

SUSPENSION AGREEMENT

This SUSPENSION AGREEMENT, dated the ___ day of _____, 2022, is entered into by and between the UNIVERSITY OF SOUTH ALABAMA (the “University”) and the undersigned, _____ (J# _____) (“Consultant”).

RECITALS

WHEREAS, the parties have entered into that certain Independent Contractor Consulting Agreement, dated _____, 20___, by and between the University and the Consultant (the “Agreement”); and

WHEREAS, the parties desire to suspend the terms of the Agreement until such time as the University desires further services from the Consultant or the natural termination date of the Agreement Period set forth in the Agreement, as amended, whichever comes first.

NOW, THEREFORE, for good and valuable consideration, the receipt and sufficiency of which are hereby acknowledged, the parties hereto hereby agree as follows:

1. **Performance.** Performance by either party under the Agreement is hereby suspended, effective _____, 20___, until such time as the University (a) desires to engage additional services from the Consultant and provides notification to Consultant of the same or (b) the Agreement expires on its own terms on the date set forth in Article II of the Agreement, whichever shall occur first. By agreeing to this suspension of performance, Consultant acknowledges and agrees that it will not submit an invoice for payment during the period of contract suspension nor take any other action that may accrue charges or fees to be assessed by Consultant to the University without the express prior written approval of the University.

2. **No Other Modification.** The Agreement, as modified by this Suspension Agreement, is hereby reaffirmed. Except as expressly modified hereby, the Agreement shall remain unmodified and in full force and effect. To the extent any of the provisions of this Suspension Agreement are inconsistent with any of the provisions set forth in the Agreement, the provisions of this Suspension Agreement shall govern and control.

3. **Counterparts.** This Suspension Agreement may be executed in any number of counterparts, each of which shall be deemed an original, but all of which when taken together shall constitute one and the same instrument. Each counterpart may be delivered by email or other electronic transmission. The signature page of any counterpart may be detached therefrom without impairing the legal effect of the signature(s) thereon provided such signature page is attached to any other counterpart identical thereto.

[signature page to follow]

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, University and Consultant have executed this Suspension Agreement as of the day and year first above written.

CONSULTANT

Date

UNIVERSITY OF SOUTH ALABAMA

Contract Officer

Date