makes available to the Contractor any Facilities or Equipment of the Province for the use of the Contractor in providing the Services, the Contractor must comply with any policies and procedures provided to it by the Province on acceptable use, protection of, and access to, such Facilities or Equipment.

Sensitive Information access control

- 9. The Contractor must:
 - (a) create, maintain and follow a documented process for limiting access to Sensitive Information to those persons who are authorized to have that access and for the purposes for which they are authorized, which process must include measures to verify the identity of those persons; and
 - (b) comply with the information access control requirements set out in Appendix G3, if attached.

Integrity of Information

- 10. The Contractor must:
 - (a) create, maintain and follow a documented process for maintaining the integrity of Information while possessed or accessed by the Contractor; and
 - (b) comply with the information integrity requirements set out in Appendix G4, if attached.
- 11. For the purposes of section 10, maintaining the integrity of Information means that, except to the extent expressly authorized by the Agreement or approved in writing by the Province, the Information has:

- (a) remained as complete as when it was acquired or accessed by the Contractor; and
- (b) not been altered in any material respect.

Documentation of changes to processes

12. The Contractor must create and maintain detailed Records logging any changes it makes to the processes described in sections 7, 9 and 10.

Notice of security breaches

- 13. If Contractor becomes aware that:
 - (a) unauthorized access, collection, use, disclosure, alteration or disposal of Information or Records containing Information; or
 - (b) unauthorized access to Facilities or Equipment

has occurred or is likely to occur (whether or not related to a failure by the Contractor to comply with this Schedule or the Agreement), the Contractor must immediately notify the Province of the particulars of that occurrence or likely occurrence. If the Contractor provides a notification under this section other than in writing, that notification must be confirmed in writing to the Province as soon as it is reasonably practicable for the Contractor to do so.

Review of security breaches

14. If the Province decides to conduct a review of a matter described in section 13 (whether or not the matter came to the attention of the Province as a result of a notification under section 13), the Contractor must, on the request of the Province, participate in the review to the extent that it is reasonably practicable for the Contractor to do so.

Retention of Records

15. Unless the Agreement otherwise specifies, the Contractor must retain all Records in the Contractor's possession that contain Information until directed by the Province in writing to dispose of them or deliver them as specified in the direction.

Storage of Records

16. Until disposed of or delivered in accordance with section 15, the Contractor must store any Records in the Contractor's possession that contain Information in accordance with the provisions of Appendix G5, if attached.

Audit

- 17. In addition to any other rights of inspection the Province may have under the Agreement or under statute, the Province may, at any reasonable time and on reasonable notice to the Contractor, enter on the Contractor's premises to inspect and, at the Province's discretion, copy:
 - (a) any Records in the possession of the Contractor containing Information; or
 - (b) any of the Contractor's Information management policies or processes (including the processes described in sections 7, 9 and 10 and the logs described in sections 5 and 12) relevant to the Contractor's compliance with this Schedule

and the Contractor must permit, and provide reasonable assistance to the exercise by the Province of the Province's rights under this section.

Termination of Agreement

18. In addition to any other rights of termination which the Province may have under the Agreement or otherwise at law, the Province may, subject to any provisions in the Agreement establishing mandatory cure periods for defaults by the Contractor, terminate the Agreement by giving written notice of such termination to the Contractor, upon any failure of the Contractor to comply with this Schedule in a material respect.

Interpretation

- 19. In this Schedule, unless otherwise specified:
 - (a) references to sections are to sections of this Schedule; and
 - (b) references to appendices are to the appendices attached to this Schedule.
- 20. Any reference to the "Contractor" in this Schedule includes any subcontractor retained by the Contractor to perform obligations under the Agreement and the Contractor must ensure that any such subcontractors comply with this Schedule.
- 21. The appendices attached to this Schedule are part of this Schedule.
- 22. If there is a conflict between a provision in an appendix attached to this Schedule and any other provision of this Schedule, the provision in the appendix is inoperative to the extent of the conflict unless the appendix states that it operates despite a conflicting provision of this Schedule.
- 23. If there is a conflict between:
 - (a) a provision of the Agreement, this Schedule or an appendix attached to this Schedule; and
 - (b) a documented process required by this Schedule to be created or maintained by the Contractor the provision of the Agreement, Schedule or appendix will prevail to the extent of the conflict.
- 24. The obligations of the Contractor in this Schedule will survive the termination of the Agreement.

SCHEDULE G - Appendix G1 - Security screening requirements

The personnel security screening requirements set out in this Appendix G1 are for the purpose of assisting the Contractor determine whether or not a Services Worker constitutes an unreasonable security risk.

Verification of name, date of birth and address

1. The Contractor must verify the name, date of birth and current address of a Services Worker by viewing at least one piece of "primary identification" of the Services Worker and at least one piece of "secondary identification" of the Services Worker,* as described in the table following this section. The Contractor must obtain or create, as applicable, Records of all such verifications and retain a copy of those Records. For a Services Worker from another province or jurisdiction, reasonably equivalent identification documents are acceptable.

Primary Identification	Secondary Identification
B.C. driver's licence or learner's licence (must have photo) B.C. Identification (BCID) card Issued by provincial or territorial government: Canadian birth certificate Issued by Government of Canada: Canadian Citizenship Card Permanent Resident Card Canadian Record of Landing/Canadian Immigration Identification Record	 School ID card (student card) Bank card (only if holder's name is on card) Credit card (only if holder's name is on card) Passport Foreign birth certificate (a baptismal certificate is not acceptable) Canadian or U.S. driver's licence Naturalization certificate Canadian Forces identification Police identification Foreign Affairs Canada or consular identification Vehicle registration (only if owner's signature is shown) Picture employee ID card Firearms Acquisition Certificate Social Insurance Card (only if has signature strip) B.C. CareCard Native Status Card Parole Certificate ID Correctional Service Conditional Release Card

*It is not necessary that each piece of identification viewed by the Contractor contains the name, date of birth and current address of the Services Worker. It is sufficient that, in combination, the identification viewed contains that information.

Verification of education and professional qualifications

2. The Contractor must verify, by reasonable means, any relevant education and professional qualifications of a Services Worker, obtain or create, as applicable, Records of all such verifications, and retain a copy of those Records.

Verification of employment history and reference checks

3. The Contractor must verify, by reasonable means, any relevant employment history of a Services Worker, which will generally consist of the Contractor requesting that a Services Worker provide employment references and the Contractor contacting those references. If a Services Worker has no relevant employment history, the Contractor must seek to verify the character or other relevant personal characteristics of the Services Worker by requesting the Services Worker to provide one or more personal references and contacting those references. The Contractor must obtain or create, as applicable, Records of all such verifications and retain a copy of those Records.

Security interview

4. The Contractor must allow the Province to conduct a security-focused interview with a Services Worker if the Province identifies a reasonable security concern and notifies the Contractor it wishes to do so.

SCHEDULE G - Appendix G6 - Sensitive Information

In addition to the information described in section 1(e)(i) of this Schedule, the following information is specified as "Sensitive Information" for the purposes of this Schedule:

- (a) Audit report on practitioner
- (b) Audit report
- (c) AIC referral
- (d) All information, records and correspondence regarding the audit.

APPENDIX 1 - Group 2 Rates EXPENSES FOR CONTRACTORS

The following are allowable expenses for contractors. All expenses must be paid by the contractor. Expenses cannot be direct billed to the ministry except in unusual circumstances (in these cases a special clause must be included in the contract). Original receipts must be submitted with the expense claim (when receipts are required) but photocopies of receipts will be accepted if the contractor requires the original for another purpose (e.g., to claim for GST credits).

Travel Expenses

The contractor must be outside their headquarters area (32 kilometres from where they ordinarily perform their duties) to be eligible to claim travel, meal and accommodation expenses.

1. Meal Allowances:

Effective March 29, 2009, the following meal allowances can be claimed which must not exceed \$49.00 per day (receipts are not required):

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Breakfast only	\$22.00	claim if travel starts before 7:00 a.m. or ends after 7:00 a.m.
Lunch only	\$22.00	claim if travel starts before 12:00 noon or ends after 12:00 noon.
Dinner only	\$28.50	claim if travel starts before 6:00 p.m. or ends after 6:00 p.m.
Breakfast and lunch only	\$30.00	see above
Breakfast and dinner only	\$36.50	see above
Lunch and dinner only	\$36.50	see above
Full day	\$49.00	

2. Mileage Rates When Using Private Vehicle:

Effective April 1, 2013 the private mileage allowance is \$.52 per kilometre (receipts are not required). This rate can be claimed when using a private vehicle for travel. It is intended to cover costs of gas and maintenance.

3. Taxi and Parking:

Taxi and parking charges will be reimbursed if receipts/copies of receipts are provided. Tips identified separately on taxi receipts cannot be claimed.

4. Car Rentals:

Approved car rental agencies and the maximum rates for each community are listed at www.pss.gov.bc.ca/csa/categories/vehicle-rentals-daily/html#suppliers. Other agencies are to be used only when these agencies cannot supply vehicles or when renting a vehicle outside BC. Contractors should ask for the government rate. Receipts/copies of receipts are required.

PAI (personal accident insurance) will not be reimbursed. **CDW/LDW** (collision/loss damage waiver) will be reimbursed only when renting from a company not on the approved list for the specific community or when renting outside BC.

5.Accommodation:

a) **Hotel/motel** (Receipt/copy of receipt and proof of payment required).

Approved hotels and the maximum rates that may be claimed for rooms and supplementary items (e.g., parking) are listed in the <u>Accommodation Guide</u>. Rates may vary between summer, winter and shoulder seasons.

Only the single government rate will be reimbursed.

The "number in party" identified on the receipt must show only one person.

Process for Selecting Accommodation:

- Select the most cost-effective hotel from the accommodation quide that meets your business requirements.
- Ensure the expectations of the ministry expense authority are clarified (through the contract manager) regarding the price of accommodation before travel takes place.
- Ensure the rates charged by the hotel for the room and supplementary charges are at or below the rates quoted in the accommodation guide.

If the contractor cannot stay at any of the hotels listed in the guide due to an exceptional or emergency situation, preapproval must be obtained from the ministry expense authority and attached to the expense claim. This approval should be obtained through the contract manager.

 b) *Private lodging* (receipts are not required): \$30 per night may be claimed when private lodging is arranged (e.g., staying with friends).

6. Airfare

Economy airfare only will be reimbursed. Receipts/copies of receipts and proof of payment are required.

7. Miscellaneous Travel Expenses:

Laundry, gratuities, porterage and personal phone calls cannot be claimed. Ferry charges and highway tolls can be claimed if supported by an original receipt. Other miscellaneous expenses incurred when travelling (e.g., courier and photocopying charges) can also be claimed if supported by a receipt/copy of receipt.

8.Out-of-Province Travel:

When B.C. contractors are required to travel out-of-province, a Travel Authorization form approved by the ministry director must accompany the expense claim.

Other Expenses

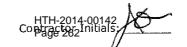
1.Business Expenses (e.g., all costs associated with meetings, including business and guest meals): Claims for business expenses must be accompanied by an approved Business Expense Approval form (which should be completed by the ministry, not the contractor).

2.GST:

When receipts are submitted for reimbursement, they should be adjusted to deduct the embedded GST. A contractor with a GST registration number can claim input tax credits from Canada Revenue Agency.

3.Miscellaneous Expenses (e.g. business telephone/fax calls, newspapers, etc.):

Miscellaneous expenses will be paid if supported by original receipts and in our opinion are necessarily incurred by you in providing the service. Contact the contract manager before incurring any miscellaneous expenses.





CONFIDENTIALITY AGREEMENT/ UNDERTAKING OF CONFIDENTIALITY

Jonalan Oddleifson (the "Contractor") executed a services agreement dated December 30, 2013, (the "Agreement") with Her Majesty the Queen in right of the Province of British Columbia, as represented by the Ministry of Health (the "Province") to provide services to the Ministry of Health. As a result of the Agreement, the Contractor may produce or receive from the Province or another person, accounting records, findings, software, data, code, designs, plans, specifications, drawings, working papers, reports, documents and other material (the "Material").

- I, Jonalan Oddleifson, am the authorized Signatory and Key Personnel of the Contractor. For good and valuable consideration, the receipt and sufficiency of which I acknowledge, I undertake and agree as follows.
- 1. I will treat as confidential and will not, without the prior written consent of the Province use, publish, disclose or permit to be used, published or disclosed, the Material and other information that comes to my knowledge, or is supplied to or obtained by me as a result of the Agreement (collectively, the "Confidential Information"), except:
 - (a) insofar as the Confidential Information to be used, published, or disclosed is general public knowledge or was in my possession prior to the date of the Agreement:
 - (b) insofar as the Confidential Information to be used, published or disclosed is provided by a third party who waives any requirement that it be held confidential; and
 - (c) as such use, publication or disclosure is required by law.
- 2. I agree that the Province, on written notice to me, may end my access to the Confidential Information if I do not adhere to the provisions contained in this Undertaking of Confidentiality.
- 3. On the end of my access to the Confidential Information, or on written request and direction by the Province, I agree to return to the Province, as applicable, within a reasonable time, all Confidential Information in my possession.

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Version Date: October 13, 2011



NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS

As a contractor with the Province, it is your responsibility to abide by all applicable laws. This is to bring to your attention that if you are conducting services for the province, and you also fall within the parameters of the Lobbyists Registration Act, then it is your responsibility to make this determination and register if necessary.

GENERAL SERVICE AGREEMENT



For Administrative Purposes Only		
Ministry Contract No.: 2014-164 Requisition No.:	Financial Information	
Solicitation No.(if applicable):	Client:	026
Commodity Code:	Responsibility Centre:	66925
Contractor Information	Service Line: STOB: Project:	44225 6001/6002 6600000
Supplier Name: Kimberly Dawn Senechal Supplier No.: 2501658 Telephone No.: s.22 E-mail Address: Website: N/A	e: Kimberly Dawn Senechal 2501658 Template version: April 1, 2013 ss:	

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THIS AGREEMENT is dated for reference the 23rd day of December, 2013.

BETWEEN:

 $\underset{s.22}{\underline{KIMBERLY\ DAWN\ SENECHA\underline{L}}\ (the\ "Contractor")\ with\ the\ following\ specified\ address:}$

AND:

HER MAJESTY THE QUEEN IN RIGHT OF THE PROVINCE OF BRITISH COLUMBIA, as represented by the Minister of Health (the "Province") with the following specified address and fax number: 5 – 2, 1515 BLANSHARD STREET VICTORIA BC V8W 3C8 250 952-2605

The Province wishes to retain the Contractor to provide the services specified in Schedule A and, in consideration for the remuneration set out in Schedule B, the Contractor has agreed to provide those services, on the terms and conditions set out in this Agreement.

As a result, the Province and the Contractor agree as follows:

1 DEFINITIONS

General

- 1.1 In this Agreement, unless the context otherwise requires:
 - (a) "Business Day" means a day, other than a Saturday or Sunday, on which Provincial government offices are open for normal business in British Columbia;
 - (b) "Incorporated Material" means any material in existence prior to the start of the Term or developed independently of this Agreement, and that is incorporated or embedded in the Produced Material by the Contractor or a Subcontractor;
 - (c) "Material" means the Produced Material and the Received Material;
 - (d) "Produced Material" means records, software and other material, whether complete or not, that, as a result of this Agreement, are produced by the Contractor or a Subcontractor and includes the Incorporated Material;
 - (e) "Received Material" means records, software and other material, whether complete or not, that, as a result of this Agreement, are received by the Contractor or a Subcontractor from the Province or any other person;
 - (f) "Services" means the services described in Part 2 of Schedule A;
 - (g) "Subcontractor" means a person described in paragraph (a) or (b) of section 13.4; and
 - (h) "Term" means the term of the Agreement described in Part 1 of Schedule A subject to that term ending earlier in accordance with this Agreement.

Meaning of "record"

1.2 The definition of "record" in the *Interpretation Act* is incorporated into this Agreement and "records" will bear a corresponding meaning.

2 SERVICES

Provision of services

2.1 The Contractor must provide the Services in accordance with this Agreement.

Term

2.2 Regardless of the date of execution or delivery of this Agreement, the Contractor must provide the Services during the Term.

Supply of various items

2.3 Unless the parties otherwise agree in writing, the Contractor must supply and pay for all labour, materials, equipment, tools, facilities, approvals and licenses necessary or advisable to perform the Contractor's obligations under this Agreement, including the license under section 6.4.

Standard of care

2.4 Unless otherwise specified in this Agreement, the Contractor must perform the Services to a standard of care, skill and diligence maintained by persons providing, on a commercial basis, services similar to the Services.

Standards in relation to persons performing Services

2.5 The Contractor must ensure that all persons employed or retained to perform the Services are qualified and competent to perform them and are properly trained, instructed and supervised.

Instructions by Province

2.6 The Province may from time to time give the Contractor reasonable instructions (in writing or otherwise) as to the performance of the Services. The Contractor must comply with those instructions but, unless otherwise specified in this Agreement, the Contractor may determine the manner in which the instructions are carried out.

Confirmation of non-written instructions

2.7 If the Province provides an instruction under section 2.6 other than in writing, the Contractor may request that the instruction be confirmed by the Province in writing, which request the Province must comply with as soon as it is reasonably practicable to do so.

Effectiveness of non-written instructions

2.8 Requesting written confirmation of an instruction under section 2.7 does not relieve the Contractor from complying with the instruction at the time the instruction was given.

Applicable laws

2.9 In the performance of the Contractor's obligations under this Agreement, the Contractor must comply with all applicable laws.

3 PAYMENT

Fees and expenses

- 3.1 If the Contractor complies with this Agreement, then the Province must pay to the Contractor at the times and on the conditions set out in Schedule B:
 - (a) the fees described in that Schedule;
 - (b) the expenses, if any, described in that Schedule if they are supported, where applicable, by proper receipts and, in the Province's opinion, are necessarily incurred by the Contractor in providing the Services; and

any applicable taxes payable by the Province under law or agreement with the relevant taxation authorities on the fees and expenses described in paragraphs (a) and (b).

The Province is not obliged to pay to the Contractor more than the "Maximum Amount" specified in Schedule B on account of fees and expenses.

Statements of accounts

3.2 In order to obtain payment of any fees and expenses under this Agreement, the Contractor must submit to the Province a written statement of account in a form satisfactory to the Province upon completion of the Services or at other times described in Schedule B.

Withholding of amounts

3.3 Without limiting section 9.1, the Province may withhold from any payment due to the Contractor an amount sufficient to indemnify, in whole or in part, the Province and its employees and agents against any liens or other third-party claims that have arisen or could arise in connection with the provision of the Services. An amount withheld under this section must be promptly paid by the Province to the Contractor upon the basis for withholding the amount having been fully resolved to the satisfaction of the Province.

Appropriation

3.4 The Province's obligation to pay money to the Contractor is subject to the *Financial Administration Act*, which makes that obligation subject to an appropriation being available in the fiscal year of the Province during which payment becomes due.

Currency

3.5 Unless otherwise specified in this Agreement, all references to money are to Canadian dollars.

Non-resident income tax

3.6 If the Contractor is not a resident in Canada, the Contractor acknowledges that the Province may be required by law to withhold income tax from the fees described in Schedule B and then to remit that tax to the Receiver General of Canada on the Contractor's behalf.

Prohibition against committing money

3.7 Without limiting section 13.10(a), the Contractor must not in relation to performing the Contractor's obligations under this Agreement commit or purport to commit the Province to pay any money except as may be expressly provided for in this Agreement.

Refunds of taxes

3.8 The Contractor must:

- (a) apply for, and use reasonable efforts to obtain, any available refund, credit, rebate or remission of federal, provincial or other tax or duty imposed on the Contractor as a result of this Agreement that the Province has paid or reimbursed to the Contractor or agreed to pay or reimburse to the Contractor under this Agreement; and
- (b) immediately on receiving, or being credited with, any amount applied for under paragraph (a), remit that amount to the Province.

4 REPRESENTATIONS AND WARRANTIES

- 4.1 As at the date this Agreement is executed and delivered by, or on behalf of, the parties, the Contractor represents and warrants to the Province as follows:
 - (a) except to the extent the Contractor has previously disclosed otherwise in writing to the Province,
 - (i) all information, statements, documents and reports furnished or submitted by the Contractor to the Province in connection with this Agreement (including as part of any competitive process resulting in this Agreement being entered into) are in all material respects true and correct,
 - (ii) the Contractor has sufficient trained staff, facilities, materials, appropriate equipment and approved subcontractual agreements in place and available to enable the Contractor to fully perform the Services, and
 - (iii) the Contractor holds all permits, licenses, approvals and statutory authorities issued by any government or government agency that are necessary for the performance of the Contractor's obligations under this Agreement; and
 - (b) if the Contractor is not an individual,
 - (i) the Contractor has the power and capacity to enter into this Agreement and to observe, perform and comply with the terms of this Agreement and all necessary corporate or other proceedings have been taken and done to authorize the execution and delivery of this Agreement by, or on behalf of, the Contractor, and
 - (ii) this Agreement has been legally and properly executed by, or on behalf of, the Contractor and is legally binding upon and enforceable against the Contractor in accordance with its terms except as enforcement may be limited by bankruptcy, insolvency or other laws affecting the rights of creditors generally and except that equitable remedies may be granted only in the discretion of a court of competent jurisdiction.

5 PRIVACY, SECURITY AND CONFIDENTIALITY

Privacy

5.1 The Contractor must comply with the Privacy Protection Schedule attached as Schedule E.

Security .

- 5.2 The Contractor must:
 - (a) make reasonable security arrangements to protect the Material from unauthorized access, collection, use, disclosure, alteration or disposal; and
 - (b) comply with the Security Schedule attached as Schedule G.

Confidentiality

- 5.3 The Contractor must treat as confidential all information in the Material and all other information accessed or obtained by the Contractor or a Subcontractor (whether verbally, electronically or otherwise) as a result of this Agreement, and not permit its disclosure or use without the Province's prior written consent except:
 - (a) as required to perform the Contractor's obligations under this Agreement or to comply with applicable laws;
 - (b) if it is information that is generally known to the public other than as result of a breach of this Agreement; or
 - (c) if it is information in any Incorporated Material.

Public announcements

Any public announcement relating to this Agreement will be arranged by the Province and, if such consultation is reasonably practicable, after consultation with the Contractor.

Restrictions on promotion

5.5 The Contractor must not, without the prior written approval of the Province, refer for promotional purposes to the Province being a customer of the Contractor or the Province having entered into this Agreement.

6 MATERIAL AND INTELLECTUAL PROPERTY

Access to Material

6.1 If the Contractor receives a request for access to any of the Material from a person other than the Province, and this Agreement does not require or authorize the Contractor to provide that access, the Contractor must promptly advise the person to make the request to the Province.

Ownership and delivery of Material

6.2 The Province exclusively owns all property rights in the Material which are not intellectual property rights. The Contractor must deliver any Material to the Province immediately upon the Province's request.

Matters respecting intellectual property

- 6.3 The Province exclusively owns all intellectual property rights, including copyright, in:
 - (a) Received Material that the Contractor receives from the Province; and
 - (b) Produced Material, other than any Incorporated Material.

Upon the Province's request, the Contractor must deliver to the Province documents satisfactory to the Province that irrevocably waive in the Province's favour any moral rights which the Contractor (or employees of the Contractor) or a Subcontractor (or employees of a Subcontractor) may have in the Produced Material and that confirm the vesting in the Province of the copyright in the Produced Material, other than any Incorporated Material.

Rights in relation to Incorporated Material

- 6.4 Upon any Incorporated Material being embedded or incorporated in the Produced Material and to the extent that it remains so embedded or incorporated, the Contractor grants to the Province:
 - (a) a non-exclusive, perpetual, irrevocable, royalty-free, worldwide license to use, reproduce, modify and distribute that Incorporated Material; and
 - (b) the right to sublicense to third-parties the right to use, reproduce, modify and distribute that Incorporated Material.

7 RECORDS AND REPORTS

Work reporting

7.1 Upon the Province's request, the Contractor must fully inform the Province of all work done by the Contractor or a Subcontractor in connection with providing the Services.

Time and expense records

7.2 If Schedule B provides for the Contractor to be paid fees at a daily or hourly rate or for the Contractor to be paid or reimbursed for expenses, the Contractor must maintain time records and books of account, invoices, receipts and vouchers of expenses in support of those payments, in form and content satisfactory to the Province. Unless otherwise specified in this Agreement, the Contractor must retain such documents for a period of not less than seven years after this Agreement ends.

8 AUDIT

8.1 In addition to any other rights of inspection the Province may have under statute or otherwise, the Province may at any reasonable time and on reasonable notice to the Contractor, enter on the Contractor's premises to inspect and, at the Province's discretion, copy any of the Material and the Contractor must permit, and provide reasonable assistance to, the exercise by the Province of the Province's rights under this section.

9 INDEMNITY AND INSURANCE

Indemnity

9.1 The Contractor must indemnify and save harmless the Province and the Province's employees and agents from any losses, claims, damages, actions, causes of action, costs and expenses that the Province or any of the Province's employees or agents may sustain, incur, suffer or be put to at any time, either before or after this Agreement ends, including any claim of infringement of third-party intellectual property rights, where the same or any of them are based upon, arise out of or occur, directly or indirectly, by reason of any act or omission by the Contractor or by any of the Contractor's agents, employees, officers, directors or Subcontractors in connection with this Agreement, excepting always liability arising out of the independent acts or omissions of the Province and the Province's employees and agents.

Insurance

9.2 The Contractor must comply with the Insurance Schedule attached as Schedule D.

Workers compensation

9.3 Without limiting the generality of section 2.9, the Contractor must comply with, and must ensure that any Subcontractors comply with, all applicable occupational health and safety laws in relation to the performance of the Contractor's obligations under this Agreement, including the *Workers Compensation Act* in British Columbia or similar laws in other jurisdictions.

Personal optional protection

- 9.4 The Contractor must apply for and maintain personal optional protection insurance (consisting of income replacement and medical care coverage) during the Term at the Contractor's expense if:
 - (a) the Contractor is an individual or a partnership of individuals and does not have the benefit of mandatory workers compensation coverage under the *Workers Compensation Act* or similar laws in other jurisdictions; and
 - (b) such personal optional protection insurance is available for the Contractor from WorkSafeBC or other sources.

Evidence of coverage

9.5 Within 10 Business Days of being requested to do so by the Province, the Contractor must provide the Province with evidence of the Contractor's compliance with sections 9.3 and 9.4.

10 FORCE MAJEURE

Definitions relating to force majeure

- 10.1 In this section and sections 10.2 and 10.3:
 - (a) "Event of Force Majeure" means one of the following events:
 - (i) a natural disaster, fire, flood, storm, epidemic or power failure,
 - (ii) a war (declared and undeclared), insurrection or act of terrorism or piracy,
 - (iii) a strike (including illegal work stoppage or slowdown) or lockout, or
 - (iv) a freight embargo

if the event prevents a party from performing the party's obligations in accordance with this Agreement and is beyond the reasonable control of that party; and

(b) "Affected Party" means a party prevented from performing the party's obligations in accordance with this Agreement by an Event of Force Majeure.

Consequence of Event of Force Majeure

An Affected Party is not liable to the other party for any failure or delay in the performance of the Affected Party's obligations under this Agreement resulting from an Event of Force Majeure and any time periods for the performance of such obligations are automatically extended for the duration of the Event of Force Majeure provided that the Affected Party complies with the requirements of section 10.3.

Duties of Affected Party

10.3 An Affected Party must promptly notify the other party in writing upon the occurrence of the Event of Force Majeure and make all reasonable efforts to prevent, control or limit the effect of the Event of Force Majeure so as to resume compliance with the Affected Party's obligations under this Agreement as soon as possible.

11 DEFAULT AND TERMINATION

Definitions relating to default and termination

- 11.1 In this section and sections 11.2 to 11.4:
 - (a) "Event of Default" means any of the following:
 - (i) an Insolvency Event,
 - (ii) the Contractor fails to perform any of the Contractor's obligations under this Agreement, or
 - (iii) any representation or warranty made by the Contractor in this Agreement is untrue or incorrect; and
 - (b) "Insolvency Event" means any of the following:
 - (i) an order is made, a resolution is passed or a petition is filed, for the Contractor's liquidation or winding up,
 - (ii) the Contractor commits an act of bankruptcy, makes an assignment for the benefit of the Contractor's creditors or otherwise acknowledges the Contractor's insolvency,
 - (iii) a bankruptcy petition is filed or presented against the Contractor or a proposal under the *Bankruptcy and Insolvency Act* (Canada) is made by the Contractor,
 - (iv) a compromise or arrangement is proposed in respect of the Contractor under the Companies' Creditors Arrangement Act (Canada),
 - (v) a receiver or receiver-manager is appointed for any of the Contractor's property, or

(vi) the Contractor ceases, in the Province's reasonable opinion, to carry on business as a going concern.

Province's options on default

- On the happening of an Event of Default, or at any time thereafter, the Province may, at its option, elect to do any one or more of the following:
 - (a) by written notice to the Contractor, require that the Event of Default be remedied within a time period specified in the notice;
 - (b) pursue any remedy or take any other action available to it at law or in equity; or
 - (c) by written notice to the Contractor, terminate this Agreement with immediate effect or on a future date specified in the notice, subject to the expiration of any time period specified under section 11.2(a).

Delay not a waiver

11.3 No failure or delay on the part of the Province to exercise its rights in relation to an Event of Default will constitute a waiver by the Province of such rights.

Province's right to terminate other than for default

In addition to the Province's right to terminate this Agreement under section 11.2(c) on the happening of an Event of Default, the Province may terminate this Agreement for any reason by giving at least 10 days' written notice of termination to the Contractor.

Payment consequences of termination

- 11.5 Unless Schedule B otherwise provides, if the Province terminates this Agreement under section 11.4:
 - (a) the Province must, within 30 days of such termination, pay to the Contractor any unpaid portion of the fees and expenses described in Schedule B which corresponds with the portion of the Services that was completed to the Province's satisfaction before termination of this Agreement; and
 - (b) the Contractor must, within 30 days of such termination, repay to the Province any paid portion of the fees and expenses described in Schedule B which corresponds with the portion of the Services that the Province has notified the Contractor in writing was not completed to the Province's satisfaction before termination of this Agreement.

Discharge of liability

11.6 The payment by the Province of the amount described in section 11.5(a) discharges the Province from all liability to make payments to the Contractor under this Agreement.

Notice in relation to Events of Default

11.7 If the Contractor becomes aware that an Event of Default has occurred or anticipates that an Event of Default is likely to occur, the Contractor must promptly notify the Province of the particulars of the Event of Default or anticipated Event of Default. A notice under this section as to the occurrence of an Event of Default must also specify the steps the Contractor proposes to take to address, or prevent recurrence of, the Event of Default. A notice under this section as to an anticipated Event of Default must specify the steps the Contractor proposes to take to prevent the occurrence of the anticipated Event of Default.

12 DISPUTE RESOLUTION

Dispute resolution process

- In the event of any dispute between the parties arising out of or in connection with this Agreement, the following dispute resolution process will apply unless the parties otherwise agree in writing:
 - (a) the parties must initially attempt to resolve the dispute through collaborative negotiation;
 - (b) if the dispute is not resolved through collaborative negotiation within 15 Business Days of the dispute arising, the parties must then attempt to resolve the dispute through mediation under the rules of the British Columbia Mediator Roster Society; and
 - (c) if the dispute is not resolved through mediation within 30 Business Days of the commencement of mediation, the dispute must be referred to and finally resolved by arbitration under the *Arbitration Act*.

Location of arbitration or mediation

12.2 Unless the parties otherwise agree in writing, an arbitration or mediation under section 12.1 will be held in Victoria, British Columbia.

Costs of mediation or arbitration

12.3 Unless the parties otherwise agree in writing or, in the case of an arbitration, the arbitrator otherwise orders, the parties must share equally the costs of a mediation or arbitration under section 12.1 other than those costs relating to the production of expert evidence or representation by counsel.

13 MISCELLANEOUS

Delivery of notices

- 13.1 Any notice contemplated by this Agreement, to be effective, must be in writing and delivered as follows:
 - (a) by fax to the addressee's fax number specified on the first page of this Agreement, in which case it will be deemed to be received on the day of transmittal unless transmitted after the normal business hours of the addressee or on a day that is not a Business Day, in which cases it will be deemed to be received on the next following Business Day;
 - (b) by hand to the addressee's address specified on the first page of this Agreement, in which case it will be deemed to be received on the day of its delivery; or
 - (c) by prepaid post to the addressee's address specified on the first page of this Agreement, in which case if mailed during any period when normal postal services prevail, it will be deemed to be received on the fifth Business Day after its mailing.

Change of address or fax number

13.2 Either party may from time to time give notice to the other party of a substitute address or fax number, which from the date such notice is given will supersede for purposes of section 13.1 any previous address or fax number specified for the party giving the notice.

Assignment

13.3 The Contractor must not assign any of the Contractor's rights under this Agreement without the Province's prior written consent.

Subcontracting

- 13.4 The Contractor must not subcontract any of the Contractor's obligations under this Agreement to any person without the Province's prior written consent, excepting persons listed in the attached Schedule C. No subcontract, whether consented to or not, relieves the Contractor from any obligations under this Agreement. The Contractor must ensure that:
 - (a) any person retained by the Contractor to perform obligations under this Agreement; and
 - (b) any person retained by a person described in paragraph (a) to perform those obligations fully complies with this Agreement in performing the subcontracted obligations.

Waiver

A waiver of any term or breach of this Agreement is effective only if it is in writing and signed by, or on behalf of, the waiving party and is not a waiver of any other term or breach.

Modifications

13.6 No modification of this Agreement is effective unless it is in writing and signed by, or on behalf of, the parties.

Entire agreement

13.7 This Agreement (including any modification of it) constitutes the entire agreement between the parties as to performance of the Services.

Survival of certain provisions

13.8 Sections 2.9, 3.1 to 3.4, 3.7, 3.8, 5.1 to 5.5, 6.1 to 6.4, 7.1, 7.2, 8.1, 9.1, 9.2, 9.5, 10.1 to 10.3, 11.2, 11.3, 11.5, 11.6, 12.1 to 12.3, 13.1, 13.2, 13.8, and 13.10, any accrued but unpaid payment obligations, and any other sections of this Agreement (including schedules) which, by their terms or nature, are intended to survive the completion of the Services or termination of this Agreement, will continue in force indefinitely, even after this Agreement ends.

Schedules

13.9 The schedules to this Agreement (including any appendices or other documents attached to, or incorporated by reference into, those schedules) are part of this Agreement.

Independent contractor

- 13.10 In relation to the performance of the Contractor's obligations under this Agreement, the Contractor is an independent contractor and not:
 - (a) an employee or partner of the Province; or
 - (b) an agent of the Province except as may be expressly provided for in this Agreement.

The Contractor must not act or purport to act contrary to this section.

Personnel not to be employees of Province

13.11 The Contractor must not do anything that would result in personnel hired or used by the Contractor or a Subcontractor in relation to providing the Services being considered employees of the Province.

Key Personnel

13.12 If one or more individuals are specified as "Key Personnel" of the Contractor in Part 4 of Schedule A, the Contractor must cause those individuals to perform the Services on the Contractor's behalf, unless the Province otherwise approves in writing, which approval must not be unreasonably withheld.

Pertinent information

13.13 The Province must make available to the Contractor all information in the Province's possession which the Province considers pertinent to the performance of the Services.

Conflict of interest

13.14 The Contractor must not provide any services to any person in circumstances which, in the Province's reasonable opinion, could give rise to a conflict of interest between the Contractor's duties to that person and the Contractor's duties to the Province under this Agreement.

Time

13.15 Time is of the essence in this Agreement and, without limitation, will remain of the essence after any modification or extension of this Agreement, whether or not expressly restated in the document effecting the modification or extension.

Conflicts among provisions

- 13.16 Conflicts among provisions of this Agreement will be resolved as follows:
 - (a) a provision in the body of this Agreement will prevail over any conflicting provision in, attached to or incorporated by reference into a schedule, unless that conflicting provision expressly states otherwise; and
 - (b) a provision in a schedule will prevail over any conflicting provision in a document attached to or incorporated by reference into a schedule, unless the schedule expressly states otherwise.

Agreement not permit nor fetter

13.17 This Agreement does not operate as a permit, license, approval or other statutory authority which the Contractor may be required to obtain from the Province or any of its agencies in order to provide the Services. Nothing in this Agreement is to be construed as interfering with, or fettering in any manner, the exercise by the Province or its agencies of any statutory, prerogative, executive or legislative power or duty.

Remainder not affected by invalidity

13.18 If any provision of this Agreement or the application of it to any person or circumstance is invalid or unenforceable to any extent, the remainder of this Agreement and the application of such provision to any other person or circumstance will not be affected or impaired and will be valid and enforceable to the extent permitted by law.

Further assurances

13.19 Each party must perform the acts, execute and deliver the writings, and give the assurances as may be reasonably necessary to give full effect to this Agreement.

Additional terms

13.20 Any additional terms set out in the attached Schedule F apply to this Agreement.

Governing law

13.21 This Agreement is governed by, and is to be interpreted and construed in accordance with, the laws applicable in British Columbia.

14 INTERPRETATION

- 14.1 In this Agreement:
 - (a) "includes" and "including" are not intended to be limiting;
 - (b) unless the context otherwise requires, references to sections by number are to sections of this Agreement;
 - (c) the Contractor and the Province are referred to as "the parties" and each of them as a "party";
 - (d) "attached" means attached to this Agreement when used in relation to a schedule;
 - (e) unless otherwise specified, a reference to a statute by name means the statute of British Columbia by that name, as amended or replaced from time to time;
 - (f) the headings have been inserted for convenience of reference only and are not intended to describe, enlarge or restrict the scope or meaning of this Agreement or any provision of it;
 - (g) "person" includes an individual, partnership, corporation or legal entity of any nature; and
 - (h) unless the context otherwise requires, words expressed in the singular include the plural and *vice* versa.

15 EXECUTION AND DELIVERY OF AGREEMENT

15.1 This Agreement may be entered into by a separate copy of this Agreement being executed by, or on behalf of, each party and that executed copy being delivered to the other party by a method provided for in section 13.1 or any other method agreed to by the parties.

The parties have executed this Agreement as follows:

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Schedule A - Services

PART 1. TERM:

1. The term of this Agreement commences on December 23, 2013, and ends on December 19, 2016.

PART 2. SERVICES:

Outputs

- 1. In this Schedule:
 - (a) "Audit Report" means a written report which details the findings of the on-site audit and inspection of a practitioner.
 - (b) "Audit Section" means the Audit Section of the Billing Integrity Program at the Audit and Investigations Branch and reference to it includes reference to the Director of the Program;
 - (c) "Working Papers" means documents that the Contractor must fill out indicating whether the clinical records pertaining to various claims meet specific criteria of benefits.
- 2. During the term of this Agreement, the Contractor must provide the following services at the stages listed below:

A. On-Site Inspections

- (i) Prior to an audit and inspection under Section 36 of the Medicare Protection Act, the Contractor will be provided, by staff of the Audit Section, with Working Papers and a list of claims pertaining to services rendered to patients.
- (ii) During the audit and inspection, the Contractor must request and examine the practitioner's records relating to the claims set out in the list referred to in (i) above. An Audit Section staff member will copy the relevant records.
- (iii) The Contractor must remove copied records referred to in (ii) above from the location where they were copied to a secure site for the purpose of reviewing them and completing the Working Papers to be used in the inspection portion of an Audit Report.
- (iv) The Audit Section may request that the Contractor complete work outside of the on-site audit, and the Contractor agrees to complete any such work within 30 days of receiving the request, unless the Contractor and the Billing Integrity Program agree otherwise in writing.

B. Audit Reports

- (i) The Contractor must review the copied records referred to in clause (ii) of Section A, and will complete his or her portion of the Working Papers and will supply the Audit Section with the original Working Papers.
- (ii) The Audit Section staff will prepare a draft Audit Report, and a copy will be provided to the Contractor for review. The Contractor must provide comments to the Audit Section as to the accuracy and completeness of the draft with respect to the inspection portion of the report.
- (iii) Audit Section staff will provide the Contractor with two original Audit Reports. If the Contractor is satisfied that an Audit Report accurately and completely reflects the inspection findings, the Contractor must sign and date the two original Audit Reports and return both of them, along with all copied records and Working Papers, to the Audit Section.

C. Hearings

- (i) If required by the Medical Services Commission, the Contractor must appear at hearings under section 37 or section 15 of the Medicare Protection Act as a witness to give evidence regarding the audit and inspections referred to in Section A above, including providing evidence about practitioners' claims for payment and patterns of practice or billing.
- (ii) Prior to a hearing referred to in (i) above, the Contractor must meet, as necessary, with counsel for the Medical Services Commission to be briefed on the hearing process and his or her role in it.

Inputs

The Audit Section will send the Contractor an information package prior to the commencement of the Audit. The package will include:

- a) A copy of the referral submitted to the Audit and Inspection Committee (AIC);
- b) A copy of the AIC meeting minute excerpt approving the audit;
- c) A copy of the Audit Notification to the Auditee;
- c) A copy of the Auditee's Pattern of Practice Mini Profile; and,
- d) A Contractor Claim Form for submission after completion of the on-site audit.

Outcomes

Through the delivery of the Services the Province wishes to realize the following outcomes and, without limiting the obligation of the Contractor to comply with other provisions of this Part, the Contractor must use commercially reasonable efforts to achieve them:

The Ministry will provide assurance to the government and taxpayers that financial accountabilities are in place, to detect and deter abuse of healthcare funding and where necessary recover overpayments.

The parties acknowledge that the Contractor does not warrant that these outcomes will be achieved.

PART 3. RELATED DOCUMENTATION:

Not applicable.

PART 4. KEY PERSONNEL:

1. Kimberly Dawn Senechal

Schedule B – Fees and Expenses

1. MAXIMUM AMOUNT PAYABLE:

<u>Maximum Amount</u>: Despite sections 2 and 3 of this Schedule, \$74,999.99 is the maximum amount which the Province is obliged to pay to the Contractor for fees and expenses under this Agreement (exclusive of any applicable taxes described in section 3.1(c) of this Agreement).

Time spent eligible for remuneration consists of the following:

travelling to determine the most economical method.

- a) any work done in preparation for the audit, attendance at the location of the audit to complete working papers and audit reports, any preparation for a hearing, attendance at the location of the hearing and any other related work done, as requested by the Province, Commission or the Audit Hearing Panel;
- c) in the event that an audit inspection takes less than the schedule time allotted to complete the audit, the Contractor can be compensated for the time scheduled for the audit inspection. For this purpose, one day is equal to 7 hours;
- d) in the event that an audit inspection, witness preparation or hearing is cancelled and less than 21 days notice given to the Contractor, the Contractor will be compensated for the time scheduled for the audit hearing in which regular work activities could not be rescheduled. The Contractor will submit a detailed calculation of the fees claimed, including hours and dates. For this purpose, one day is equal to 7 hours; and,
- e) in the event that an audit inspection, witness preparation or hearing is cancelled and the flight cannot be refunded, the Province will reimburse the Contractor the entire amount of the flight. If the flight can be re-booked for other business required by the Contractor, the Province will pay for any additional fees to re-book the flight.

2. FEES:

Hourly Rate

s.21

Fees: at a rate o

per hour for those hours during the Term when the Contractor provides the Services.

3. EXPENSES:

Expenses:

- a. Travel, accommodation and meal expenses for travel greater than 32 kilometers away from s.22 on the same basis as the Province pays its Group II employees when they are on travel status;
- b. the Contractor's actual long distance telephone, fax, postage and other identifiable communication expenses; and
- c. refer to Appendix 1 for allowable expenses;

excluding goods and services tax ("GST") or other applicable tax paid or payable by the Contractor on expenses described in (a) to (c) above to the extent that the Contractor is entitled to claim credits (including GST input tax credits), rebates, refunds or remissions of the tax from the relevant taxation authorities.

4. STATEMENTS OF ACCOUNT:

Statements of Account: In order to obtain payment of any fees and expenses under this Agreement for a period from and including the first day of a month to and including the last day of that month (each a "Billing Period"), the Contractor must deliver to the Province on a date after the Billing Period (each a "Billing Date"), a written statement of account in a form satisfactory to the Province containing:

- (a) the Contractor's legal name and address;
- (b) the date of the statement, and the Billing Period to which the statement pertains;
- (c) the Contractor's calculation of all fees claimed for that Billing Period, including a declaration by the Contractor of all hours worked; for which the Contractor claims fees and a description of the applicable fee rates;
- (d) a chronological listing, in reasonable detail, of any expenses claimed by the Contractor for the Billing Period with receipts attached, if applicable, and, if the Contractor is claiming reimbursement of any GST or other applicable taxes paid or payable by the Contractor in relation to those expenses, a description of any credits, rebates, refunds or remissions the Contractor is entitled to from the relevant taxation authorities in relation to those taxes;
- (e) the Contractor's calculation of any applicable taxes payable by the Province in relation to the Services for the Billing Period;
- (f) a description of this Agreement;
- (g) a statement number for identification; and
- (h) any other billing information reasonably requested by the Province.

5. PAYMENTS DUE:

Payments Due: Within 30 days of the Province's receipt of the Contractor's written statement of account delivered in accordance with this Schedule, the Province must pay the Contractor the fees and expenses (plus all applicable taxes) claimed in the statement if they are in accordance with this Schedule. Statements of account or contract invoices offering an early payment discount may be paid by the Province as required to obtain the discount.

Schedule C – Approved Subcontractor(s)

The Contractor must not subcontract any obligation under this Agreement without the prior written consent fror	n
the Province.	

Schedule D – Insurance

Not applicable.

Schedule E - Privacy Protection Schedule

Definitions

- 1. In this Schedule,
 - (a) "access" means disclosure by the provision of access;
 - (b) "Act" means the Freedom of Information and Protection of Privacy Act (British Columbia);
 - (c) "contact information" means information to enable an individual at a place of business to be contacted and includes the name, position name or title, business telephone number, business address, business email or business fax number of the individual;
 - (d) "personal information" means recorded information about an identifiable individual, other than contact information, collected or created by the Contractor as a result of the Agreement or any previous agreement between the Province and the Contractor dealing with the same subject matter as the Agreement but excluding any such information that, if this Schedule did not apply to it, would not be under the "control of a public body" within the meaning of the Act.

Purpose

- 2. The purpose of this Schedule is to:
 - (a) enable the Province to comply with the Province's statutory obligations under the Act with respect to personal information; and
 - (b) ensure that, as a service provider, the Contractor is aware of and complies with the Contractor's statutory obligations under the Act with respect to personal information.

Collection of personal information

- 3. Unless the Agreement otherwise specifies or the Province otherwise directs in writing, the Contractor may only collect or create personal information that is necessary for the performance of the Contractor's obligations, or the exercise of the Contractor's rights, under the Agreement.
- 4. Unless the Agreement otherwise specifies or the Province otherwise directs in writing, the Contractor must collect personal information directly from the individual the information is about.
- 5. Unless the Agreement otherwise specifies or the Province otherwise directs in writing, the Contractor must tell an individual from whom the Contractor collects personal information:
 - (a) the purpose for collecting it;
 - (b) the legal authority for collecting it; and
 - (c) the title, business address and business telephone number of the person designated by the Province to answer questions about the Contractor's collection of personal information.

Accuracy of personal information

6. The Contractor must make every reasonable effort to ensure the accuracy and completeness of any personal information to be used by the Contractor or the Province to make a decision that directly affects the individual the information is about.

Requests for access to personal information

7. If the Contractor receives a request for access to personal information from a person other than the Province, the Contractor must promptly advise the person to make the request to the Province unless the Agreement

expressly requires the Contractor to provide such access and, if the Province has advised the Contractor of the name or title and contact information of an official of the Province to whom such requests are to be made, the Contractor must also promptly provide that official's name or title and contact information to the person making the request.

Correction of personal information

- 8. Within 5 Business Days of receiving a written direction from the Province to correct or annotate any personal information, the Contractor must correct or annotate the information in accordance with the direction.
- 9. When issuing a written direction under section 8, the Province must advise the Contractor of the date the correction request to which the direction relates was received by the Province in order that the Contractor may comply with section 10.
- 10. Within 5 Business Days of correcting or annotating any personal information under section 8, the Contractor must provide the corrected or annotated information to any party to whom, within one year prior to the date the correction request was made to the Province, the Contractor disclosed the information being corrected or annotated.
- 11. If the Contractor receives a request for correction of personal information from a person other than the Province, the Contractor must promptly advise the person to make the request to the Province and, if the Province has advised the Contractor of the name or title and contact information of an official of the Province to whom such requests are to be made, the Contractor must also promptly provide that official's name or title and contact information to the person making the request.

Protection of personal information

12. The Contractor must protect personal information by making reasonable security arrangements against such risks as unauthorized access, collection, use, disclosure or disposal, including any expressly set out in the Agreement.

Storage and access to personal information

13. Unless the Province otherwise directs in writing, the Contractor must not store personal information outside Canada or permit access to personal information from outside Canada.

Retention of personal information

14. Unless the Agreement otherwise specifies, the Contractor must retain personal information until directed by the Province in writing to dispose of it or deliver it as specified in the direction.

Use of personal information

15. Unless the Province otherwise directs in writing, the Contractor may only use personal information if that use is for the performance of the Contractor's obligations, or the exercise of the Contractor's rights, under the Agreement.

Disclosure of personal information

- 16. Unless the Province otherwise directs in writing, the Contractor may only disclose personal information inside Canada to any person other than the Province if the disclosure is for the performance of the Contractor's obligations, or the exercise of the Contractor's rights, under the Agreement.
- 17. Unless the Agreement otherwise specifies or the Province otherwise directs in writing, the Contractor must not disclose personal information outside Canada.

Notice of foreign demands for disclosure

- 18. In addition to any obligation the Contractor may have to provide the notification contemplated by section 30.2 of the Act, if in relation to personal information in the custody or under the control of the Contractor, the Contractor:
 - (a) receives a foreign demand for disclosure;
 - (b) receives a request to disclose, produce or provide access that the Contractor knows or has reason to suspect is for the purpose of responding to a foreign demand for disclosure; or
 - (c) has reason to suspect that an unauthorized disclosure of personal information has occurred in response to a foreign demand for disclosure

the Contractor must immediately notify the Province and, in so doing, provide the information described in section 30.2(3) of the Act. In this section, the phrases "foreign demand for disclosure" and "unauthorized disclosure of personal information" will bear the same meanings as in section 30.2 of the Act.

Notice of unauthorized disclosure

19. In addition to any obligation the Contractor may have to provide the notification contemplated by section 30.5 of the Act, if the Contractor knows that there has been an unauthorized disclosure of personal information in the custody or under the control of the Contractor, the Contractor must immediately notify the Province. In this section, the phrase "unauthorized disclosure of personal information" will bear the same meaning as in section 30.5 of the Act.

Inspection of personal information

20. In addition to any other rights of inspection the Province may have under the Agreement or under statute, the Province may, at any reasonable time and on reasonable notice to the Contractor, enter on the Contractor's premises to inspect any personal information in the possession of the Contractor or any of the Contractor's information management policies or practices relevant to the Contractor's management of personal information or the Contractor's compliance with this Schedule, and the Contractor must permit and provide reasonable assistance to any such inspection.

Compliance with the Act and directions

- 21. The Contractor must in relation to personal information comply with:
 - (a) the requirements of the Act applicable to the Contractor as a service provider, including any applicable order of the commissioner under the Act; and
 - (b) any direction given by the Province under this Schedule.
- 22. The Contractor acknowledges that it is familiar with the requirements of the Act governing personal information that are applicable to it as a service provider.

Notice of non-compliance

23. If for any reason the Contractor does not comply, or anticipates that it will be unable to comply, with a provision in this Schedule in any respect, the Contractor must promptly notify the Province of the particulars of the non-compliance or anticipated non-compliance and what steps it proposes to take to address, or prevent recurrence of, the non-compliance or anticipated non-compliance.

Termination of Agreement

24. In addition to any other rights of termination which the Province may have under the Agreement or otherwise at law, the Province may, subject to any provisions in the Agreement establishing mandatory cure periods for defaults by the Contractor, terminate the Agreement by giving written notice of such termination to the Contractor, upon any failure of the Contractor to comply with this Schedule in a material respect.

Interpretation

- 25. In this Schedule, references to sections by number are to sections of this Schedule unless otherwise specified in this Schedule.
- 26. Any reference to the "Contractor" in this Schedule includes any subcontractor or agent retained by the Contractor to perform obligations under the Agreement and the Contractor must ensure that any such subcontractors and agents comply with this Schedule.
- 27. The obligations of the Contractor in this Schedule will survive the termination of the Agreement.
- 28. If a provision of the Agreement (including any direction given by the Province under this Schedule) conflicts with a requirement of the Act or an applicable order of the commissioner under the Act, the conflicting provision of the Agreement (or direction) will be inoperative to the extent of the conflict.
- 29. The Contractor must comply with the provisions of this Schedule despite any conflicting provision of this Agreement or, subject to section 30, the law of any jurisdiction outside Canada.
- 30. Nothing in this Schedule requires the Contractor to contravene the law of any jurisdiction outside Canada unless such contravention is required to comply with the Act.

Schedule F - Additional Terms

- 1. Contractor Identification During the term of this agreement and at the request of the Province, contractors shall identify themselves as contractors to the ministry. This may be in the form of email signature blocks, business cards, correspondence, and verbal business dealings.
- 2. In addition to section 13.1, the General Services Agreement may be entered into by each party signing and delivering it to the other party by email with attachment in PDF format.
- 3. The Contractor represents that the Contractor is a Practitioner and has been appointed to act as an inspector under section 36 of the *Medicare Protection Act*.
- 4. The Contractor is a Practitioner, and will maintain this status for the Term of this Agreement. The Contractor will notify the Province immediately if a change to the Contractor's status as a Practitioner occurs or is likely to occur.
- 5. The Province will indemnify and save harmless the Contractor from any losses, claims, damages, actions, causes of action, costs and expenses that the Contractor may sustain, incur, suffer or be put to at any time, either before or after this Agreement ends, which are based upon, arise out of or occur, directly or indirectly, by reason of any professional act or omission by the Contractor in providing the Services, except liability arising from the wilful misconduct, bad faith or independent negligent act of the Contractor, to the extent that the Contractor is not provided coverage by the Canadian Medical Protective Association or any other insurance or indemnification.
- 6. The Province will indemnify and save harmless the Contractor from any losses, claims, damages, actions, causes of action, costs and expenses that the Contractor may sustain, incur, suffer or be put to at any time, either before or after this Agreement ends, which are based upon, arise out of or occur, directly or indirectly, by reason of any act or omission of the Province or any of its agents or employees in carrying out the Province's obligations under this Agreement, except liability arising from the wilful misconduct, bad faith or independent negligent act of the Contractor.

Schedule G - Security Schedule

Definitions

- 1. In this Schedule,
 - (a) "Equipment" means any equipment, including interconnected systems or subsystems of equipment, software and networks, used or to be used by the Contractor to provide the Services;
 - (b) "Facilities" means any facilities at which the Contractor provides or is to provide the Services;
 - (c) "Information" means information
 - (i) in the Material, or
 - (ii) accessed, produced or obtained by the Contractor (whether verbally, electronically or otherwise) as a result of the Agreement;
 - (d) "Record" means a "record" as defined in the Interpretation Act;
 - (e) "Sensitive Information" means
 - (i) Information that is "personal information" as defined in the Freedom of Information and Protection of Privacy Act, or
 - (ii) any other Information specified as "Sensitive Information" in Appendix G6, if attached; and
 - (f) "Services Worker" means an individual involved in providing the Services for or on behalf of the Contractor and, for greater certainty, may include
 - (i) the Contractor or a subcontractor if an individual, or
 - (ii) an employee or volunteer of the Contractor or of a subcontractor.

Schedule contains additional obligations

2. The obligations of the Contractor in this Schedule are in addition to any other obligations in the Agreement or the schedules attached to it relating to security including, without limitation, the obligations of the Contractor in the Privacy Protection Schedule, if attached.

Services Worker confidentiality agreements

3. The Contractor must not permit a Services Worker who is an employee or volunteer of the Contractor to have access to Sensitive Information unless the Services Worker has first entered into a confidentiality agreement with the Contractor to keep Sensitive Information confidential on substantially similar terms as those that apply to the Contractor under the Agreement.

Services Worker security screening

4. The Contractor may only permit a Services Worker who is an employee or a volunteer of the Contractor to have access to Sensitive Information or otherwise be involved in providing the Services if, after having subjected the Services Worker to the personnel security screening requirements set out in Appendix G1 and any additional requirements the Contractor may consider appropriate, the Contractor is satisfied that the Services Worker does not constitute an unreasonable security risk. The Contractor must create, obtain and retain Records documenting the Contractor's compliance with the security screening requirements set out in Appendix G1 in accordance with the provisions of that appendix.

Services Worker activity logging

- 5. Subject to section 6, the Contractor must create and maintain detailed Records logging the activities of all Service Workers in relation to:
 - (a) their access to Sensitive Information; and
 - (b) other matters specified by the Province in writing for the purposes of this section.
- 6. The Records described in section 5 must be made and maintained in a manner, and contain information, specified in Appendix G2, if attached.

Facilities and Equipment protection and access control

- 7. The Contractor must create, maintain and follow a documented process to:
 - (a) protect Facilities and Equipment of the Contractor required by the Contractor to provide the Services from loss, damage or any other occurrence that may result in any of those Facilities and Equipment being unavailable when required to provide the Services; and
 - (b) limit access to Facilities and Equipment of the Contractor
 - (i) being used by the Contractor to provide the Services, or
 - (ii) that may be used by someone to access Information

to those persons who are authorized to have that access and for the purposes for which they are authorized, which process must include measures to verify the identity of those persons.

8. If the Province makes available to the Contractor any Facilities or Equipment of the Province for the use of the Contractor in providing the Services, the Contractor must comply with any policies and procedures provided to it by the Province on acceptable use, protection of, and access to, such Facilities or Equipment.

Sensitive Information access control

- 9. The Contractor must:
 - (a) create, maintain and follow a documented process for limiting access to Sensitive Information to those persons who are authorized to have that access and for the purposes for which they are authorized, which process must include measures to verify the identity of those persons; and
 - (b) comply with the information access control requirements set out in Appendix G3, if attached.

Integrity of Information

- 10. The Contractor must:
 - (a) create, maintain and follow a documented process for maintaining the integrity of Information while possessed or accessed by the Contractor; and
 - (b) comply with the information integrity requirements set out in Appendix G4, if attached.
- 11. For the purposes of section 10, maintaining the integrity of Information means that, except to the extent expressly authorized by the Agreement or approved in writing by the Province, the Information has:

- (a) remained as complete as when it was acquired or accessed by the Contractor; and
- (b) not been altered in any material respect.

Documentation of changes to processes

12. The Contractor must create and maintain detailed Records logging any changes it makes to the processes described in sections 7, 9 and 10.

Notice of security breaches

- 13. If Contractor becomes aware that:
 - (a) unauthorized access, collection, use, disclosure, alteration or disposal of Information or Records containing Information; or
 - (b) unauthorized access to Facilities or Equipment

has occurred or is likely to occur (whether or not related to a failure by the Contractor to comply with this Schedule or the Agreement), the Contractor must immediately notify the Province of the particulars of that occurrence or likely occurrence. If the Contractor provides a notification under this section other than in writing, that notification must be confirmed in writing to the Province as soon as it is reasonably practicable for the Contractor to do so.

Review of security breaches

14. If the Province decides to conduct a review of a matter described in section 13 (whether or not the matter came to the attention of the Province as a result of a notification under section 13), the Contractor must, on the request of the Province, participate in the review to the extent that it is reasonably practicable for the Contractor to do so.

Retention of Records

15. Unless the Agreement otherwise specifies, the Contractor must retain all Records in the Contractor's possession that contain Information until directed by the Province in writing to dispose of them or deliver them as specified in the direction.

Storage of Records

16. Until disposed of or delivered in accordance with section 15, the Contractor must store any Records in the Contractor's possession that contain Information in accordance with the provisions of Appendix G5, if attached.

Audit

- 17. In addition to any other rights of inspection the Province may have under the Agreement or under statute, the Province may, at any reasonable time and on reasonable notice to the Contractor, enter on the Contractor's premises to inspect and, at the Province's discretion, copy:
 - (a) any Records in the possession of the Contractor containing Information; or
 - (b) any of the Contractor's Information management policies or processes (including the processes described in sections 7, 9 and 10 and the logs described in sections 5 and 12) relevant to the Contractor's compliance with this Schedule

and the Contractor must permit, and provide reasonable assistance to the exercise by the Province of the Province's rights under this section.

Termination of Agreement

18. In addition to any other rights of termination which the Province may have under the Agreement or otherwise at law, the Province may, subject to any provisions in the Agreement establishing mandatory cure periods for defaults by the Contractor, terminate the Agreement by giving written notice of such termination to the Contractor, upon any failure of the Contractor to comply with this Schedule in a material respect.

Interpretation

- 19. In this Schedule, unless otherwise specified:
 - (a) references to sections are to sections of this Schedule; and
 - (b) references to appendices are to the appendices attached to this Schedule.
- 20. Any reference to the "Contractor" in this Schedule includes any subcontractor retained by the Contractor to perform obligations under the Agreement and the Contractor must ensure that any such subcontractors comply with this Schedule.
- 21. The appendices attached to this Schedule are part of this Schedule.
- 22. If there is a conflict between a provision in an appendix attached to this Schedule and any other provision of this Schedule, the provision in the appendix is inoperative to the extent of the conflict unless the appendix states that it operates despite a conflicting provision of this Schedule.
- 23. If there is a conflict between:
 - (a) a provision of the Agreement, this Schedule or an appendix attached to this Schedule; and
 - (b) a documented process required by this Schedule to be created or maintained by the Contractor the provision of the Agreement, Schedule or appendix will prevail to the extent of the conflict.
- 24. The obligations of the Contractor in this Schedule will survive the termination of the Agreement.

SCHEDULE G - Appendix G1 - Security screening requirements

The personnel security screening requirements set out in this Appendix G1 are for the purpose of assisting the Contractor determine whether or not a Services Worker constitutes an unreasonable security risk.

Verification of name, date of birth and address

1. The Contractor must verify the name, date of birth and current address of a Services Worker by viewing at least one piece of "primary identification" of the Services Worker and at least one piece of "secondary identification" of the Services Worker,* as described in the table following this section. The Contractor must obtain or create, as applicable, Records of all such verifications and retain a copy of those Records. For a Services Worker from another province or jurisdiction, reasonably equivalent identification documents are acceptable.

Primary Identification	Secondary Identification
 Issued by ICBC: B.C. driver's licence or learner's licence (must have photo) B.C. Identification (BCID) card Issued by provincial or territorial government: Canadian birth certificate Issued by Government of Canada: Canadian Citizenship Card Permanent Resident Card Canadian Record of Landing/Canadian Immigration Identification Record 	 School ID card (student card) Bank card (only if holder's name is on card) Credit card (only if holder's name is on card) Passport Foreign birth certificate (a baptismal certificate is not acceptable) Canadian or U.S. driver's licence Naturalization certificate Canadian Forces identification Police identification Foreign Affairs Canada or consular identification Vehicle registration (only if owner's signature is shown) Picture employee ID card Firearms Acquisition Certificate Social Insurance Card (only if has signature strip) B.C. CareCard Native Status Card Parole Certificate ID Correctional Service Conditional Release Card

*It is not necessary that each piece of identification viewed by the Contractor contains the name, date of birth and current address of the Services Worker. It is sufficient that, in combination, the identification viewed contains that information.

Verification of education and professional qualifications

2. The Contractor must verify, by reasonable means, any relevant education and professional qualifications of a Services Worker, obtain or create, as applicable, Records of all such verifications, and retain a copy of those Records.

Verification of employment history and reference checks

3. The Contractor must verify, by reasonable means, any relevant employment history of a Services Worker, which will generally consist of the Contractor requesting that a Services Worker provide employment references and the Contractor contacting those references. If a Services Worker has no relevant employment history, the Contractor must seek to verify the character or other relevant personal characteristics of the Services Worker by requesting the Services Worker to provide one or more personal references and contacting those references. The Contractor must obtain or create, as applicable, Records of all such verifications and retain a copy of those Records.

Security interview

4. The Contractor must allow the Province to conduct a security-focused interview with a Services Worker if the Province identifies a reasonable security concern and notifies the Contractor it wishes to do so.

SCHEDULE G - Appendix G6 - Sensitive Information

In addition to the information described in section 1(e)(i) of this Schedule, the following information is specified as "Sensitive Information" for the purposes of this Schedule:

- (a) Any information and/or documentation provided by the Audit Section (e.g. Information Package)
- (b) Working Papers
- (c) Audit Report
- (d) All information and records reviewed and collected from the on-site inspection



CONFIDENTIALITY AGREEMENT/ UNDERTAKING OF CONFIDENTIALITY

Kimberly Dawn Senechal (the "Contractor") executed a services agreement dated December 23, 2013, (the "Agreement") with Her Majesty the Queen in right of the Province of British Columbia, as represented by the Ministry of Health (the "Province") to provide services to the Ministry of Health. As a result of the Agreement, the Contractor may produce or receive from the Province or another person, accounting records, findings, software, data, code, designs, plans, specifications, drawings, working papers, reports, documents and other material (the "Material").

- I, **Kimberly Dawn Senechal**, am the authorized Signatory and Key Personnel of the Contractor. For good and valuable consideration, the receipt and sufficiency of which I acknowledge, I undertake and agree as follows.
- 1. I will treat as confidential and will not, without the prior written consent of the Province use, publish, disclose or permit to be used, published or disclosed, the Material and other information that comes to my knowledge, or is supplied to or obtained by me as a result of the Agreement (collectively, the "Confidential Information"), except:

(a) insofar as the Confidential Information to be used, published, or disclosed is general public knowledge or was in my possession prior to the date of the Agreement:

- (b) insofar as the Confidential Information to be used, published or disclosed is provided by a third party who waives any requirement that it be held confidential; and
- (c) as such use, publication or disclosure is required by law.
- I agree that the Province, on written notice to me, may end my access to the Confidential Information if I do not adhere to the provisions contained in this Undertaking of Confidentiality.
- 3. On the end of my access to the Confidential Information, or on written request and direction by the Province, I agree to return to the Province, as applicable, within a reasonable time, all Confidential Information in my possession.

Executed at Courtenay, B	C, this 5th day of Annany, 2014
SIGNED AND DELIVERED BY	_)
Kim Sénéchal in the presence o	f:)
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