# STATE OF NORTH CAROLINA COUNTY OF MECKLENBURG

# FIRST AMENDMENT TO THE AGREEMENT TO PROVIDE FURNITURE, INSTALLATION, AND RELATED PRODUCTS AND SERVICES

THIS FIRST AMENDMENT TO THE AGREEMENT TO PROVIDE FURNITURE, INSTALLATION, AND RELATED PRODUCTS AND SERVICES (this "First Amendment") is made and entered into this 9th of April 2020, by and between Exemplis LLC, a limited liability company doing business in North Carolina (the "Company"), and the City of Charlotte, a North Carolina municipal corporation (the "City").

## Statement of Background and Intent

- A. The City of Charlotte and the Company entered into an Agreement for furniture, installation, and related products and services dated January 1, 2020 (the "Contract") pursuant to which the Company agreed to provide furniture, installation, and related products and services for the City of Charlotte.
- B. The parties now desire to amend the Contract to incorporate certain other changes.

NOW, THEREFORE, in consideration of the mutual covenants and agreements contained herein, the parties hereby agree to the following:

### AGREEMENT

- 1. The terms of the Contract are restated by and incorporated into this First Amendment by reference.
- 2. Defined terms used in this First Amendment shall have the same meaning as are assigned to such terms in the Contract.
- 3. Section 29 of the Contract ("Miscellaneous") is hereby appended as follows:
  - 29.6. FORCE MAJEURE.
    - 29.6.1 The Company shall not be liable for any failure or delay in the performance of its obligations pursuant to the Contract, and such failure or delay shall not be deemed a default of the Contract or grounds for termination hereunder if all of the following conditions are satisfied: (i) if such failure or delay: (a) could not have been prevented by reasonable precaution, and (b) cannot reasonably be circumvented by the non-performing party through the use of alternate sources, work-around plans, or other means; and (ii) if, and to the extent, such failure or delay is caused, directly or indirectly, by fire, flood, earthquake, hurricane, public health emergencies, epidemics, elements of nature or acts of God, acts of war, terrorism, riots, civil disorders, rebellions or revolutions or court order.
    - 29.6.2 Upon the occurrence of an event which satisfies all of the conditions set forth above (a "Force majeure Event") the Company shall be excused from any further performance of those of its obligations pursuant to this Contract affected by the Force Majeure Event for as long as (i) such Force Majeure Event continues; and (ii) the Company continues to commercially reasonable efforts to recommence performance whenever and to whatever extent possible without delay.
    - 29.6.3 Upon the occurrence of a Force Majeure Event, the Company shall promptly notify the City by telephone (to be confirmed by written notice within five (5) days of the

inception of the failure or delay) of the occurrence of a Force Majeure Event and shall describe in reasonable detail the nature of the Force Majeure Event. If any Force Majeure Event prevents the Company from performing its obligations for more than five (5) days, the City may terminate this Contract.

- 29.6.4 Notwithstanding anything contained herein to the contrary, strikes, slow-downs, walkouts, and industrial disputes of the Company or its subcontractors shall not constitute "Force Majeure Events" and are not excused under this provision.
- 4. Exhibit C of the Contract ("Proposed Response Forms") is hereby appended as follows:

## REOUIRED FORM 4 – DELIVERY AND WARRANTY

**Delivery:** Company must state the normal delivery time (in calendar days) and any options for expediting delivery:

- Exemplis LLC's nimble size and lean manufacturing operation mean speed in sourcing, warehousing, assembly, and logistics that other manufacturers just can't match. This makes us the fastest in the industry, shipping orders in 2, 5 or 10 days.
  - o SitOnlt Seating Products:
    - Ships within 2 days using express fabrics.
    - Ships within 5 days using all other fabrics.
    - Ships within 10 days using leather.
  - o IDEON Soft Seating Products:
    - Ships within 10 days using express fabrics.
  - o Symmetry Office Products:
    - Most Symmetry Office Products ship within 2-3 days.
- Standard shipment transit times vary depending on a customer's location. On average, the typical shipping time is 3-10 calendar days.
- Standard shipments are made via common carrier, unless otherwise specified. Special routing requests made by a customer or the consignee may result in additional charges.
- Standard deliveries are dock-to-dock and are scheduled to occur Monday through Friday between 8 a.m. and 5 p.m., based on our published transit times.
- Expedited service is available at an additional cost. We will work to arrange a specific delivery timetable with the carrier. Expedited services contracted with carriers are done solely at the request of the customer.
- Failure to meet a delivery time will not be considered a breach of this section if such failure is due to a Force Majeure Event as described in Section 29 above.
- 5. Except to the extent specifically provided above, this amendment shall not be interpreted or construed as waiving any rights, obligations, remedies, or claims the parties may otherwise have under the Contract.
- 6. In all other respects and except as modified herein, the terms of the Contract shall remain in force and effect.

[Signature Page Follows]

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, and in acknowledgement that the parties hereto have read and understood each and every provision hereof, the parties have caused this First Amendment to be executed as of the date first written above.

EXEMPLIS LLC	CITY OF CHARLOTTE:
	CITY MANAGER'S OFFICE
By M	BY:
(signature)	(signature)
PRINT NAME: PATRICK Jommentie D	PRINT NAME:
TITLE: VP France	TITLE:
DATE: 4/9/2020	DATE:



### Digital Contract Routing Form Non-Encumbered

May 27, 2020

Date Submitted:

Submitted by: Genetta N. Carothers

Submitter email: gcarothers@charlottenc.gov

Contract #: 2020000604

Amendment #: 1

Contract Name: Citywide Furniture (City Dist. Forms & Supply)

Vendor Legal Name: Exemplis LLC

Vendor #: 308708

#### REQUIRED ATTACHMENT(S):

Use the Paperclip icon to attach a full Contract Document Routing Packet for review by the authorized City individual with signature authority. The Routing Packet MUST include all required components per the direction provided at:

https://cnet/kbus/finance/Finance/pm/Pages/Contract-Review.aspx

The following signatures, once completed, shall be incorporated by reference into the contractual document identified above.

City of Charlotte

Angela Charles

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