# UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION Washington, D.C. 20549

## FORM 8-K

## CURRENT REPORT

## PURSUANT TO SECTION 13 OR 15(d) OF THE SECURITIES EXCHANGE ACT OF 1934

Date of Report (Date of earliest event reported): **December 1, 2025** 

## Apimeds Pharmaceuticals US, Inc.

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

Delaware	001-42545	85-1099700		
(State or other jurisdiction of incorporation)	(Commission File Number)	(I.R.S. Employer Identification Number)		
100 Matawan Rd, Suite 325 Matawan, New Jersey		07747		
(Address of principal executive office	es)	(Zip code)		
Regist	rrant's telephone number, including area code: (848) 2	01-5010		
(Fo	ormer name or former address, if changed since last re	port)		
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Title of each class	Trading Symbol(s)	Name of each exchange on which registered		
Common Stock, par value \$0.01 per share	APUS	NYSE American LLC		
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#### Item 1.01 Entry Into A Material Definitive Agreement.

#### Merger Agreement

This section describes the material provisions of the Merger Agreement (as defined herein) but does not purport to describe all of the terms thereof. Apimeds Pharmaceuticals US, Inc.'s stockholders and other interested parties are urged to read such agreement in its entirety. The following summary is qualified in its entirety by reference to the complete text of the Merger Agreement, a copy of which is attached hereto as Exhibit 2.1. Unless otherwise defined herein, the capitalized terms used below are defined in the Merger Agreement.

#### General Description of the Merger Agreement

On December 1, 2025 (the "Closing Date"), Apimeds Pharmaceuticals US, Inc., a Delaware corporation ("Apimeds" or "Acquiror"), entered into an Agreement and Plan of Merger (the "Merger Agreement") with Apimeds Merger Sub, Inc., a Delaware corporation ("Merger Sub"), MindWave Innovations Inc, a Delaware corporation (the "Company"), Lokahi Therapeutics, Inc., a Nevada corporation ("Bio Sub"), and Erik Emerson, solely in his capacity as representative for the Bio Business (the "Bio Business Representative"). The transactions contemplated by the Merger Agreement are referred to herein as the "Transactions" and the closing of the Transactions is referred to herein as the "Closing".

Pursuant to the terms and conditions of the Merger Agreement, immediately prior to the Closing, a certificate of merger (the "Certificate of Merger") was filed with the Secretary of State of the State of Delaware (the "DE SOS") (such time of the filing of the Certificate of Merger, the "Effective Time"), in accordance with the General Corporation Law of the State of Delaware (the "DGCL"). Pursuant to the Certificate of Merger, Merger Sub was merged with and into the Company (the "Merger"), with the Company surviving the Merger as the Surviving Corporation. As a result of the Merger, the Company became a direct wholly owned subsidiary of Acquiror. At the Effective Time, all of the property, rights, privileges, powers and franchises of the Company and Merger Sub vested in the Surviving Corporation and all of the debts, liabilities and duties of the Company and Merger Sub became the debts, liabilities and duties of the Merger Agreement on the Closing Date.

#### Transaction Consideration

At the Effective Time, by virtue of the Merger and without any action on the part of the Company, Acquiror, Merger Sub or the holder of any existing common stock of the Company (the "Existing Company Common Stock"): (i) each share of common stock of Merger Sub, issued and outstanding immediately prior to the Effective Time was converted into one validly issued, fully paid and nonassessable share of common stock of the Company (the "Company Common Stock"); and (ii) each share of Existing Company Common Stock and existing preferred stock of the Company (collectively, the "Existing Company Stock") issued and outstanding immediately prior to the Effective Time was canceled and converted into the right to receive a portion of the Merger Consideration (as defined herein), consisting of shares of common stock, par value \$0.01 per share of the Acquiror (the "Acquiror Common Stock") and Series A convertible preferred stock, par value \$0.01 per share of the Acquiror (the "Acquiror Preferred Stock"), with each holder of such shares receiving, for each share of Existing Company Stock held immediately prior to the Effective Time, a pro rata portion of the Merger Consideration, allocated as follows: (A) a number of duly authorized, validly issued, fully paid and nonassessable shares of Acquiror Common Stock, such that the aggregate number of shares of Acquiror Common Stock issued to all holders of Existing Company Stock equaled 29.9% of the total number of shares of Acquiror Common Stock issued and outstanding immediately following the Effective Time (the "Common Stock Cap"), with each holder's allocation rounded down to the nearest whole share; and (B) a number of duly authorized, validly issued, fully paid and nonassessable shares of Acquiror Preferred Stock, such that, immediately following the Effective Time, the holders of Existing Company Stock collectively held, on an as-converted to Acquiror Common Stock basis, 61% of the total issued and outstanding equity securities of the Acquiror (exclusive of the Acquiror Common Stock issued pursuant to clause (A) and calculated on a fully diluted basis). The shares of Acquiror Common Stock and Acquiror Preferred Stock issued to holders of Existing Company Common Stock, on an as-converted and fully diluted basis, collectively represent 90.9% of the equity capital of the Acquiror as of the Closing Date. The shares of Acquiror Common Stock, Acquiror Preferred Stock, and Company Common Stock issued in connection with the Business Combination are collectively referred to as the "Merger Consideration."

#### Written Consent and Information Statement

Contemporaneously with the execution and delivery of the Merger Agreement, certain stockholders of Acquiror (the "Acquiror Stockholders") constituting a majority of the outstanding voting power of the Acquiror Stockholders (the "Majority Holders") entered into a Support Agreement, dated December 1, 2025 (the "Acquiror Support Agreement"), with the Company and the Acquiror, pursuant to which, among other things, the Majority Holders have agreed to execute a written consent (the "Written Consent") approving the following matters (collectively, the "Proposals"): (i) the conversion of the Acquiror Preferred Stock issued to the Company stockholders in connection with the Merger, into shares of Acquiror Common Stock (the "Share Conversion"), (ii) the conversion of the Notes (as defined herein) issued to the Investors (as defined herein) in connection with the Note Financing (as defined herein), into shares of Acquiror Common Stock (the "Note Conversion" and together with the Share Conversion, the "Conversions"), (iii) the issuance of such shares of Acquiror Common Stock, upon the Conversions in accordance with the rules of the NYSE American LLC ("NYSE American"), (iv) a reverse stock split (the "Reverse Stock Split") of the Acquiror Common Stock at a ratio of 1-for-10, (iii) an amendment (the "Charter Amendment") to the Acquiror's Amended and Restated Certificate of Incorporation (as amended, the "Acquiror Charter") to effectuate the Reverse Stock Split and change the par value of the Acquiror's capital stock from \$0.01 to \$0.001, (iv) an amendment to the Apimeds Pharmaceuticals US, Inc. 2024 Equity Incentive Plan (the "2024 Plan") to increase the number of shares of Acquiror Common Stock issuable under the 2024 Plan to 2,096,679 (the "2024 Plan Share Increase"), and (v) the approval and adoption of the Apimeds Pharmaceuticals US, Inc. 2025 Equity Incentive Plan.

Immediately after the execution of the Merger Agreement, in lieu of calling a meeting of the Acquiror Stockholders to approve the Proposals, the Acquiror has obtained with respect to each Proposal, the approval evidenced by the affirmative vote of Acquiror Stockholders holding a majority of the issued shares of Acquiror Common Stock (the "Acquiror Stockholder Approval") from the Majority Holders, as set forth in the Acquiror Support Agreement. The Written Consent constitutes the required Acquiror Stockholder Approval of the Proposals.

As promptly as reasonably practicable after the Closing Date, the Acquiror will prepare and file with the Securities and Exchange Commission (the "SEC") a written information statement of the type contemplated by Rule 14c-2 of the Exchange Act containing the information specified in Schedule 14C under the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended (the "Exchange Act"), concerning the Written Consent, the Proposals approved by the Majority Holders and the Merger, and the notice of action by written consent required by Section 228(e) of the DGCL (as amended or supplemented from time to time, the "Information Statement"). The Acquiror shall use its reasonable best efforts to cause the definitive Information Statement (the "Definitive Information Statement") to be disseminated to the Acquiror Stockholders as promptly as reasonably practicable after the first to occur of (A) confirmation from the SEC that it has no further comments on the Information Statement, (B) confirmation from the SEC that the Information Statement is otherwise not to be reviewed or (C) expiration of the 10-day period after filing the preliminary Information Statement in the event the SEC does not review the Information Statement.

Following the expiration of the 20-calendar day waiting period required by Rule 14c-2 promulgated under the Exchange Act (the "Waiting Period") following the mailing of the Definitive Information Statement, the Proposals approved by the Written Consent, including the Conversion, shall become the approved and binding corporate actions of the Acquiror (the "Action Effective Time").

#### Representations and Warranties

The Merger Agreement contains a number of representations and warranties made by Acquiror, the Company, and Merger Sub as of the date of the Merger Agreement or other specific dates solely for the benefit of certain of the parties to the Merger Agreement, which in certain cases are subject to specified exceptions and materiality, Company Material Adverse Effect or Acquiror Material Adverse Effect (each as defined in the Merger Agreement), knowledge and other qualifications contained in the Merger Agreement or in information provided pursuant to certain disclosure schedules to the Merger Agreement. The representations and warranties made under the Merger Agreement did not survive the Closing.

In the Merger Agreement, the Company made certain customary representations to Acquiror including among others, related to the following: (1) corporate matters, including due organization, existence and good standing; (2) corporate authority, approval and binding effect relating to execution and delivery of the Merger Agreement and other ancillary documents and non-contravention; (3) government approvals; (4) capitalization; (5) financial statements and internal controls; (6) compliance with laws and permits; (7) absence of certain changes and events; (8) no undisclosed liabilities; (9) information supplied; (10) litigation; (11) contracts; (12) employee benefits; (13) labor and employment; (14) taxes; (15) intellectual property; (16) data protection; (17) information technology; (18) real property, (19) anti-bribery and trade compliance; (20) insurance; (21) competition regulation; (22) environmental matters; (23) customers and suppliers; (24) brokers; (25) affiliate agreements; and (26) assets.

In the Merger Agreement, Acquiror and Merger Sub made certain customary representations and warranties to the Company, including among others, related to the following: (1) corporate matters, including due organization, existence and good standing; (2) corporate authority, approval and binding effect relating to execution and delivery of the Merger Agreement and other ancillary documents, non-contravention and governmental approvals; (3) compliance with laws; (4) employee benefit plans; (5) indebtedness; (6) taxes; (7) brokers; (8) SEC reports, financial statements and the Sarbanes-Oxley Act; (9) business activities and absence of certain changes; (10) information supplied and the information statement; (11) litigation; (12) no outside reliance; (13) capitalization; (14) NYSE American quotation; (15) affiliate agreements; (16) anti-bribery and economic sanctions; and (17) labor and employment.

## Covenants of the Parties

The Merger Agreement contains a number of covenant obligations of the Acquiror, the Company, and Bio Sub as of the date of the Merger Agreement or other specific dates, as further set forth below.

In the Merger Agreement, among other things, the Company covenants to: (1) deliver to Acquiror, within seventy-five (75) days after the Closing Date, unaudited interim financial statements prepared in accordance with GAAP and Regulation S-X, along with any other financial statements required for the Information Statement, including pro forma financials; (2) make its officers and employees reasonably available to assist Acquiror and its counsel with drafting the Information Statement and responding to SEC comments; (3) promptly notify Acquiror of any developments that would render the Information Statement materially misleading and cooperate to correct such disclosures; (4) prior to execution of the Merger Agreement, obtain board and stockholder approval by written consent for the Merger Agreement, the Transactions, the designation of Company Director Designees (as defined herein), and the appointment of Acquiror's chief executive officer; and (5) reaffirm that, as of the Merger Agreement date, its representations and warranties regarding its bitcoin assets were true, correct, and complete.

In the Merger Agreement, among other things, the Acquiror covenants to: (1) provide the Company reasonable access to its properties, books, and personnel from Closing until the Share Conversion is effective (the "Conversion Effective Time"); (2) indemnify and hold harmless current and former directors and officers of both parties for pre-Closing matters to the fullest extent permitted by law and organizational documents, including advancement of expenses; (3) maintain or cause to be maintained, directors' and officers' liability insurance that provides (i) extended coverage for pre-Closing directors and officers for six years after the Effective Time and (ii) ongoing coverage for post-Closing directors and officers on terms consistent with market standards for companies of similar size and listing status; (4) from and after the Closing until the Conversion Effective Time (as defined herein) (the "Interim Period"), operate its business in the ordinary course consistent with past practice, comply with applicable laws, and take commercially reasonable measures to preserve its business organization, retain key employees, and maintain control and condition of material assets; (5) take all actions necessary to effect all post-Closing director and officer appointments; (6) promptly following the Closing, deliver the Written Consent to the Company; (7) promptly following the Closing, and in any event no less than five (5) Business Days following the Closing, cause the assets and liabilities of Acquiror existing immediately prior to the Closing to be transferred to Bio Sub (the "Bio Sub Assets"), the purpose of which shall be to continue the current business and operations of Acquiror, which is a clinical-stage biopharmaceutical company focused on the development of Apitox, an intradermally administered bee venom-based toxin (the "Bio Business"); (8) until the earlier of the Acquiror raising \$14,800,000 for Bio Sub or six months following the Closing (the "Post-Closing Period"), the Acquiror shall cause the Bio Business to be preserved and operated in a manner consistent in all material respects with the past practices of the Acquiror prior to the Closing; (9) take all actions necessary to effect all post-Closing director appointments of the Bio Sub; (10) use its best efforts to consummate a private placement offering in an aggregate amount of up to \$120,900,000 (a "Private Placement Offering"); (11) prior to the Conversion, obtain conditional approval of its listing application from NYSE American in connection with the Transactions; and (12) within five (5) Business Days following the Action Effective Time, file, or cause to be filed, with the SEC a registration statement on Form S-8 to register the additional shares of Acquiror Common Stock reserved for issuance under the 2024 Plan pursuant to the 2024 Plan Share Increase.

In the Merger Agreement, the Bio Sub covenants that, during the Post-Closing Period, the management of the Bio Sub shall cause the Bio Business to be operated in a manner consistent in all material respects with the past practices of the Acquiror prior to the Closing, and shall not incur Indebtedness (as defined in the Merger Agreement), which individually or in the aggregate exceeds \$2,000,000 without the prior written consent of the chief executive officer of the Acquiror.

#### Changes to the Board of Directors and Management

As contemplated in the Merger Agreement, immediately prior to the Effective Time, Christopher Kim and Hankil Yoon (the "Resigning Directors") tendered their resignations from the Acquiror's board of directors (the "Acquiror Board") and any committees thereof, to the Acquiror Board and ceased to be directors immediately following the Effective Time. The remaining five directors of the Acquiror Board shall continue to serve on the Acquiror Board during the Interim Period (the "Continuing Directors"). The Company designated two individuals, Dr. Vin Menon and Amir Dossal (the "Company Director Designees"), to be appointed as directors to replace the vacancies on the Board created by the Resigning Directors, and the Company Director Designees were appointed to the Board effective as of the Effective Time.

Pursuant to the terms of the Merger Agreement, as of the Effective Time, Erik Emerson resigned as Chief Executive Officer of the Acquiror, and Dr. Menon, an individual designated by the Company, was appointed as the new Chief Executive Officer of the Acquiror, effective as of the Effective Time. Also, effective as of the Effective Time, Erik Emerson was appointed to serve as President of the Acquiror. All other officers of the Acquiror prior to the Effective Time continued as the officers of Acquiror in identical positions.

Following the Conversion Effective Time, the Company shall have the right to designate individuals to replace the five Continuing Directors, and the Acquiror shall take all necessary action to cause each such Continuing Director to tender an irrevocable resignation effective as of the time such replacement is to occur and appoint the individuals designated by the Company to the Acquiror Board in their place, provided that the composition of the Board following such replacements shall continue to comply with the Governance Requirements (as defined in the Merger Agreement).

#### Survival

None of the covenants and agreements of the parties contained in the Merger Agreement survived the Closing, except for (a) those covenants and agreements that by their terms expressly apply in whole or in part after the Closing and then only with respect to any breaches after the Closing and (b) Article X (Miscellaneous) of the Merger Agreement.

#### **Post-Closing Actions**

Reverse Stock Split

As soon as reasonably practicable after the Action Effective Time, the Acquiror shall cause the Charter Amendment to be filed with the DE SOS to implement the Reverse Stock Split.

Conversion of Series A Preferred Stock

As soon as reasonably practicable after the Reverse Stock Split is effective, the Acquiror shall cause the Acquiror Preferred Stock to be converted into the applicable number of shares of Acquiror Common Stock, in accordance with the terms of the Certificate of Designation.

A copy of the Merger Agreement is filed with this Current Report on Form 8-K as Exhibit 2.1 and is incorporated herein by reference, and the foregoing description of the Merger Agreement is qualified in its entirety by reference thereto.

The Merger Agreement contains representations, warranties and covenants that the respective parties made to each other as of the date of such agreement or other specific dates. The assertions embodied in those representations, warranties and covenants were made for purposes of the contract among the respective parties and are subject to important qualifications and limitations agreed to by the parties in connection with negotiating such agreement. The Merger Agreement has been filed with this Current Report on Form 8-K in order to provide investors with information regarding its terms. It is not intended to provide any other factual information about the Acquiror, the Company or Merger Sub. In particular, the representations, warranties, covenants and agreements contained in the Merger Agreement, which were made only for purposes of such agreement and as of specific dates, were solely for the benefit of the parties to the Merger Agreement, may be subject to limitations agreed upon by the contracting parties (including being qualified by confidential disclosures made for the purposes of allocating contractual risk between the parties to the Merger Agreement instead of establishing these matters as facts) and may be subject to standards of materiality applicable to the contracting parties that differ from those applicable to investors and reports and documents filed with the SEC. Investors should not rely on the representations, warranties, covenants and agreements, or any descriptions thereof, as characterizations of the actual state of facts or condition of any party to the Merger Agreement. In addition, the representations, warranties, covenants and agreements and other terms of the Merger Agreement may be subject to subsequent waiver or modification. Moreover, information concerning the subject matter of the representations and warranties and other terms may change after the date of the Merger Agreement, which subsequent information may or may not be fully reflected in the Acquiror's public disclosures.

#### **Acquiror Support Agreement**

Contemporaneously with the execution and delivery of the Merger Agreement, in connection with the Merger, the Acquiror Stockholders entered into the Acquiror Support Agreement.

A copy of the Acquiror Support Agreement is filed as Exhibit 10.1 to this Current Report on Form 8-K and is incorporated herein by reference, and the foregoing description of the Acquiror Support Agreement is qualified in its entirety by reference thereto.

#### **Convertible Note Financing**

On December 1, 2025, the Acquiror entered into a Securities Purchase Agreement (the "Securities Purchase Agreement") with an institutional investor (the "Investor"), pursuant to which the Acquiror agreed to issue senior convertible notes (the "Notes") in an aggregate principal amount of up to \$120,900,000 at an 8% original issue discount (the "Note Financing"), over a 24-month period (the "Commitment Period").

The Notes bear no interest unless an event of default occurs. The Notes constitute senior unsecured obligations of the Acquiror. Pursuant to the terms of the Registration Rights Agreement "Registration Rights Agreement"), the Acquiror is required to file a resale registration statement on Form S-1 (the "Resale Registration Statement") within 45 days of closing and have it declared effective within 75 days (or 120 days in the event of a full SEC review), subject to certain extensions, registering the shares of Acquiror Common Stock issuable pursuant to the terms of the Notes. Delays beyond these deadlines will result in liquidated damages of 1% of the Redemption Value (as defined in the Registration Rights Agreement) for each 30-day period.

In connection with the Closing, \$10,875,000 of the principal amount of the Notes shall be made available to the Acquiror, and an additional \$2,175,000 shall be funded upon the effectiveness of the Resale Registration Statement. The Investor shall have the right, at its sole discretion, to purchase up to an aggregate of \$13,075,000 of such additional Notes in one or more closings. The Investor shall have the ability to purchase, subject to mutual consent of the parties, any amount remaining under the Notes. The Notes shall mature on the 12 month anniversary of their issuance at 100% of the face value. The Investor has the right to convert the notes at 80% of the lowest daily volume weighted average price during the 5-trading day period ending and including the date of conversion (the "Conversion Price"). Monthly conversions using the Conversion Price shall be limited to the greater of (i) 20% of the aggregate of the daily traded value during such calendar month period, and (ii) \$2.25 million.

The Notes include customary negative and affirmative covenants for transactions of this type. The Investor has agreed to a no net short provision, subject to certain carve-outs. The Investor also has the right to participate in up to 30% of any subsequent financing until the later of six months after the Commitment Period or the Notes' maturity date. The Acquiror agreed to obtain voting agreements from stockholders representing at least 51% of all outstanding shares before Closing.

Under the Securities Purchase Agreement, the Company is obligated to seek stockholder approval for the Note Conversion. To facilitate this approval, the Company entered into voting agreements (each, a "Voting Agreement") with certain officers, directors, and stockholders, pursuant to which these parties agreed to vote all shares of Acquiror Common Stock they hold in favor of the Note Conversion.

Copies of the Securities Purchase Agreement, the form of Registration Rights Agreement, the form of Voting Agreement and the form of Note are filed as Exhibits 10.2, 10.3, 10.4 and 4.1, respectively, to this Current Report on Form 8-K and are incorporated herein by reference, and the foregoing description of the Securities Purchase Agreement, Registration Rights Agreement, the Voting Agreements and the Notes is qualified in its entirety by reference thereto.

#### Item 2.01. Completion of Acquisition or Disposition of Assets.

The disclosure set forth above in Item 1.01 of this Current Report on Form 8-K is incorporated into this Item 2.01 by reference.

#### Item 2.03. Creation of a Direct Financial Obligation or an Obligation under an Off-Balance Sheet Arrangement of a Registrant.

The disclosure set forth above in Item 1.01 of this Current Report on Form 8-K in the section titled "Convertible Note Financing" is incorporated into this Item 2.03 by reference.

#### Item 3.02 Unregistered Sales of Equity Securities.

The disclosure set forth above in Item 1.01 of this Current Report on Form 8-K in the sections titled "Transaction Consideration" and "Convertible Note Financing" is incorporated into this Item 3.02 by reference. The issuance of the Merger Consideration and the offer, sale and issuance of the Notes have not been registered under the Securities Act of 1933, as amended (the "Securities Act"), in reliance upon the exemption from registration provided by Section 4(a)(2) of the Securities Act.

On December 1, 2025, the Acquiror issued a warrant to E.F. Hutton & Co. LLC, to purchase 712,880 shares of Acquiror Common Stock, at an exercise price of per share (the "E.F. Hutton Warrant"). The E.F. Hutton Warrant was issued in reliance upon the exemption from registration provided by Section 4(a)(2) of the Securities Act.

A copy of the E.F. Hutton Warrant is filed as Exhibit 4.2 to this Current Report on Form 8-K and is incorporated herein by reference, and the foregoing description of the E.F. Hutton Warrant is qualified in its entirety by reference thereto.

## Item 5.01. Changes in Control of Registrant.

The disclosure set forth above in Item 1.01 of this Current Report on Form 8-K is incorporated into this Item 2.01 by reference.

#### Item 5.02 Departure of Directors or Certain Officers; Election of Directors; Appointment of Certain Officers; Compensatory Arrangements of Certain Officers.

The disclosure set forth above in Item 1.01 of this Current Report on Form 8-K in the section titled "Changes to the Board of Directors and Management" is incorporated into this Item 5.02 by reference.

There are no family relationships between Dr. Menon, Amir Dossal, or any of the Acquiror's officers and directors.

Biographical information for Dr. Menon and Amir Dossal is set forth below:

Dr. Vin Menon is a veteran in the technology services industry, who can be credited with the strategic direction behind several disruptive technology companies. In the corporate world, he has held various leadership positions at multinational corporations like HP & Compaq with global responsibilities. Driven by his passion for technology and innovation, Dr. Menon has been a forerunner in technological innovation and has helped create the business ecosystem of disruptive technologies and high-growth companies. His experience has helped him in the technology space as an entrepreneur and advisor, leading several startups from inception to meteoric growth across continents. Dr. Menon's proven track record of setting up motivated and high caliber teams in the technology and services industry, establishing development centers from scratch to scale, and building company competencies led him to being awarded 'Entrepreneur of the Year 2012' by Rotary-ASME, 'Outstanding Entrepreneur Award 2011' by APEA, the 'Spirit of Enterprise 2010' by SOE Singapore. Dr. Menon was also selected as a 'Leading Indian Entrepreneur of the Year 2010' by the Singapore Indian Chamber of Commerce. From the years 2021 to 2023 he co-founded and served as Strategic Advisor to CGCX, a Fintech, decentralized finance, and digital assets platform, where he provided strategic advisory services and growth initiatives. He currently serves as Chief Executive Officer of AQUAE Impact (AQUAE Impact Exchange Co. L.L.C / AQUAE Impact), a sustainable financial and environmental assets platform that uses blockchain technology and artificial intelligence, which he co-founded and currently forms part of its executive leadership providing oversight of product and sustainability initiatives. He also currently serves as Chief Executive Officer of AQUAE Labs Pte Ltd, which is the research and development and technology arm of AQUAE Impact, where he provides product and technology leadership, measurement, reporting, and verification of environmental credits. Additionally, he currently occupies the role of Strategic Advisor of TechyTrade FZ-LLC, which is a bitcoin-backed company that operates in the digital asset and treasury innovation space. Dr. Menon is also a champion of techno-preneurship and was serving on the Board of Directors of the Spirit of Enterprise (SOE) and the Mentoring Programme under Action Community for Entrepreneurship (ACE) by SPRING Singapore. Moreover, he completed his bachelor's degree in computer applications from India, with first-class honors. He has also completed the following programs: Advanced Management Program (AMP) at NTU-Berkeley (Haas Business School, California) and Advanced Management Program (AMP) at The Wharton School (University of Pennsylvania, USA) specialized in Finance. Dr. Menon obtained an EMBA from the Nanyang Technological University (NTU) in Singapore. Lastly, he completed his PhD, Blockchain for Impact in Healthcare from The Open International University for Complementary Medicine in collaboration with Al-Farabi Kazakh National University, Kazakhstan 2019. The Acquiror Board believes that these experiences provide Dr. Menon with the skills necessary to lead the Company as its Chief Executive officer and members of the board, including overseeing the Company's strategy, operations, financial performance, and overall corporate governance.

Amir Dossal is a visionary leader and social entrepreneur dedicated to driving sustainable development through innovative partnerships and global collaboration. A pioneer in forging impactful alliances, Mr. Dossal has co-founded several groundbreaking initiatives, including the Pearl Initiative, Blockchain Commission for Sustainable Development, and the Global Mental Health Task Force. He is a founding Commissioner of the Broadband Commission for Sustainable Development and has served as a Distinguished Fellow at the World Economic Forum's Centre for Health and Healthcare. He has curated and published Vision for the Future, a digital anthology showcasing insights from global leaders and changemakers, reflecting his commitment to inspiring collective actions. With over 25 years of service at the United Nations, Mr. Dossal's legacy includes establishing the UN Fund for International Partnerships in 1998 to manage the historic \$1 billion gift from Ted Turner and serving as the UN Focal Point for partnerships. During his tenure, he spearheaded numerous initiatives which have strengthened global governance, supported conflict recovery, and mobilized billions in resources for sustainable development. Mr. Dossal's work spans diplomacy, international development, and impact-driven innovation, with a proven track record of uniting diverse stakeholders to address global challenges. A passionate advocate for women's empowerment, media engagement in sustainable development, and technology-driven social innovation. He is also a champion of the UN's Safe Ground Campaign. His diplomatic acumen and deep understanding of international affairs have enabled him to manage complex projects in emerging markets and foster regional cooperation. Recognized globally for his contributions, Mr. Dossal has received numerous accolades, including '2010 Humanitarian Award' from the UN Association of New York, '2010 Ambassador for Peace and Sport', '2015 Humanitarian Innovation Award' to Mr. Dossal and his son, Zecki, for intergenerational partnerships, '2016 Outstanding Achievement Award' by the ICAEW for addressing global challenges, and '2017 Ellis Island International Medal of Honor'. From October 2021 to August 2023, he was an Independent Director and member of the Audit Committee, the Governance Committee, and the Compensation Committee of Majic Wheels Corp, a FinTech and Software Development company. From November 2021 to April 2022, he was a consultant for EarthX, a notfor-profit global environmental organization dedicated to addressing the impact of climate change on the environment. From August 2022 to August 2023, he was a member of the Clinical and Scientific Advisory Board of Burjeel Holdings PVT Ltd., a private healthcare services provide in the United Arab Emirates. Since September 2010 he has served and continues to serve as a member of the Executive Committee and member of the Board of Governors of Pearl Initiative, a United Arab Emirates based not-for-profit company, which he co-founded, to improve corporate accountability and transparency in the Gulf Region. He has served as President and Chief Executive Officer of the Global Partnerships Forum, a United States based not-for-profit knowledge platform to build partnerships for the Sustainable Development Goals since October 2010, a position in which he continues to serve. Mr. Dossal also currently serves as Executive Vice Chairman of Blockchain Commission for Sustainable Development, a not-for-profit to engage the public and private sectors advance by utilizing blockchain technologies since September 2017 and continues to serve in that role. Since August 2023 he has served as Chairman of AQUAE Impact, where he helps businesses navigate climate and environmental pressures by adopting the Sustainable Development Goals, creating measurable impact through innovative ALCI solutions, and continues to serve in that role. Since May 2025 to this date, Mr. Dossal has served as Chairman of SDG News, a media platform dedicated to informing, inspiring, and accelerating progress on the Sustainable Development Goals, and Vice Chairman of Global Resilience Partners, an advisory firm specializing in partnerships to advance climate, nature, and resilience solutions. The Acquiror Board believes these experiences provide Mr. Dossal with the skills necessary to contribute meaningfully to oversight of the Acquiror's strategy, financial reporting, governance, and risk management.

#### Item 5.03. Amendments to Articles of Incorporation or Bylaws; Change in Fiscal Year.

On December 1, 2025, the Acquiror caused to be filed with the DE SOS, the Certificate of Designation, setting forth the preferences, rights and limitations of the Acquiror Preferred Stock (the "Certificate of Designation").

The material terms of the Acquiror Preferred Stock are set forth below:

Designation. There are 7,263,865 shares of Acquiror Preferred Stock designated as "Series A Convertible Preferred Stock."

Voting. The Acquiror Preferred Stock shall have no voting rights.

*Dividends*. The Acquiror Preferred Stock shall be entitled to receive the same dividend or distribution as if the shares of Acquiror Preferred Stock had been converted into Acquiror Common Stock immediately prior to the record date for such dividend or distribution.

Liquidation. The Acquiror Preferred Stock shall be entitled to share pro rata with the holders of Acquiror Common Stock in any distribution of the remaining assets of the Acquiror.

Redemption. The Acquiror Preferred Stock shall have no redemption rights.

Conversion.

Conversions at Option of Holder. The Acquiror Preferred Stock is not convertible at the election of the holder.

Automatic Conversion. Effective as of 5:00 p.m. Eastern time on the date that is the third Business Day following the later of (i) the Action Effective Time, which is the date on which the approval of the Conversion (each share of Acquiror Common Stock issued in connection with the Conversion, a "Conversion Share") in accordance with the listing rules of the NYSE American (the "Trading Market") is effective, and (ii) the date on which the Trading Market has approved any required new listing application, including any resulting from a change in control or Reverse Merger (as defined in Section 341 of the NYSE American Company Guide), such that (A) the Acquiror satisfies all applicable continuing listing requirements of the Trading Market (or has been granted a grace period therefrom), (B) the Acquiror has not received any notice of non-compliance from the Trading Market, and (C) the Conversion Shares have been approved for listing on the Trading Market (collectively, the "Trading Market Approval" and together with the Acquiror Stockholder Approval, the "Required Approvals"), such date being referred to herein as the "COD Effective Date," each share of Acquiror Preferred Stock then outstanding shall automatically, and without any action required by the holder thereof, convert into a number of shares of Acquiror Common Stock equal to the Conversion Ratio (as defined below).

Conversion Ratio. The "Conversion Ratio" for each share of Acquiror Preferred Stock shall be twenty (20) shares of Acquiror Common Stock issuable upon the Conversion of each share of Acquiror Preferred Stock, subject to adjustment as provided in the Certificate of Designation.

A copy of the Certificate of Designation is filed as Exhibit 3.1 to this Current Report on Form 8-K and is incorporated herein by reference, and the foregoing description of the Certificate of Designation is qualified in its entirety by reference thereto.

#### Item 7.01 Regulation FD Disclosure.

On December 1, 2025, the Acquiror issued a press release announcing the Closing. The press release is attached hereto as Exhibit 99.1 and incorporated into this Item 7.01 by reference.

The information in this Item 7.01, including Exhibit 99.1, shall not be deemed "filed" for purposes of Section 18 of the Exchange Act, or otherwise subject to the liabilities of that section, unless the Acquiror specifically states that the information is to be considered "filed" under the Exchange Act or specifically incorporates it by reference into a filing under the Securities Act or the Exchange Act.

#### Additional Information and Where to Find It

In connection with the Transactions and the Proposals, the Acquiror intends to file with the SEC the Information Statement, in preliminary and definitive form, and the Acquiror will file other documents regarding the Transactions and the Proposals with the SEC. INVESTORS AND SECURITY HOLDERS ARE URGED TO READ THE INFORMATION STATEMENT, AS MAY BE AMENDED OR SUPPLEMENTED FROM TIME TO TIME, AND OTHER RELEVANT DOCUMENTS FILED BY THE ACQUIROR WITH THE SEC BECAUSE THEY WILL CONTAIN IMPORTANT INFORMATION ABOUT THE ACQUIROR, THE COMPANY, THE TRANSACTIONS, THE PROPOSALS AND THE RISKS RELATED THERETO AND RELATED MATTERS.

The Definitive Information Statement will be mailed to stockholders of the Acquiror. Investors will be able to obtain free copies of the Information Statement, as may be amended from time to time, and other relevant documents filed by the Acquiror with the SEC (when they become available) through the website maintained by the SEC at www.sec.gov. Copies of documents filed with the SEC by the Acquiror, including the Information Statement (when available), will be available free of charge from Acquiror's website at www.apimedsus.com under the "Investors" tab.

## Forward-Looking Statements

All statements, other than statements of historical fact, included in this report that address activities, events or developments that the Acquiror expects, believes or anticipates will or may occur in the future are forward-looking statements. Words such as "estimate," "project," "predict," "believe," "expect," "anticipate," "potential," "create," "intend," "could," "would," "may," "plan," "will," "guidance," "look," "goal," "future," "build," "focus," "continue," "strive," "allow" or the negative of such terms or other variations thereof and words and terms of similar substance used in connection with any discussion of future plans, actions, or events identify forward-looking statements. However, the absence of these words does not mean that the statements are not forward-looking.

These forward-looking statements include, but are not limited to, statements regarding the Transaction, (including the Merger and related post-closing actions), the Note Financing and other financing activities, the Conversions and Reverse Stock Split, the post-Transaction company and its operations, strategies and plans, integration of businesses, governance changes, debt levels and leverage ratio, capital expenditures, cash flows and anticipated uses thereof, synergies, opportunities and anticipated future performance, including the management team and board of directors of the post-Transaction company, expected use of proceeds from the Note Financing and other financing activities, any future acquisitions and the maintenance of bitcoin reserves and related collateral arrangements. Information adjusted for the impact of the Transactions should not be considered a forecast of future results.

There are a number of risks and uncertainties that could cause actual results to differ materially from the forward-looking statements included in this report. These include the risk that the Acquiror and the Company's businesses will not be integrated successfully, synergies and growth from the Transactions may not be fully realized or may take longer to realize than expected; potential adverse reactions or changes to business or employee relationships, including those resulting from the announcement or completion of the Transactions; failure to obtain or maintain required listing approvals or satisfy NYSE American continued listing standards; inability to consummate planned financings on acceptable terms or within expected timeframes; volatility in bitcoin markets impacting collateral requirements; the risk that changes in the Acquiror's capital structure and governance following the Transactions could have adverse effects on the market value of its securities; the ability of the Acquiror and the Surviving Corporation to retain customers and retain and hire key personnel and maintain relationships with their suppliers and customers and on the Acquiror and the Surviving Corporation's operating results and business generally; the risk the Transactions could distract management from ongoing business operations or cause the Acquiror or the Surviving Corporation to incur substantial costs; the risk that the Acquiror may be unable to reduce expenses or access financing or liquidity; the impact of any related economic downturn; the risk of changes in governmental regulations or enforcement practices; and other important factors that could cause actual results to differ materially from those projected. All such factors are difficult to predict and are beyond the Acquiror and the Company's control, including those detailed in the Acquiror's Annual Reports on Form 10-K, Quarterly Reports on Form 10-Q, Current Reports on Form 8-K, and such other documents of the Acquiror filed, or to be filed, with the SEC that are or will be available on the Acquiror's website at www.apimedsus.com and on the website of the SEC at www.sec.gov. All forward-looking statements are based on assumptions that the Acquiror and the Company believe to be reasonable but that may not prove to be accurate. Any forward-looking statement speaks only as of the date on which such statement is made, and neither the Acquiror nor the Company undertakes any obligation to correct or update any forward-looking statement, whether as a result of new information, future events or otherwise, except as required by applicable law. Readers are cautioned not to place undue reliance on these forward-looking statements, which speak only as of the date hereof.

#### Item 9.01 Financial Statements and Exhibits.

(a) Financial Statements of Businesses or Funds Acquired

The Acquiror will file the financial statements of the Company required by Item 9.01(a) as an amendment to this Current Report on Form 8-K no later than 71 calendar days after the required filing for this Current Report on Form 8-K.

(b) Pro Forma Financial Information

The Acquiror will file the pro forma financial information required by Item 9.01(b) as an amendment to this Current Report on Form 8-K no later than 71 calendar days after the required filing for this Current Report on Form 8-K.

## (d) Exhibits

Exhibit No.	Description			
2.1*	Agreement and Plan of Merger, dated December 1, 2025, by and between Apimeds Pharmaceuticals US, Inc., Apimeds Merger Sub, Inc., MindWave			
	Innovations Inc, Lokahi Therapeutics, Inc, and Erik Emerson.			
3.1	Certificate of Designation of Series A Convertible Preferred Stock, as filed with the Delaware Secretary of State on December 1, 2025			
4.1	Form of Note			
4.2	Warrant issued to E.F. Hutton & Co. LLC, dated December 1, 2025			
10.1	Acquiror Support Agreement, dated December 1, 2025, by and between Apimeds Pharmaceuticals US, Inc., MindWave Innovations Inc, and the stock			
	party thereto			
10.2*	Securities Purchase Agreement, dated December 1, 2025, by and between Apimeds Pharmaceuticals US, Inc. and the investors party thereto			
10.3	Form of Registration Rights Agreement			
10.4	Form of Voting Agreement			
99.1	Press Release, dated December 1, 2025			
104	Cover Page Interactive Data File (embedded within the inline XBRL document)			

<sup>\*</sup> The schedules to this Exhibit have been omitted in accordance with Item 601(b)(2) of Regulation S-K. The Registrant agrees to furnish supplementally to the SEC a copy of all omitted exhibits and schedules upon its request.

## SIGNATURE

Pursuant to the requirements of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, the registrant has duly caused this report to be signed on its behalf by the undersigned hereunto duly authorized.

Apimeds Pharmaceuticals US, Inc.

/s/ Vin Menon Date: December 2, 2025 By:

Name: Dr. Vin Menon
Title: Chief Executive Officer

## AGREEMENT AND PLAN OF MERGER

dated as of

December 1, 2025

by and among

## APIMEDS PHARMACEUTICALS US, INC.,

as the Acquiror

APIMEDS MERGER SUB, INC.,

as the Merger Sub

MINDWAVE INNOVATIONS INC,

as the Company,

LOKAHI THERAPEUTICS, INC.,

as Bio Sub,

and

## ERIK EMERSON

as the Bio Business Representative

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#### AGREEMENT AND PLAN OF MERGER

This Agreement and Plan of Merger (this "Agreement"), dated as of December 1, 2025, is entered into by and among Apimeds Pharmaceuticals US, Inc., a Delaware corporation ("Acquiror"), Apimeds Merger Sub, Inc., a Delaware corporation ("Merger Sub" and, together with the Acquiror, the "Acquiror Parties"), MindWave Innovations Inc, a Delaware corporation (the "Company"), Lokahi Therapeutics, Inc., a Nevada corporation ("Bio Sub"), and Erik Emerson, solely in his capacity as representative for the Bio Business (the "Bio Business Representative"). Except as otherwise indicated, capitalized terms used but not defined herein shall have the meanings set forth in Article I of this Agreement or as otherwise defined throughout this Agreement.

#### RECITALS

WHEREAS, the Board of Directors of the Acquiror (the "Acquiror Board") has determined that it is in the best interest of the Acquiror and its stockholders to consummate the transactions provided for in this Agreement, pursuant to which Merger Sub will, subject to the terms and conditions set forth herein, merge with and into the Company (the "Merger"), so that the Company is the surviving corporation in the Merger (hereinafter sometimes referred to in such capacity as the "Surviving Corporation");

WHEREAS, the respective board of directors of each of Acquiror, Merger Sub and the Company have each approved and declared advisable this Agreement and the Merger upon the terms and subject to the conditions of this Agreement and in accordance with the Laws of its jurisdiction and the respective board of directors have recommended the approval and adoption of this Agreement and the transactions contemplated thereby, including the Merger, by the equity holders of each of Acquiror, Merger Sub and the Company; and

WHEREAS, contemporaneously with the execution and delivery of this Agreement, in connection with the Merger, certain stockholders of Acquiror (the "Acquiror Stockholders") constituting a majority of the outstanding voting power of the Acquiror Stockholders (the "Majority Holders") have entered into a certain Support Agreement, dated as of the date hereof (the "Acquiror Support Agreement"), with the Company and the Acquiror, pursuant to which, among other things, the Majority Holders have agreed to execute a written consent (the "Written Consent") approving the following matters (collectively, the "Proposals"): (i) the approval of the conversion of the Series A Convertible Preferred Stock, par value \$0.01 per share of the Acquiror (the "Acquiror Preferred Stock") and the issuance of common stock, par value \$0.01 per share of the Acquiror (the "Acquiror Common Stock"), upon conversion of the shares of Acquiror Preferred Stock in accordance with the rules of the NYSE American LLC ("NYSE American") (the "Issuance Proposal"), (ii) the approval of a reverse stock split (the "Reverse Stock Split") of the Acquiror Common Stock at a ratio of 1-for-10 (the "Reverse Stock Split Proposal"), (iii) the approval of an amendment (the "Charter Amendment") to the Acquiror's Amended and Restated Certificate of Incorporation (as amended, the "Acquiror Charter") (the "Charter Amendment Proposal"), (iv) the approval of an amendment to the Apimeds Pharmaceuticals US, Inc. 2024 Equity Incentive Plan (the "2024 Plan Share Increase"), and (v) the approval and adoption of the Apimeds Pharmaceuticals US, Inc. 2025 Equity Incentive Plan (the "Acquiror Equity Plan Proposal").

NOW, THEREFORE, in consideration of the foregoing and the respective representations, warranties, covenants and agreements set forth in this Agreement, and intending to be legally bound hereby, Acquiror, Merger Sub, the Company, Bio Sub and Bio Business Representative agree as follows:

#### ARTICLE I

## **CERTAIN DEFINITIONS**

Section 1.01 <u>Definitions</u>. As used herein, the following terms shall have the following meanings:

- "2024 Plan" has the meaning specified in the Recitals.
- "2024 Plan Share Increase" has the meaning specified in the Recitals.
- "Acquiror" has the meaning specified in the Preamble hereto.
- "Acquiror Equity Incentive Plan" has the meaning specified in the Recitals.
- "Acquiror Equity Plan Proposal" has the meaning specified in the Recitals.
- "Acquiror and Merger Sub Representations" means the representations and warranties of each of Acquiror and Merger Sub expressly and specifically set forth in Article V of this Agreement, as qualified by the Acquiror Disclosure Schedules. For the avoidance of doubt, the Acquiror and Merger Sub Representations are solely made by Acquiror and Merger Sub.
  - "Acquiror Board" has the meaning specified in the Recitals hereto.
  - "Acquiror Bylaws" means the bylaws, as amended, of the Acquiror.
  - "Acquiror Charter" has the meaning specified in the Recitals hereto.
  - "Acquiror Common Stock" has the meaning specified in the Recitals hereto.
  - "Acquiror Disclosure Schedules" means the disclosure schedules of the Acquiror.
  - "Acquiror Equity Incentive Plan" has the meaning specified in the Recitals hereto.
  - "Acquiror Equity Plan Proposal" has the meaning specified in the Recitals hereto.

"Acquiror Material Adverse Effect" means any event, change, circumstance or development (each an "Effect") that, individually or in the aggregate with all other Effects, that has had or would reasonably be expected to have (a) a material adverse effect on the financial condition, assets, liabilities, business, or results of operations of Acquiror and Merger Sub, taken as a whole, or (b) a prevention, material delay or material impairment in the ability of Acquiror or Merger Sub to timely consummate the Transactions; provided, however, that, solely with respect to clause (a), none of the following (or the effect of any of the following) shall be deemed to constitute, alone or in combination, or be taken into account in the determination of whether, there has been or will be an Acquiror Material Adverse Effect: (i) any change or proposed change in or change in the interpretation of any Law or GAAP; (ii) events or conditions generally affecting the industries or geographic areas in which Acquiror operates; (iii) any downturn in general economic conditions, including changes in the credit, debt, securities, financial or capital markets (including changes in interest or exchange rates, prices of any security or market index or commodity or any disruption of such markets); (iv) any geopolitical conditions, outbreak of hostilities, acts of war, sabotage, embargo, civil unrest, cyberterrorism, terrorism, military actions, earthquakes, volcanic activity, hurricanes, tsunamis, tornadoes, floods, mudslides, wild fires or other natural disasters, weather conditions, epidemics, pandemics or other outbreaks of illness or public health events and other force majeure events (including any escalation or general worsening of any of the foregoing Effects); (v) any actions taken or not taken by Acquiror as required by this Agreement; (vi) any Effect attributable to the announcement or execution, pendency, negotiation or consummation of the Merger or any of the other Transactions; (vii) any actions taken, or failures to take action

- "Acquiror Organizational Documents" means the Acquiror Charter and Acquiror Bylaws.
- "Acquiror Parties" has the meaning specified in the Preamble hereto.
- "Acquiror Preferred Stock" has the meaning specified in the Recitals hereto.
- "Acquiror SEC Reports" has the meaning specified in Section 5.08(a).
- "Acquiror Stockholder" means a holder of any Acquiror Common Stock.
- "Acquiror Stockholder Approvals" means with respect to each Proposal, the approval evidenced by the affirmative vote of Acquiror Stockholders holding a majority of the issued shares of Acquiror Common Stock, as set forth in the Written Consent.
  - "Acquiror Support Agreement" has the meaning specified in the Recitals hereto.
- "Action" means any claim, action, suit, charge, complaint, assessment, audit, investigation, examination, arbitration, inquiry, dispute, litigation, or proceeding, in each case that is by or before any Governmental Authority.
  - "Action Effective Time" has the meaning specified in Section 7.06.
- "Affiliate" means, with respect to any specified Person, any Person that, directly or indirectly, controls, is controlled by, or is under common control with, such specified Person, the ownership of voting securities, its capacity as a manager, sole or managing member or otherwise, through one or more intermediaries, where "control" means possession, directly or indirectly, of the power to direct the management and policies of such specified Person.

- "Agreement" has the meaning specified in the Preamble hereto.
- "Antitrust Law" means (a) the HSR Act, the Federal Trade Commission Act, the Sherman Antitrust Act of 1890, the Clayton Antitrust Act, in each case, including the rules and regulations promulgated thereunder, (b) any applicable foreign antitrust Laws and (c) all other applicable Laws that are designed or intended to prohibit, restrict or regulate actions having the purpose or effect of monopolization or restraint of trade or lessening of competition through merger or acquisition.
  - "Asset Representation" has the meaning specified in Section 4.26.
  - "Balance Sheet Date" means March 31, 2025.
- "Benefit Plan" means any benefit or compensation plan, program, policy, practice, agreement, Contract, arrangement or other obligation, whether or not in writing and whether or not funded, including, but not limited to, "employee benefit plans" within the meaning of Section 3(3) of ERISA (whether or not subject to ERISA), "voluntary employees' beneficiary associations," under Section 501(c)(9) of the Code, employment, individual consulting, retirement, severance, termination pay, change in control, transaction or retention arrangements, deferred compensation, equity or equity-based compensation, incentive compensation, bonus, supplemental retirement, profit sharing, health, medical, welfare, vacation, paid time off, post-termination or retiree health or welfare, fringe or other benefits or remuneration plan.
  - "Bio Business" has the meaning specified in Section 7.08(a).
  - "Bio Business Representative" has the meaning specified in the Preamble hereto.
  - "Bio Sub" has the meaning specified in the Preamble hereto.
  - "Bio Sub Loan" has the meaning specified in Section 7.08(g).
- "Business Day" means a day other than a Saturday, Sunday or other day on which commercial banks in New York, New York are authorized or required by Law to close.
  - "Calfin" has the meaning specified in Section 4.26.
  - "CBA" has the meaning set forth in Section 4.11(a)(xiv).
- "Certificate of Designation" means the Certificate of Designation of the Acquiror for the Acquiror Preferred Stock, as filed with the Secretary of State of the State of Delaware on December 1, 2025.
  - "Certificate of Merger" has the meaning specified in Section 2.01.
  - "Charter Amendment" has the meaning specified in the Recitals hereto.
  - "Charter Amendment Proposal" has the meaning specified in the Recitals hereto.

- "Closing" has the meaning specified in Section 2.03.
- "Closing Date" has the meaning specified in Section 2.03.
- "Code" means the Internal Revenue Code of 1986.
- "Common Stock Cap" has the meaning specified in Section 3.01(b).
- "Company" has the meaning specified in the Preamble hereto.
- "Company Benefit Plan" means any Benefit Plan which is sponsored or maintained by, contributed to or required to be contributed to by, or with respect to or under which any current or potential liability or obligation is borne by the Company.
  - "Company Board" means the board of directors of the Company.
  - "Company Common Stock" means the "Common Stock" of the Surviving Corporation.
  - "Company Director Designees" has the meaning specified in Section 2.05(b).
  - "Company Disclosure Schedules" means the disclosure schedules of the Company.
- "Company Intellectual Property" means all Owned Intellectual Property and all other Intellectual Property used in the business of the Company, as currently conducted.

"Company Material Adverse Effect" means any Effect that, individually or in the aggregate with one or more other Effects, (a) is or would be reasonably expected to be materially adverse to the business, financial condition or results of operations of the Company or (b) the ability of the Company to consummate the Transactions; provided, however that none of the following shall be deemed to constitute, alone or in combination, or be taken into account in the determination of whether, there has been or will be a Company Material Adverse Effect: (i) any change in or change in the interpretation of any applicable Laws or GAAP, (ii) any events or conditions generally affecting any industry or geographic area in which the Company operates, (iii) any downturn in general economic conditions, including changes in the credit, debt, securities, financial or capital markets (including changes in interest or exchange rates, prices of any security or market index or commodity or any disruption of such markets), (iv) any geopolitical conditions, outbreak of hostilities, acts of war, sabotage, embargo, civil unrest, cyberterrorism, terrorism, military actions, earthquakes, volcanic activity, hurricanes, tsunamis, tornadoes, floods, mudslides, wild fires or other natural disasters, weather conditions, epidemics, pandemics or other outbreaks of illness or public health events and other force majeure events (including any escalation or general worsening of any of the foregoing Effects), (v) any actions taken or not taken by any Company as required by this Agreement or the Acquiror Support Agreement, (vi) any Effect attributable to the announcement or execution, pendency or consummation of the Merger or the performance of this Agreement (including the impact thereof on relationships with customers, suppliers, licensors, distributors, partners, providers and employees) (provided, that this clause (vi) shall not apply to any representation or warranty in Sections 4.2, 4.3, 4.6, 4.11 and 4.23 of this Agreement, but subject to the disclosures set forth on Schedules 4.2, 4.3, 4.6, 4.11 and 4.23), (vii) any failure to meet any projections, forecasts or budgets; provided that this clause (vii) shall not prevent a determination that any Effect underlying such failure has resulted in a Company Material Adverse Effect, or (viii) any actions taken, or failures to take action, or such other changes or events, in each case, which Acquiror has consented to in writing prior to the taking of, or failure to take, such action, except in the cases of clauses (i) through (iv) to the extent the Company is as a whole materially disproportionately affected thereby as compared with other participants in the industry in which the Company operates.

- "Company Organizational Documents" means the Existing Company Charter and the Existing Company Bylaws.
- "Company Permits" has the meaning specified in Section 4.06(c).
- "Company Representations" means the representations and warranties of the Company expressly and specifically set forth in Article IV of this Agreement, as qualified by the Company Disclosure Schedules. For the avoidance of doubt, the Company Representations are solely made by the Company.
  - "Company Stockholder" means, as of any particular time, the holder of Existing Company Stock.
  - "Company Stockholder Approval" has the meaning specified Section 6.01(c).
  - "Company Software" means all Software with respect to which all Intellectual Property embodied thereby are owned or purported to be owned by the Company.
- "Confidential Information" means any proprietary or confidential information concerning the Company, Acquiror or the business and affairs of either party or information not already generally available to the public.
  - "Continuing Directors" has the meaning specified in Section 2.05.
  - "Contracts" means any legally binding contracts, agreements, subcontracts, licenses, leases, and purchase orders.
  - "Conversion" has the meaning specified in Section 3.05.
  - "Conversion Effective Time" has the meaning specified in Section 2.05(d).
  - "Definitive Information Statement" has the meaning specified in Section 7.06.
  - "DGCL" means the General Corporation Law of the State of Delaware, as amended from time to time.
  - "Director Proposal" has the meaning set forth in Section 8.02(c).
  - "Director Resignations" has the meaning set forth in Section 2.05(b).
  - "Effect" has the meaning specified in the definition of "Acquiror Material Adverse Effect."

- "Effective Time" has the meaning specified in Section 2.01.
- "Enforceability Exceptions" has the meaning specified in Section 4.02(a).
- "Environmental Laws" means all Laws relating to pollution or protection of the environment (including natural resources), health and safety (to the extent relating to management of or exposure to Hazardous Materials), or the use, generation, storage, emission, transportation, disposal or release of or exposure to Hazardous Materials.
- "Equity Securities" means any share, share capital, capital stock, partnership, membership, joint venture or similar interest in any Person (including any stock appreciation right, phantom stock, restricted stock unit, performance stock unit, restricted stock, profit participation or similar rights) and any option, warrant, right or security (including debt securities) convertible, exchangeable or exercisable therefor.
  - "ERISA" means the Employee Retirement Income Security Act of 1974, as amended.
- "ERISA Affiliate" means, with respect to the Company, any other entity, trade or business that is a member of a group described in Section 414(b),(c), (m) or (o) of the Code or Section 4001(b)(l) of ERISA that includes the Company, or that is a member of the same "controlled group" as the first entity, trade or business pursuant to Section 4001(a)(14) of ERISA.
  - "Exchange Act" means the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended.
  - "Existing Company Bylaws" means the bylaws of the Company prior to the Effective Time.
  - "Existing Company Charter" means the certificate of incorporation of the Company prior to the Effective Time.
  - "Existing Company Common Stock" means the "Common Stock" of the Company (as defined in the Existing Company Charter).
  - "Existing Company Preferred Stock" means the "Preferred Stock" of the Company (as defined in the Existing Company Charter).
  - "Existing Company Stock" means the Existing Company Common Stock and the Existing Company Preferred Stock.
- "Financial Derivative/Hedging Arrangement" means any transaction (including an agreement with respect thereto) which is a rate swap transaction, basis swap, forward rate transaction, commodity swap, commodity option, equity or equity index swap, equity or equity index option, bond option, interest rate option, foreign exchange transaction, cap transaction, floor transaction, collar transaction, currency swap transaction, cross-currency rate swap transaction, currency option or any combination of these transactions.
  - "Financial Statements" has the meaning specified in Section 4.05(a).

"Form 8-K" has the meaning set forth in Section 8.04(b).

"Funding Cap" means \$14,800,000.

"GAAP" means generally accepted accounting principles in the United States set forth in the opinions and pronouncements of the Financial Accounting Standards Board or such other principles as may be approved by a significant segment of the accounting profession in the United States, that are applicable to the circumstances as of the date of determination, consistently applied.

"Governance Requirements" has the meaning specified in Section 2.05(b).

"Governmental Authority," means any U.S. or foreign federal, state, provincial, municipal, local or foreign government, governmental authority, regulatory or administrative agency, governmental commission, department, board, bureau, agency or instrumentality, arbitrator or arbitral body (public or private), court, tribunal any state-owned or controlled enterprise.

"Governmental Order" means any order, judgment, injunction, decree, writ, stipulation, determination or award, in each case, entered by or with any Governmental Authority.

"Hazardous Material" means any material, substance or waste that is listed, regulated, or defined as "hazardous," "toxic," or "radioactive," or as a "pollutant" or "contaminant" (or words of similar intent or meaning) under applicable Environmental Laws, including but not limited to petroleum, petroleum by-products, asbestos or asbestos-containing material, polychlorinated biphenyls, per- and pol-fluoroalkyl substances, flammable or explosive substances, toxic mold or pesticides.

"Indebtedness" means, with respect to any Person, without duplication, any obligations (whether or not contingent) consisting of (a) the outstanding principal amount of and accrued and unpaid interest on, and other payment obligations for, borrowed money, or payment obligations issued or incurred in substitution or exchange for payment obligations for borrowed money. (b) amounts owing as deferred purchase price for property or services, including "earnout" payments (but excluding ordinary trade accounts payable), (c) payment obligations evidenced by any promissory note, bond, debenture, mortgage or other debt instrument or debt security, (d) contingent reimbursement obligations with respect to letters of credit, bankers' acceptance or similar facilities (in each case to the extent drawn), (e) any obligations in the nature of accrued fees, interest, prepayment or other premiums, penalties, termination fees, expenses and other amounts incurred or that would be payable in connection with the prepayment, repayment, redemption, payoff, amendment, modification or supplement of any of the items in the foregoing clauses, (f) payment obligations of a third party secured by (or for which the holder of such payment obligations has an existing right, contingent or otherwise, to be secured by) any Lien, other than a Permitted Lien, on assets or properties of such Person, whether or not the obligations secured thereby have been assumed, (g) obligations under capitalized leases, (h) obligations net of benefits under all Financial Derivative/Hedging Arrangements, (i) any underfunded pension liability, unfunded deferred compensation plan obligations, and post-retirement health or welfare benefits, (j) any unpaid dividends or distributions declared or payable to any Company Stockholder, (k) any other indebtedness or obligation reflected or required to be reflected as indebtedness in a consolidated balance sheet, in accordance with GAAP, (I) guarantees, make-whole agreements, hold harmless agreements or other similar arrangements with respect to any amounts of a type described in the foregoing clauses, and (m) with respect to each of the foregoing, any unpaid interest, breakage costs, prepayment or redemption penalties or premiums, or other unpaid fees or obligations (including unreimbursed expenses or indemnification obligations for which a claim has been made); provided, however, that Indebtedness shall not include Taxes or accounts payable to trade creditors in the ordinary course of business that are not past due and accrued expenses arising in the ordinary course of business consistent with past practice.

"Issuance Proposal" has the meaning specified in the Recitals.

"Proposals" has the meaning specified in the Recitals hereto.

"Information Statement" has the meaning specified in Section 8.02(a).

"Insurance Policies" has the meaning specified in Section 4.20(a).

"Intellectual Property" means all intellectual property rights, as they exist anywhere in the world, whether registered or unregistered, including all: (a) patents and patent applications (including any divisions, continuations, continuations-in-part, reissues, reexaminations and interferences thereof); (b) trademarks, service marks, trade dress, trade names, brand names, logos and corporate names; (c) copyrights, mask works and designs; (d) internet domain names; (e) trade secrets and other intellectual property rights in know-how, technology, inventions (whether patentable or not), processes, procedures, database rights, confidential business information and other proprietary information and rights; and (f) intellectual property rights in Software.

"Intended Tax Treatment" has the meaning specified in Section 8.03(b).

"Interim Period" has the meaning specific in Section 7.01.

"IT Systems" means all computer hardware (including hardware, firmware, peripherals, communication equipment and links, storage media, networking equipment, power supplies and any other components used in conjunction with such), data processing systems, Software, and all other information technology equipment owned or controlled by the Company and/or used in the operation of the Company business.

"Knowledge" shall mean the actual knowledge of (a) in the case of the Company, Dr. Vin Menon and Yadav Sandeep Singh and (b) in the case of Acquiror, Erik Emerson and Erick Frim.

"Law" means any statute, law (including common law), act, constitution, treaty, code, ordinance, rule, ruling, regulation or Governmental Order, in each case, of any Governmental Authority. All references to "Laws" shall be deemed to include any amendments thereto, and any successor Law, unless the context otherwise requires.

"Lease Documents" has the meaning specified in Section 4.18(c).

"Leased Company Properties" has the meaning specified in Section 4.18(b).

"Lien" means any mortgage, deed of trust, pledge, hypothecation, easement, right of way, purchase option, right of first refusal, covenant, restriction, security interest, license, title defect, encroachment or other survey defect, or other lien or encumbrance of any kind, except for (a) any restrictions arising under any applicable Securities Laws, and (b) immaterial easements, rights of way, covenants, encumbrances or restrictions that do not materially detract the value of the underlying asset or the use of the asset.

- "Majority Holders" has the meaning specified in the Recitals.
- "Material Contracts" has the meaning specified in Section 4.11(a).
- "Material Customers" has the meaning specified in Section 4.23(a).
- "Material Vendors" has the meaning specified in Section 4.23(b).
- "Merger" has the meaning specified in the Recitals hereto.
- "Merger Consideration" has the meaning specified in Section 3.01(b).
- "Merger Sub" has the meaning specified in the Preamble hereto.
- "NYSE American" has the meaning specified in the Recitals hereto.

"Open Source Software" means software that is distributed as "free software" (as defined by the Free Software Foundation), "open source software" (meaning software distributed under any license approved by the Open Source Initiative as set forth at <a href="www.opensource.org">www.opensource.org</a>) or under a similar licensing or distribution model (including under a GNU General Public License (GPL), a GNU Lesser General Public License (LGPL), a Mozilla Public License (MPL), a BSD license, an Artistic License, a Netscape Public License, a Sun Community Source License (SCSL), a Sun Industry Standards License (SISL), and/or an Apache License).

"Owned Intellectual Property" means all Intellectual Property owned or purported to be owned by the Company.

"Permitted Liens" means (a) statutory or common law Liens of mechanics, materialmen, warehousemen, landlords, carriers, repairmen, construction contractors and other similar Liens that arise in the ordinary course of business, and (i) relate to amounts not yet delinquent or (ii) that are being contested in good faith through appropriate Actions and for which appropriate reserves for the amount being contested have been established in accordance with GAAP on the Financial Statements, (b) Liens arising under original purchase price conditional sales contracts and equipment leases with third parties entered into in the ordinary course of business, (c) Liens for Taxes not yet due and payable or which are being contested in good faith through appropriate Actions, and for which appropriate reserves have been established in accordance with GAAP on the Financial Statements, (d) non-monetary Liens, encumbrances and restrictions on real property (including easements, covenants, rights of way and similar restrictions) of record affecting title to real property that do not, individually or in the aggregate, materially interfere with the occupancy or present uses of such real property, (e) non-exclusive licenses of Intellectual Property, (f) requirements and restrictions of zoning, building and other applicable Laws and municipal by-laws, and development, site plan, subdivision or other agreements with municipalities, which do not materially interfere with the current use or occupancy of any Leased Company Properties, and (g) Liens that do not, individually or in the aggregate, materially and adversely affect, or materially disrupt, the ordinary course operation of the businesses of the Company, taken as a whole.

"Person" means any individual, firm, corporation, partnership, limited liability company, incorporated or unincorporated association, joint venture, joint stock company, Governmental Authority or other entity of any kind.

"Personal Information" means any personal information that specifically identifies any individual who has provided information to the Company, including names, addresses, telephone numbers, personal health information, drivers' license numbers and government-issued identification numbers, as applicable.

"Premium Cap" has the meaning specified in Section 7.02.

"Press Release" has the meaning set forth in Section 8.04(b).

"Privacy Laws" means any and all Laws applicable to the Company relating to the collection, use, storage, safeguarding and security (both technical and physical) of Personal Information.

"Private Placement Offering" has the meaning specified in Section 7.08(d).

"Process" means the access, creation, collection, use, storage, maintenance, processing, recording, sharing, distribution, transfer, transmission, receipt, import, export, protection, safeguarding, access, disposal or disclosure or other activity regarding data (whether electronically or in any other form or medium).

"Products" mean any products or services, developed, manufactured, performed, out-licensed, sold, distributed or otherwise made available by or on behalf of the Company, from which the Company has derived previously, is currently deriving, or is scheduled to derive revenue from the sale or provision thereof.

"Public Official" means (a) any director, manager, officer, employee or representative of any Governmental Authority; (b) any director, manager, officer, employee or representative of any commercial enterprise that is owned or controlled by a Governmental Authority; (c) any director, manager, officer, employee or representative of any public international organization; (d) any Person acting in an official capacity for or on behalf of any Governmental Authority; and (e) any political party, party official or candidate for political office.

"Registered IP" has the meaning specified in Section 4.15(a).

"Representative" means, as to any Person, any of the officers, directors, managers, employees, counsel, accountants, disclosed financial advisors, disclosed lenders, disclosed debt financing sources and consultants of such Person.

"Resigning Directors" has the meaning specified in Section 2.05(b).

- "Reverse Stock Split" has the meaning specified in the Recitals.
- "Reverse Stock Split Proposal" has the meaning specified in the Recitals.
- "Sanctioned Country" has the meaning specified in the definition of "Sanctioned Person."
- "SEC" means the United States Securities and Exchange Commission.
- "Securities Act" means the Securities Act of 1933, as amended.
- "Securities Laws" means the securities laws of any state, U.S. federal or foreign jurisdiction and the rules and regulations promulgated thereunder.
- "Service Agreements" has the meaning specified in Section 4.12(d).
- "Side Letter" has the meaning specified in Section 7.08(e).
- "Software" means any and all (a) computer programs, including any and all software implementation of algorithms, models and methodologies, whether in source code, object code, human readable form or other form, (b) databases and compilations, including any and all data and collections of data, whether machine readable or otherwise, (c) descriptions, flow charts and other work products used to design, plan, organize and develop any of the foregoing, screens, user interfaces, report formats, firmware, development tools, templates, menus, buttons and icons and (d) all documentation including user manuals and other training documentation relating to any of the foregoing.
- "Subsidiary," means, with respect to a Person, any corporation or other organization (including a limited liability company or a partnership), whether incorporated or unincorporated, of which such Person directly or indirectly owns or controls a majority of the Equity Securities.
  - "Surviving Corporation" has the meaning specified in the Recitals.
- "Tax" means any federal, state, provincial, territorial, local, foreign and other net income, alternative or add-on minimum, franchise, gross income, adjusted gross income or gross receipts, employment, environmental, unemployment, compensation, utility, social security (or similar), withholding, payroll, ad valorem, transfer, windfall profits, license, branch, excise, severance, production, stamp, occupation, premium, personal property, real property, capital stock, profits, disability, registration, value added, capital gains, goods and services, estimated, sales, use, unclaimed property or escheat obligation, or other tax, governmental fee, duty, charge, impost, or assessment of any kind whatever in the nature of a tax, whether disputed or not, together with any interest, deficiency, penalty, addition to tax or additional amount imposed with respect thereto by a Governmental Authority.
  - "Tax Authority" means any Governmental Authority with jurisdiction or authority to impose, administer, levy, assess or collect Tax.
- "Tax Return" means any return, report, statement, refund, claim, election, disclosure, declaration, information report or return, estimate or other document filed or required to be filed with a Tax Authority with respect to Taxes, including any schedule or attachment thereto and including any amendments thereof.

"Transaction Expenses" means any fees, costs and expenses incurred or subject to reimbursement by the Company, Acquiror or Merger Sub, whether accrued for or not, in each case in connection with the Transactions contemplated by this Agreement and the Acquiror Support Agreement, including (a) any brokerage fees, commissions, finders' fees, or financial advisory fees, and, in each case, related costs and expenses, (b) any fees, costs and expenses of counsel, accountants or other advisors or service providers, and (c) with respect to Acquiror and Merger Sub, any fees, costs and expenses or payments related to any transaction bonus, discretionary bonus, change-of-control payment, retention or other compensatory payments made to any employee of the Acquiror or Merger Sub solely as a result or related to (and measured assuming the satisfaction of any other related contingencies such as termination or the passage of time) of the execution of this Agreement or the Acquiror Support Agreement or the consummation of the transactions contemplated hereby and thereby (including the employer portion of any payroll, social security, unemployment or similar Taxes imposed with respect thereto). For the avoidance of doubt, no bonus, change-of-control payment, retention or other compensatory payment paid to any manager, officer or employee of the Company shall be a Transaction Expense.

"Transactions" means the transactions contemplated by this Agreement, including the Merger.

"Transfer Taxes" has the meaning specified in Section 8.03(a).

"Treasury Regulations" means the U.S. Treasury Department regulations promulgated under the Code.

"Waiting Period" has the meaning specified in Section 7.06.

"Written Consent" has the meaning specified in the Recitals hereto.

Section 1.02 Construction.

- (a) Unless the context of this Agreement otherwise requires, (i) words of any gender include each other gender, (ii) words using the singular or plural number also include the plural or singular number, respectively, (iii) the terms "hereof," "herein," "hereby," "hereto" and derivative or similar words refer to this entire Agreement, (iv) the terms "Article," "Section," "Schedule," "Exhibit" and "Annex" refer to the specified Article, Section, Schedule, Exhibit or Annex of or to this Agreement unless otherwise specified, (v) the word "including" shall mean "including without limitation," (vi) the word "or" shall be disjunctive but not exclusive and (vii) any reference to a Law shall mean such Law as amended.
- (b) Unless the context of this Agreement otherwise requires, references to agreements and other documents shall be deemed to include all subsequent amendments, waivers and other modifications thereto.
- (c) Unless the context of this Agreement otherwise requires, references to statutes shall include all regulations promulgated thereunder and references to statutes or regulations shall be construed as including all statutory and regulatory provisions consolidating, amending or replacing the statute or regulation.

- (d) The language used in this Agreement shall be deemed to be the language chosen by the parties to express their mutual intent and no rule of strict construction shall be applied against any party.
- (e) Whenever this Agreement refers to a number of days, such number shall refer to calendar days unless Business Days are specified. If any action is to be taken or given on or by a particular calendar day, and such calendar day is not a Business Day, then such action may be deferred until the next Business Day.
  - (f) All accounting terms used herein and not expressly defined herein shall have the meanings given to them under GAAP.
- (g) The phrases "delivered," "provided to," "furnished to," "made available" and phrases of similar import when used herein, unless the context otherwise requires, means that a copy of the information or material referred to has been provided no later than two (2) Business Days prior to the date of this Agreement to the party to which such information or material is to be provided or furnished (i) in the virtual "data room" set up by the Company in connection with this Agreement or (ii) by delivery to such party or its legal counsel via electronic mail or hard copy form.

#### ARTICLE II

#### THE MERGER; CLOSING

Section 2.01 The Merger. Upon the terms and subject to the conditions set forth in this Agreement, at the Effective Time, Merger Sub shall be merged with and into the Company, with the Company being the Surviving Corporation following the Merger and shall continue its corporate existence under the laws of Delaware as a wholly owned subsidiary of Acquiror, and the separate existence of Merger Sub shall cease. The Merger shall be consummated in accordance with this Agreement and the DGCL and evidenced by a certificate of merger (the "Certificate of Merger"), such Merger to be consummated and effective upon the filing of the Certificate of Merger with the Secretary of State of the State of Delaware or at such later time as may be agreed by Acquiror and the Company in writing and specified in the Certificate of Merger (the "Effective Time").

Section 2.02 Effects of the Merger. The Merger shall have the effects set forth in this Agreement and the DGCL. Without limiting the generality of the foregoing and subject thereto, by virtue of the Merger and without further act or deed, at the Effective Time, all of the property, rights, privileges, powers and franchises of the Company and Merger Sub shall vest in the Surviving Corporation and all of the debts, liabilities and duties of the Company and Merger Sub shall become the debts, liabilities and duties of the Surviving Corporation.

Section 2.03 <u>Closing</u>. Subject to the terms and conditions of this Agreement, the closing of the Merger (the "<u>Closing</u>") shall take place electronically through the exchange of documents via e-mail or facsimile simultaneously with the execution and delivery of this Agreement. Subject to the satisfaction or waiver of all of the conditions set forth in <u>Article IX</u> of this Agreement, and provided this Agreement has not theretofore been terminated pursuant to its terms, on the Closing Date, the Company, Acquiror and Merger Sub shall cause the Certificate of Merger to be executed, acknowledged and filed with the Secretary of State of Delaware as provided in the DGCL. The date on which the Closing actually occurs is referred to in this Agreement as the "<u>Closing Date</u>."

#### Section 2.04 Organizational Documents of the Company and Acquiror.

- (a) At the Effective Time, the Existing Company Charter, as in effect immediately prior to the Effective Time, shall be the certificate of incorporation of the Surviving Corporation, until thereafter supplemented or amended as provided therein and in accordance with the DGCL (subject to Section 7.02).
- (b) At the Effective Time, the Existing Company Bylaws, as in effect immediately prior to the Effective Time, shall continue to be the bylaws of the Surviving Corporation, until thereafter supplemented or amended in accordance with its terms and the DGCL.
- (c) The Acquiror Charter, as in effect immediately prior to the Effective Time, shall be the certificate of incorporation of the Acquiror, until thereafter supplemented or amended in accordance with its terms and the DGCL.
- (d) The Acquiror Bylaws, as in effect immediately prior to the Effective Time, shall be the bylaws of the Acquiror, until thereafter supplemented or amended in accordance with its terms and the DGCL.

#### Section 2.05 Directors and Officers of the Companies.

- (a) Persons constituting the officers of the Company prior to the Effective Time shall continue to be the officers of the Surviving Corporation, in their respective capacities, until the earlier of their death, resignation or removal or until their respective successors are duly appointed.
- (b) Acquiror shall take all necessary action such that (i) two directors of the Acquiror in office immediately prior to the Effective Time shall tender their resignations (the "<u>Director Resignations</u>") to the Acquiror Board (the "<u>Resigning Directors</u>") and cease to be directors immediately following the Effective Time (including by causing each such director to tender an irrevocable resignation as a director, effective as of the Effective Time), (ii) the remaining five (5) directors of the Acquiror shall continue to serve on the Acquiror Board following the Effective Time until the Conversion (the "<u>Continuing Directors</u>"), (iii) two (2) individuals designated by the Company (the "<u>Company Director Designees</u>") shall be appointed to the Acquiror Board to replace the Resigning Directors effective as of the Effective Time, (iv) as of the Effective Time, the composition of the Acquiror Board (including the Company Director Designees and the Continuing Directors) shall comply with the board composition requirements of Rule 802 of the NYSE American Company Guide, and at least a majority of the directors shall meet the definition of "independent director" under Section 803(A)(2) of the NYSE American Company Guide, (v) all committees of the Acquiror Board shall, as of the Effective Time, be constituted in compliance with the applicable independence and composition requirements of the NYSE American Company Guide and the rules and regulations of the SEC, including those under the Exchange Act (subsections (iv) and (v) referred to herein as the "<u>Governance Requirements</u>"). The Acquiror Board shall consist solely of such directors, with no vacancies or unfilled newly created directorships as of the Effective Time. To effect the foregoing, the Acquiror Board shall adopt resolutions prior to the Effective Time that, as of the Effective Time, appoint such persons to the vacancies resulting from the Resigning Directors' resignations. Each Person appointed as a director of Acquiror pursuant to this <u>Section 2.05(b)</u> shall r

- (c) Acquiror shall take all necessary actions prior to the Effective Time such that (i) the individual serving as the chief executive officer of the Acquiror immediately prior to the Effective Time shall cease to hold such office as of the Effective Time, (ii) an individual designated by the Company shall be appointed as the chief executive officer of the Acquiror, effective as of the Effective Time, (iii) a new officer position of President shall be created, and Erik Emerson shall be appointed to serve as President of the Acquiror, effective as of the Effective Time, and (iv) all other officers of the Acquiror prior to the Effective Time shall, as of the Effective Time, continue as the officers of Acquiror in identical positions until the earlier of their death, resignation or removal or until their respective successors are duly appointed.
- (d) Following the time the Conversion is effective ("Conversion Effective Time"), the Company shall have the right to designate individuals to replace the five (5) Continuing Directors, and the Acquiror shall take all necessary action to cause each such Continuing Director to tender an irrevocable resignation effective as of the time such replacement is to occur and appoint the individuals designated by the Company to the Acquiror Board in their place, provided that the composition of the Acquiror Board following such replacements shall continue to comply with the Governance Requirements. The Acquiror Board shall adopt resolutions to appoint such persons designated by the Company to the vacancies resulting from the resignations of the Continuing Directors.

#### ARTICLE III

#### **EFFECT ON SECURITIES**

Section 3.01 Effect on Securities. At the Effective Time, by virtue of the Merger and without any action on the part of the Company, Acquiror, Merger Sub or the holder of any Existing Company Stock:

(a) Conversion of Merger Sub Common Stock. Each share of common stock of Merger Sub, issued and outstanding immediately prior to the Effective Time shall be converted into one (1) validly issued, fully paid and nonassessable share of Company Common Stock.

(b) Consideration for All Other Company Capital Stock. At the Effective Time, (i) each share of Existing Company Stock issued and outstanding immediately prior to the Effective Time shall be canceled and converted into the right to receive a portion of the Merger Consideration, consisting of shares of Acquiror Common Stock and Acquiror Preferred Stock, as set forth in this Section 3.01(b); and (ii) each holder of such shares shall receive, for each share of Existing Company Common Stock held immediately prior to the Effective Time, a pro rata portion of the Merger Consideration, allocated as follows: (A) a number of duly authorized, validly issued, fully paid and nonassessable shares of Acquiror Common Stock, such that the aggregate number of shares of Acquiror Common Stock issued to all holders of Existing Company Ordinary Shares shall equal 29.9% of the total number of shares of Acquiror Common Stock issued and outstanding as of the date of this Agreement (the "Common Stock Cap"), with each holder's allocation rounded down to the nearest whole share; and (B) a number of duly authorized, validly issued, fully paid and nonassessable shares of Acquiror Preferred Stock, such that, immediately following the Effective Time, the holders of Existing Company Common Stock collectively hold, on an as-converted to Acquiror Common Stock basis, 61% of the total issued and outstanding equity securities of the Acquiror (exclusive of the Acquiror Common Stock issued pursuant to clause (A) and calculated on a fully diluted basis). The shares of Acquiror Common Stock and Acquiror Preferred Stock issued to holders of Existing Company Common Stock pursuant to this Section 3.01(b), on an as-converted and fully diluted basis, shall collectively represent 90.9% of the equity capital of the Acquiror as of the Closing. For purposes of this Agreement, the shares of Acquiror Common Stock, Acquiror Preferred Stock, and Company Common Stock issued pursuant to this Section 3.01 are collectively referred to as the "Merger Consideration."

Section 3.02 Withholding. Each of Acquiror, Merger Sub, the Company, the Surviving Corporation and their respective Affiliates and agents shall be entitled to deduct and withhold from any amounts otherwise deliverable or payable under this Agreement such amounts that any such Persons are required to deduct and withhold with respect to any of the deliveries and payments contemplated by this Agreement under the Code or any other applicable Law. To the extent that Acquiror, Merger Sub, the Company, the Surviving Corporation or their respective Affiliates withholds or deducts such amounts with respect to any Person and properly remits such withheld or deducted amounts to the applicable Governmental Authority, such withheld or deducted amounts shall be treated as having been paid to or on behalf of such Person in respect of which such withholding or deduction was made for all purposes. In the case of any such payment payable to employees of the Company or its Affiliates in connection with the Merger that is properly treated as compensation, the parties shall cooperate to pay such amounts through the Company's or an Affiliate's payroll to facilitate applicable withholding.

Section 3.03 No Fractional Shares. Notwithstanding anything to the contrary contained herein, no certificates or scrip representing fractional shares of Acquiror Common Stock shall be issued upon the exchange for Existing Company Common Stock pursuant to Section 3.02, and such fractional share interests shall not entitle the owner thereof to vote or to any other rights of a holder of Acquiror Common Stock.

Section 3.04 Reverse Stock Split. As soon as reasonably practicable after the Action Effective Time, the Acquiror shall cause the Charter Amendment to be filed with the Secretary of State of the State of Delaware to implement the Reverse Stock Split, and the Reverse Stock Split shall be effective.

Section 3.05 <u>Conversion of Preferred Stock</u>. As soon as reasonably practicable after the Reverse Stock Split is effective, the Acquiror shall cause the Acquiror Preferred Stock to be converted into the applicable number of shares of Acquiror Common Stock, in accordance with the terms of the Certificate of Designation (the "<u>Conversion</u>").

#### ARTICLE IV

#### REPRESENTATIONS AND WARRANTIES OF THE COMPANY

For purposes of this Article IV, all references to the "Company" shall be deemed to include each of the Company and TechyTrade Innovations Pte. Ltd., a company organized and existing under the laws of Singapore and a wholly owned subsidiary of the Company ("TechyTrade"), unless the context otherwise requires. Except as set forth in the Company Disclosure Schedules to this Agreement (each of which qualifies (a) the correspondingly numbered representation, warranty or covenant if specified therein and (b) such other representations, warranties or covenants where its relevance as an exception to (or disclosure for purposes of) such other representation, warranty or covenant is reasonably apparent on its face), the Company represents and warrants to Acquiror and Merger Sub as follows:

#### Section 4.01 Organization, Standing and Corporate Power.

(a) The Company is a corporation, duly incorporated, and validly existing under the laws of the State of Delaware and has all requisite legal entity power and authority to carry on its business as now being conducted. The Company is duly qualified or licensed to do business and is in good standing in each jurisdiction in which the conduct of its business or the ownership, leasing or operation of its properties makes such qualification or licensing necessary, except as would not, individually or in the aggregate, reasonably be expected to prevent, materially delay or materially impair the ability of the Company to consummate the Transactions or have a Company Material Adverse Effect. The Company Organizational Documents, as amended to the date of this Agreement and that have been made available to the Acquiror are true, correct and complete and are in effect as of the date of the Agreement and the Company is not in material default under or in material violation of any provision thereunder.

#### Section 4.02 Corporate Authority; Approval; Non-Contravention.

(a) Including the Company Stockholder Approval, the Company has all requisite corporate or other legal entity power and authority and has taken all corporate or other legal entity action necessary in order to execute, deliver and perform its obligations under this Agreement and the Acquiror Support Agreement to which it is a party and, subject to satisfaction of the conditions to Closing contemplated hereby, to consummate the Transactions. The execution, delivery and performance by the Company of this Agreement, the Acquiror Support Agreement, and the consummation by it of the Transactions, have been duly and validly authorized by all necessary corporate consent and authorizations on the part of the Company, and no other corporate actions on the part of the Company are necessary to authorize the execution and delivery by the Company of this Agreement and the consummation by it of the Transactions. This Agreement has been duly executed and delivered by the Company and, assuming due authorization, execution and delivery hereof by the other parties hereto, is a legal, valid and binding obligation of the Company, enforceable against the Company in accordance with its terms (subject to applicable bankruptcy, insolvency, fraudulent transfer, reorganization, moratorium and other Laws affecting creditors' rights generally from time to time in effect and by general equitable principles (the "Enforceability Exceptions")).

(b) The execution, delivery and performance of this Agreement and the consummation of the Transactions, do not, and will not, constitute or result in (i) a breach or violation of, or a default under, the Company Organizational Documents or, (ii) with or without notice, lapse of time or both, a breach or violation of, a termination (or right of termination) of or default or change of control under, the creation or acceleration of any obligations under or the creation of a Lien (other than a Permitted Lien) on any of the material assets of the Company pursuant to, any Material Contract to which any member of the Company is a party or, assuming (solely with respect to performance of this Agreement and consummation of the Transactions) compliance with the matters referred to in Section 4.02(a), under any Law to which the Company is subject (except Laws that are applicable due to the Company's business, or the Contracts or licenses of the Company), except as disclosed on Schedule 4.02(b).

Section 4.03 <u>Governmental Approvals</u>. No consent of, or registration, declaration, notice or filing with, any Governmental Authority is required by or with respect to the Company in connection with the execution and delivery by the Company of this Agreement or the consummation of the Transactions, except for such consents, registrations, declarations, notices and filings which, if not obtained or made, would not, individually or in the aggregate, reasonably be expected to be material to the Company.

### Section 4.04 Capitalization.

- (a) Set forth on <u>Schedule 4.04(a)</u> is a true, correct and complete list of each holder of issued and outstanding Equity Securities (including notes and other securities convertible into Equity Securities) of the Company and the Equity Securities held by each such holder as of the date hereof. Each of the outstanding Equity Securities of the Company (1) is duly authorized, validly issued, fully paid and nonassessable, (2) was issued in compliance in all material respects with applicable Laws, and (3) was not issued in breach or violation of any preemptive rights or Contract. The Company's Subsidiaries are set forth on <u>Schedule 4.04(a)</u>.
- (b) Except as set forth in Schedule 4.04(b), there are no preemptive or other outstanding rights, options, warrants, phantom interests, conversion rights, equity appreciation rights, profit participation rights, redemption rights, repurchase rights, agreements, arrangements, calls or commitments of any kind that obligate the Company to issue or to sell any Equity Securities of the Company, or any securities or obligations convertible or exchangeable into or exercisable for, valued by reference to or giving any Person a right to subscribe for or acquire, any Equity Securities of the Company or to vote with the Company Stockholders on any matter, and no securities or obligations evidencing such rights are authorized, issued or outstanding. Except as set forth in Schedule 4.04(b), the Company is not party to any stockholders agreement, voting agreement or registration rights agreement relating to its Equity Securities.
- (c) The Company Common Stock to be issued by the Company in connection with the Transactions, upon issuance in accordance with the terms of this Agreement, will be duly authorized, validly issued, fully paid and nonassessable (except as otherwise limited by the Companies Act), and will not be subject to any preemptive rights, free and clear of all Liens (other than restrictions on transfer under applicable Securities Laws and the Existing Company Charter).

### Section 4.05 Financial Statements; Internal Controls.

- (a) The audited statements of financial position, statements of comprehensive income, statements of changes in stockholders' equity and statements of cash flows of the Company for the year ended March 31, 2025 (collectively, the "Financial Statements"), were prepared and audited in accordance with the standards, principles and practices specified therein and, subject thereto, in accordance with GAAP and applicable Law as at the Balance Sheet Date, except as otherwise noted therein.
- (b) The Financial Statements fairly present in all material respects the assets, liabilities, cash flow and financial condition and results of operations of the Company as of the times and for the periods referred to therein. Since the Balance Sheet Date, the Company has not made any material change in the accounting practices or policies applied in the preparation of the Financial Statements, except as required by applicable Law or GAAP.
- (c) The Company and, to the Knowledge of the Company, any director, officer, employee, auditor, accountant or representative of the Company, has not received or otherwise had or obtained knowledge of any complaint, allegation, assertion or claim, whether written or, to the Knowledge of the Company, oral, regarding the accounting or auditing practices, procedures, methodologies or methods of the Company or their respective internal accounting controls, including any such complaint, allegation, assertion or claim that the Company has engaged in questionable accounting or auditing practices and there have been no internal investigations regarding accounting or revenue recognition discussed with, reviewed by or initiated at the direction of the chief executive officer, chief financial officer, general counsel, the board of directors of the Company or any committee thereof. The financial statements, when delivered by the Company for inclusion in the Information Statement for filing with the SEC following the date of this Agreement in accordance with Section 8.02, will comply in all material respects with the applicable accounting requirements and with the rules and regulations of the SEC and the Securities Act in effect as of such date.

### Section 4.06 Compliance with Laws.

- (a) The Company is conducting and has conducted its business in compliance in all material respects with all Laws applicable to it and the Company's business, properties or other assets.
- (b) The Company has not received any written notice (official or otherwise) from any Governmental Authority (i) with respect to an alleged, actual or potential violation and/or failure to comply, in any material respect, with any such applicable Law or (ii) requiring the Company to take or omit any material action to ensure compliance with any such applicable Law.
- (c) The Company possesses all permits, approvals, orders, authorizations, consents, licenses, certificates, franchises, accreditations, waivers, identification numbers, exemptions of, or filings or registrations (excluding Intellectual Property registrations and certifications) with, or issued by, any Governmental Authority necessary for the ownership and use of the assets of the Company and the operation of the Company's business as currently conducted (the "Company Permits"), except where the failure to possess the same has not had or would not, individually or in the aggregate, reasonably be expected to be material to the Company. Except as has not had or would not, individually or in the aggregate, reasonably be expected to be material to the Company Permits are valid and in full force and effect, and there are no lawsuits or other proceedings pending before or, to the Knowledge of the Company, threatened by any Governmental Authority that seek the revocation, cancellation, suspension or adverse material modification thereof. Except as has not had or would not, individually or in the aggregate, reasonably be expected to be material to the Company, the Company in not default, and, to the Knowledge of the Company, no condition exists that with notice or lapse of time or both would constitute a default, under the Company Permits.

Section 4.07 <u>Absence of Certain Changes or Events</u>. Since the Balance Sheet Date and through the date hereof, and except as expressly set forth on <u>Schedule 4.07</u> or as required by this Agreement, (a) the Company has conducted its businesses in all material respects in the ordinary course (and in a manner consistent with past practice) and(b) there has not been any change, effect, event, circumstance, occurrence or state of facts that would, individually or in the aggregate, reasonably be expected to have a Company Material Adverse Effect.

Section 4.08 No Undisclosed Liabilities. Except (a) as disclosed, reflected or reserved against in the Financial Statements or the notes thereto, (b) for liabilities incurred in the ordinary course of business since the Balance Sheet Date, (c) as expressly permitted or contemplated by this Agreement or otherwise incurred in connection with the Transactions, (d) as disclosed on Schedule 4.08, (e) contingent liabilities under executory contracts and (f) for liabilities that have been discharged or paid in full in the ordinary course of business, as of the date hereof, the Company does not have any material liabilities of any nature, whether accrued, contingent or otherwise required to be reflected on a consolidated balance sheet prepared in accordance with GAAP consistently applied and in accordance with past practice.

Section 4.09 <u>Information Supplied</u>. The information supplied in writing by the Company for inclusion in the Information Statement will not contain any untrue statement of a material fact or omit to state any material fact required to be stated therein or necessary in order to make the statements therein, in light of the circumstances under which they were made, not false or misleading.

# Section 4.10 Litigation.

- (a) Except as set forth on Schedule 4.10(a), there is no material Action pending or, to the Knowledge of the Company, threatened against the Company or any of its Subsidiaries, or any property or asset of the Company or any of its Subsidiaries, that would, individually or in the aggregate, reasonably be expected to be material to the Company.
- (b) Except as set forth on Schedule 4.10(b), the Company is not a party to or subject to the provisions of any outstanding Governmental Order (except if generally applicable without the Company being named therein) that would, individually or in the aggregate, reasonably be expected to be material to the Company.

### Section 4.11 Contracts.

- (a) <u>Schedule 4.11(a)</u> sets forth a true and complete list as of the date hereof of the following types of Contracts to which the Company is a party or is bound (other than any Contracts under which the Company does not have any continuing or potential liability and the Lease Documents set forth on <u>Schedule 4.18(e)</u>, Contracts set forth on <u>Schedule 4.25</u>, Company Benefit Plans set forth on <u>Schedule 4.12(a)</u>) (all such Contracts set forth on <u>Schedule 4.11(a)</u>, or which are required to be so disclosed, the "<u>Material Contracts</u>"):
  - (i) each Contract with consideration paid or would reasonably be expected to be payable to the Company of more than \$100,000, in the aggregate, over any twelve (12)-month period;
  - (ii) all distributor, agency, sales promotion, market research, marketing consulting and advertising Contracts or arrangements that are material to the business of the Company;
    - (iii) all Contracts (excluding Contracts for employment) with management and consultants;
    - (iv) all bonus and commission plans of the Company with a reasonably expected value in excess of \$100,000 in any 12-month period;
  - (v) all Contracts involving the payment or payment of royalties or other amounts calculated based upon the revenues or income of the Company or income or revenues related to any Product of the Company to which the Company is a party;
  - (vi) all Contracts evidencing Indebtedness for borrowed money in an amount greater than \$100,000, and any pledge agreements, security agreements or other collateral agreements in which the Company granted to any person a Lien on any of the property or assets of the Company;
  - (vii) all partnership, joint venture or similar agreement or arrangement, including as may be provided in any letter of intent, memorandum of understanding or agreement in principle;
  - (viii) all Contracts, including any grant agreements with any economic development corporation, with any Governmental Authority to which the Company is a party, other than any Company Permits;
  - (ix) all Contracts that (a) limit, or purport to limit, in any material respect, the ability of the Company to compete in any line of business or material business activity or with any Person or in any jurisdiction or during any period of time, excluding customary non-solicitation obligations entered into in the ordinary course of business and confidentiality agreements and agreements that contain customary confidentiality clauses, and (b) that impose "most favored nations" or "most favored supplier" restrictions;
    - (x) all Contracts that result in any Person or entity holding a power of attorney from the Company;
    - (xi) all leases or master leases of personal property reasonably likely to result in annual payments of \$100,000 or more in a 12-month period;

(xii) any note, mortgage, indenture or other obligation or agreement or other instrument for or relating to indebtedness for borrowed money in excess of \$100,000, or any guarantee of third party obligations in excess of \$100,000, or any letters of credit, performance bonds or other credit support for the Company;

(xiii) all Contracts for the employment or engagement of any employee, officer, director or other individual service provider that (A) provide for annualized base compensation in excess of \$200,000 or (B) are not terminable by the Company on no more than 30 days' notice and without liability to or financial obligation by the Company;

(xiv) any collective bargaining agreement or other Contract with any labor union, works council, or other labor organization (each, a "CBA");

(xv) Contracts which involve the license or grant of rights under any Intellectual Property owned by a third party to the Company, or under Company Intellectual Property by the Company to a third party, excluding (A) nondisclosure agreements entered into in the ordinary course of business by the Company; (B) licenses of commercially available and/or off-the-shelf Software (including Software provided as a service) or other standard or commercially available Intellectual Property licensed under shrinkwrap, clickwrap, online terms of use or service or other standard license terms with an aggregate annual license cost of \$100,000 or less; (C) Contracts between the Company and its customers entered into in the ordinary course of business in which Company Intellectual Property is licensed on a non-exclusive basis; (D) invention assignment and confidentiality agreements between the Company and its employees and/or independent contractors entered into by the Company in the ordinary course of business on the standard form(s) of such Contract(s) made available to Acquiror; (E) Contracts between the Company and its vendors or suppliers entered into in the ordinary course of business in which the Company has granted a license to the supplier or vendor (i) to use the Company's trademarks, service marks, or other source identifiers for purposes of indicating that the Company is a customer of the vendor or supplier; (ii) to use feedback, suggestions or ideas provided by the Company to the vendor or supplier; or (iii) to use any Company Intellectual Property for purposes of providing goods or services to or as directed by the Company, and (F) Contracts under which the license or grant of rights is merely incidental to the transaction(s) contemplated by such Contract;

(xvi) any Contract that is a settlement, conciliation or similar agreement with any Governmental Authority or pursuant to which the Company will have any material outstanding obligation after the date of this Agreement;

(xvii) all Contracts for the development of Intellectual Property for the benefit of the Company (other than invention assignment and confidentiality agreements entered into with employees and contractors of the Company that have provisions relating to confidentiality and assignment of Intellectual Property that are materially similar to the confidentiality and Intellectual Property assignment provisions set forth in the standard form(s) of such agreement(s) used by the Company and made available to Acquiror); and

(xviii) any principal transaction Contract entered into in connection with a completed acquisition or disposition by the Company or any of its Subsidiaries involving consideration in excess of \$250,000 of any Person or other business organization, division or business of any Person (including through merger or consolidation or the purchase of a controlling equity interest in or substantially all of the assets of such Person or by any other manner).

(b) Except as set forth on Schedule 4.11(b), the Company (i) is not, nor has it received written or, to the Knowledge of the Company, oral notice that any other party to any Material Contract is, except as such may be limited the Enforceability Exceptions, in material violation or material breach of or material default (immediately or upon notice or lapse of time) under or (ii) has not waived or failed to enforce any material rights or material benefits under any Material Contract to which it is a party or any of its properties or other assets is subject. No Material Contract is the subject of a written notice to terminate delivered or communicated in accordance with the terms of any Material Contract, except for any expiration of the term of a Material Contract following the date of this Agreement in accordance with its terms. Each Material Contract is in full force and effect and, subject to the Enforceability Exceptions, is legal, valid and binding on the Company, and, to the Knowledge of the Company, each other party thereto, except as would not be material and adverse to the Company, taken as a whole. Except as set forth on Schedule 4.11(b), there is no default under any such Material Contracts by the Company, or, to the Knowledge of the Company, any other party thereto, in each case, except as would not be material and adverse to the Company, taken as a whole.

### Section 4.12 Employee Benefits.

- (a) Schedule 4.12(a) sets forth an accurate and complete list of each material Company Benefit Plan.
- (b) No Company Benefit Plan is or was at any time subject to the Laws of the United States nor any State therein, and no Company Benefit Plan benefits nor at any time benefited any individuals who are or were United States citizens and/or residents. The Company does not have any liability or obligation, contingent or actual, under ERISA or the Code either individually, collectively or as a result of any affiliation with an ERISA Affiliate.
- (c) With respect to each Company Benefit Plan, the Company has made available to Acquiror, if applicable (i) a true and complete copy of the plan document and all amendments thereto and each trust or other funding arrangement, (ii) copies of the most recent summary plan descriptions and summaries of material modifications, (iii) copies of annual reports and/or filings required to be made with any applicable Governmental Authority for the past three (3) plan years and (iv) any material non-routine correspondence from any Governmental Authority with respect to any Company Benefit Plan within the past three (3) years. The Company has no express commitment to modify, change or terminate any Plan, other than with respect to a modification, change or termination required by applicable Law.

- (d) Neither the Company is, nor will it become obligated, whether under any Company Benefit Plan, employment agreement, consulting agreement, or other arrangement, whether written or unwritten (collectively, "Service Agreements"), to pay separation, severance, termination or similar benefits to any person directly as a result of the Transactions, nor will the Transactions accelerate the time of payment or vesting, or increase the amount, of any benefit or other compensation due to any individual. The Transaction shall not be the direct or indirect cause of any amount paid or payable by the Company being classified as an "excess parachute payment" under Section 280G of the Code.
- (e) None of the Company Benefit Plans nor Service Agreements provides, nor does the Company have or reasonably expect to have any obligation to provide retiree medical to any current or former employee, officer, director or consultant of the Company after termination of employment or service except as may be required under applicable Law.
- (f) Each Company Benefit Plan and each Service Agreement is and has been within the past six (6) years in compliance, in all material respects, in accordance with its terms and the requirements of all applicable Laws. The Company has performed, in all material respects, all obligations required to be performed by them under, are not in any material respect in default under or in violation of, and have no knowledge of any default or violation in any material respect by any party to, any Company Benefit Plan or Service Agreement. No Action is pending or, to the knowledge of the Company, threatened with respect to any Company Benefit Plan (other than claims for benefits in the ordinary course) or Service Agreement and, to the knowledge of the Company, no fact or event exists that could reasonably be expected to give rise to any such Action.
- (g) There have been no acts or omissions by the Company that have given or could reasonably be expected to give rise to any material fines, penalties, Taxes or related charges under applicable Law for which the Company may be liable.
- (h) All contributions, premiums or payments required to be made with respect to any Company Benefit Plan have been timely made to the extent due or properly accrued on the consolidated financial statements of the Company, except as would not result in material liability to the Company.

### Section 4.13 Labor and Employment.

- (a) Schedule 4.13(a) sets forth a true, correct and complete list of all current employees of TechyTrade, as of a date not more than five (5) days before the Closing Date, including any employee who is on a leave of absence of any nature, authorized or unauthorized, and sets forth for each such individual the following: (i) name; (ii) title or position (including whether full or part time); (iii) hire date; (iv) current annual base compensation rate; (v) commission, bonus or other incentive based compensation; and (vi) the term of their employment (indefinite or definite). As of the date hereof, all compensation, including wages, commissions and bonuses, due and payable to all employees for services performed on or prior to the date hereof, has been paid in full.
- (b) Except as set forth on Schedule 4.13(b), (i) there are no material Actions pending or, to the knowledge of the Company, threatened in writing against the Company alleging violations of any Law pertaining to labor relations or employment matters, by any of their respective current or former employees, which Actions would be material to the Company, taken as a whole; (ii) the Company is not, nor has the Company been for the past two (2) years, a party to, bound by, or negotiating any collective bargaining agreement or other contract with a union, works council or labor organization applicable to persons employed by the Company, nor, to the knowledge of the Company, is there a union organizing campaign in progress with respect to any such employees; (iii) there are no unfair labor practice complaints pending against the Company before any Governmental Authority; and (iv) for the past two (2) years there has not been, nor, to the knowledge of the Company, has there been threatened in writing, any strike, slowdown, work stoppage, lockout, concerted refusal to work overtime or other material labor dispute affecting any employees of the Company.

- (c) The Company is, and for the last two (2) years has been, in compliance in all material respects with all applicable Laws relating to the employment, employment practices, employment discrimination, terms and conditions of employment, mass layoffs and plant closings (including the Worker Adjustment and Retraining Notification Act of 1988, as amended, or any similar Laws), immigration, meal and rest breaks, pay equity, workers' compensation, family and medical leave, and occupational safety and health requirements, including those related to wages, hours, collective bargaining and the payment and withholding of Taxes and other sums as required by the appropriate Governmental Authority and are not liable for any arrears of wages, Taxes, penalties or other sums for failure to comply with any of the foregoing.
- (d) To the Knowledge of the Company, no current or former employee or independent contractor of the Company is in any material respect in violation of any term of any employment agreement, nondisclosure agreement, common law nondisclosure obligation, fiduciary duty, noncompetition agreement, non-solicitation agreement, restrictive covenant or other obligation: (i) owed to the Company; or (ii) owed to any third party with respect to such Person's right to be employed or engaged by the Company. To the Knowledge of the Company, no current employee of the Company with annualized base compensation at or above \$250,000, has given notice to the Company that the employee intends to terminate his or her employment prior to the one-year anniversary of the Closing.
- (e) The Company has promptly, thoroughly and impartially investigated all sexual harassment, or other unlawful discrimination or unlawful retaliation, complaints made by or against employees of the Company, in each case in connection with their employment with the Company, of which it has been made aware in the past two (2) years. With respect to each such complaint to the extent warranted based on the Company's investigation, the Company has taken prompt corrective action that is reasonably calculated to prevent further improper action. The Company does not reasonably expect any material liabilities with respect to any such complaints and, to the Knowledge of the Company, there are no such complaints relating to officers, directors, employees, contractors, or agents of the Company relating to their employment with or service to the Company, that, if known to the public, would bring the Company into material disrepute.
- (f) Except as would not result in material liability for the Company, in the past two (2) years the Company has fully and timely paid all (i) wages, salaries, wage premiums, commissions, overtime, bonuses, severance and termination payments, fees, and other compensation that has come due and payable to its current or former employees and independent contractors under applicable Laws, Contract or Company policy, and (ii) fines, Taxes, interest, or other penalties for any failure to pay or delinquency in paying such compensation.

#### Section 4.14 Taxes.

- (a) The Company: (i) has duly and timely filed (taking into account any extension of time within which to file) all material Tax Returns required to be filed by any of them as of the date hereof and all such filed Tax Returns are complete and accurate in all material respects; (ii) has timely paid all material Taxes that are shown as due on such filed Tax Returns and any other material Taxes that the Company is otherwise obligated to pay, and no material penalties or charges are due with respect to the late filing of any Tax Return required to be filed by or with respect to any of them on or before the Effective Time; (iii) with respect to all material Tax Returns filed by or with respect to them, have not waived any statute of limitations with respect to Taxes or agreed to any extension of time with respect to a Tax assessment or deficiency; and (iv) do not have any deficiency, audit, examination, investigation or other proceeding in respect of Taxes or Tax matters pending or proposed or threatened in writing, for a Tax period which the statute of limitations for assessments remains open.
- (b) The Company is not a party to, bound by or otherwise obligated under any Tax sharing agreement, Tax indemnification agreement, Tax allocation agreement or similar contract or arrangement (including any agreement, contract or arrangement providing for the sharing or ceding of credits or losses) or has a potential liability or obligation to any person as a result of or pursuant to any such agreement, contract, arrangement or commitment other than an agreement, contract, arrangement or commitment the primary purpose of which does not relate to Taxes.
- (c) The Company will not be required to include any material item of income in, or exclude any material item of deduction from, taxable income for any taxable period (or portion thereof) ending after the Closing Date as a result of any: (i) change in method of accounting for a taxable period ending on or prior to the Closing Date under Code Section 481(c) (or any corresponding or similar provision of state, local or non-U.S. income Tax Law); (ii) "closing agreement" as described in Code Section 7121 (or any corresponding or similar provision of state, local or non-U.S. income Tax Law) executed on or prior to the Closing Date; or (iii) installment sale made on or prior to the Closing Date.
- (d) The Company has withheld and paid to the appropriate Tax authority all material Taxes required to have been withheld and paid in connection with amounts paid or owing to any current or former employee, independent contractor, creditor, stockholder or other third party and has complied in all material respects with all applicable Laws, rules and regulations relating to the payment and withholding of Taxes.
- (e) The Company has not been a member of an affiliated group filing a consolidated, combined or unitary U.S. federal, state, local or non-U.S. income Tax Return (other than a group of which the Company was the common parent).

- (f) The Company does not have material liability for the Taxes of any person (other than the Company) under Treasury Regulation Section 1.1502-6 (or any similar provision of state, local or non-U.S. Law), as a transferee or successor, by contract or otherwise.
- (g) The Company does not have any request for a material ruling in respect of Taxes pending between the Company or any Company Subsidiary and any Tax authority.
- (h) The Company has made available to Acquiror true, correct, and complete copies of the income Tax Returns filed by the Company for tax years through 2025.
- (i) The Company has not in any year for which the applicable statute of limitations remains open distributed stock of another person, or has had its stock distributed by another person, in a transaction that was purported or intended to be governed in whole or in part by Section 355 or Section 361 of the Code.
- (j) The Company has not engaged in or entered into a "listed transaction" within the meaning of Treasury Regulation Section 1.6011-4(b)(2) (or any corresponding or similar provision of state, local or non-U.S. income Tax Law).
- (k) No Governmental Authority has asserted in writing or, to the knowledge of the Company, has threatened to assert against the Company any deficiency or claim for any Taxes or interest thereon or penalties in connection therewith.
  - (1) There are no Tax Liens upon any assets of the Company except for Permitted Liens.
- (m) The Company has not been a United States real property holding corporation within the meaning of Section 897(c)(2) of the Code during the applicable period specified in Section 897(c)(1)(A)(ii) of the Code. The Company: (A) is not a "controlled foreign corporation" as defined in Section 957 of the Code, (B) does not have a permanent establishment (within the meaning of an applicable Tax treaty) or otherwise has an office or fixed place of business in a country other than the country in which it is organized or (C) is not otherwise subject to taxation in a country other than the country in which it is organized.
  - (n) The Company is in compliance in all material respects with applicable transfer pricing Laws.

#### Section 4.15 Intellectual Property.

(a) <u>Schedule 4.15(a)</u> contains a complete and accurate list of all (i) issued patents and pending patent applications, (ii) trademark and service mark registrations, (iii) copyright registrations and (iv) registered domain names, in each case that are owned by the Company (collectively, "<u>Registered IP</u>"), indicating for each item, as applicable, the registration or application number, the applicable filing jurisdiction and the date of filing or issuance, and registrar. The Company exclusively owns all right, title, and interest in and to the Registered IP, free and clear of any Liens other than Permitted Liens. To the Knowledge of the Company, the Registered IP is subsisting and, excluding any Registered IP which is the subject of an application for registration or issuance, has not been held invalid by any Governmental Authority and is enforceable, in each case, except as would not be material and adverse to the Company, taken as a whole.

- (b) The Company solely and exclusively owns all right, title, and interest in and to or is licensed to use or otherwise has the right to use all Intellectual Property used in or necessary to the conduct of the business of the Company as currently conducted, except as would not be material and adverse to the Company, taken as a whole. All Owned Intellectual Property and Intellectual Property licensed to the Company by a third party that is used in or necessary to the conduct of the business of the Company as currently conducted shall be owned or available for use by the Company immediately after the Closing on terms and conditions substantially the same as those under which any Company owned or used such Intellectual Property immediately prior to the Closing, in each case, except as would not be material and adverse to the Company, taken as a whole.
- (c) Except as set forth on Schedule 4.15(c), to the Knowledge of the Company (i) the operation of the business of the Company as currently conducted does not infringe, misappropriate, dilute or otherwise violate any third-party Intellectual Property, except as would not be material and adverse to the Company, taken as a whole, and (ii) no third party infringes, misappropriates, dilutes or otherwise violates on the date of this Agreement, and no third party has infringed, misappropriated, diluted or otherwise violated any material Owned Intellectual Property.
- (d) As of the date hereof, there is no Action pending or, to the Knowledge of the Company, threatened in writing against the Company (i) challenging the ownership, validity, registrability, patentability, or enforceability of the Owned Intellectual Property (excluding office actions and similar ex-parte proceedings in connection with the prosecution of applications for the registration or issuance of any Intellectual Property) or (ii) asserting that the Company has infringed, misappropriated, diluted or otherwise violated any third-party Intellectual Property, in the case of each of clause (i) and (ii), except as would not be material and adverse to the Company, taken as a whole.

# (e) Intentionally Omitted.

- (f) The Company has not received any funding of any university or other educational or research center or Governmental Authority. No such university, educational or research center, or Governmental Authority has any rights in or to any Owned Intellectual Property or, to the Knowledge of Company, any other Intellectual Property used in or necessary for the business of the Company as currently conducted.
- (g) To the Knowledge of the Company, none of the Company Software is developed, used, distributed or modified under any Open Source Software license in a manner which has or would require any disclosure, licensing or distribution of the source code of any such Company Software to any Person, other than the applicable Open Source Software. To the Knowledge of the Company, the Company has complied, and currently complies, in all material respects with the terms of all applicable Open Source Software licenses.
- (h) The Company has taken and takes commercially reasonable actions to maintain, protect and enforce Intellectual Property rights in the trade secrets owned by the Company.

### Section 4.16 Data Protection.

- (a) The Company (i) has been in compliance in all material respects with all Privacy Laws and (ii) has not been subject to any regulatory audits or, to the Knowledge of the Company, investigations by any Governmental Authority relating to Privacy Laws. The Company has taken commercially reasonable steps to ensure that all Personal Information is protected in all material respects against loss and against unauthorized access, use, modification, disclosure or other use or misuse. To the Knowledge of the Company, there has been no loss, theft or unauthorized access to or misuse of any Personal Information, in each case, that has resulted in, or is reasonably likely to result in, material liability to the Company, taken as a whole.
- (b) The Company has not received any written requests, complaints or objections to its collection or use of Personal Information from any data protection authority or third party (including data subjects) that remains unresolved that has resulted in, or is reasonably likely to result in, material liability to the Company, taken as a whole. To the Knowledge of the Company, no individual has been awarded compensation from the Company under any Privacy Laws, and no written claim for such compensation is outstanding.
- (c) The Company does not sell, rent or otherwise make available to any Person any Personal Information, except in a manner that complies in all material respects with the applicable Privacy Laws. The execution, delivery and performance of this Agreement and the transactions contemplated herein comply, and will comply, in all material respects, with all Privacy Laws and other contractual commitments related to the privacy and security of Personal Information to which the Company is bound, except as would not be material and adverse to the Company, taken as a whole.

# Section 4.17 Information Technology.

- (a) The IT Systems: (i) operate and perform in material accordance with the requirements of the Company for the operation of its business as currently conducted and (ii) to the Knowledge of the Company, are free from bugs and other defects, in each case, except as would not be material and adverse to the Company, taken as a whole
- (b) The Company uses commercially reasonable efforts to protect the confidentiality, integrity and security of the IT Systems used in the operation of the business of the Company from any unauthorized use, access, interruption, or modification. Such IT Systems are sufficient for current needs of the Company, including as to capacity, scalability and ability to process current and anticipated peak volumes in a timely manner. The IT Systems include a sufficient number of license seats for all Software licensed by the Company from third parties as necessary for the usage of such Software in the operation of the business of the Company as currently conducted.
- (c) To the Knowledge of the Company, there have been no unauthorized intrusions, failures, breakdowns, security breaches, continued substandard performance, or other adverse events affecting any such IT Systems that have caused any substantial disruption of or interruption in or to the use of such IT Systems or any unauthorized use, misappropriation, modification, encryption, corruption, disclosure, or transfer of any information or data contained therein, in each case, that has resulted in, or is reasonably likely to result in, material liability to the Company. The Company maintains commercially reasonable disaster recovery and business continuity plans, procedures and facilities in connection with the operation of the business of the Company, acts in compliance therewith, and has taken commercially reasonable steps to test such plans and procedures on a periodic basis, and such plans and procedures have been proven effective upon such testing in all material respects.

# Section 4.18 Real Property.

- (a) The Company does not own any real property.
- (b) <u>Schedule 4.18(b)</u> contains a complete and accurate list by property, city, state and country, of all real property leasehold or subleasehold estates and other rights to possess or occupy any land, buildings, structures, improvements, fixtures or other interest in real property held by the Company as of the date of this Agreement (the "<u>Leased Company Properties</u>"). The Company is the sole legal and beneficial owner of a leasehold or subleasehold interest in, or other right to possess or occupy, the Leased Company Properties.
- (c) <u>Schedule 4.18(c)</u> contains a complete and accurate list of all leases, subleases, licenses, concessions, and other Contracts, agreements and leasehold arrangements and all related supplemental documents (collectively, the "<u>Lease Documents</u>") pursuant to which the Company leases, licenses, subleases or otherwise occupies any Leased Company Property on the date hereof. The Company has delivered to Acquiror a true and complete copy of each such Lease Document. Neither the Company nor, to the Knowledge of the Company, any other party to any Lease Document is in material breach or material default under such Lease Document, and no event has occurred or circumstances exist which, with the delivery of notice, the passage of time or both, would constitute such a breach or default, or permit the termination or acceleration of rent under such Lease Document, by the Company or, to the Knowledge of the Company, any other party thereto.
- (d) Each Lease Document is a written agreement in full force and effect, and, subject to the Enforceability Exceptions, is legal, valid, binding and enforceable against the Company that is a party to such Lease Document and, to the Knowledge of the Company, any other party to such Lease Document. The Company has paid the rent and all other sums that are due and payable under such Lease Documents and there are no significant arrears thereunder due and payable by the Company.
- (e) To the Knowledge of the Company, there exist no restrictions, covenants or encumbrances which encumber any of the Leased Company Properties and which prevent any of the Leased Company Properties from being used now or in the future for their current use or would prevent, or require consent from a third party as a result of, the consummation of the transactions contemplated by this Agreement or which would be material and adverse to the Company, taken as a whole.

(f) The Company has not, at any time, given any covenant or entered into any agreement in respect of any leasehold real property other than the Leased Company Properties in respect of which any material contingent liability of the Company remains as of the date of this Agreement. The Company has not subleased, licensed or otherwise granted any Person the right to use or occupy any Leased Company Property or any portion thereof, and the Company has not collaterally assigned or granted any other security interest in any Lease Document or any interest therein.

(g) As of the date of this Agreement, to the Knowledge of the Company, there are no material outstanding Actions to which the Company is a party in respect of any of the Leased Company Properties, other than nondelinquent real property assessments affecting the Leased Company Properties. As of the date of this Agreement, the Company's possession and quiet enjoyment of the Leased Company Property under each Lease Document is not materially disturbed.

# Section 4.19 Anti-Bribery; Trade Controls Compliance.

- (a) Anti-Bribery. The Company and each of its managers, officers, directors, employees, and to the Knowledge of the Company, agents, and any other Person acting on their behalf, (i) are and have been, in compliance with the anti-bribery Laws and anti-corruption Laws of each jurisdiction in which the Company operates or has operated, including the U.S. Foreign Corrupt Practices Act of 1977, as amended (collectively, "Anti-Bribery Laws"), and (ii) have not paid, given, offered or promised to pay, or authorized or ratified the payment or transfer, directly or indirectly, of any monies or anything of value to any Public Official or other Person, for the purpose of corruptly influencing any act or decision of such Public Official or of a Governmental Authority, or any other Person, to obtain or retain business, to direct business to any Person, or to secure any other improper benefit or advantage. Except as set forth on Schedule 4.19(a), the Company is not subject, and has not been subject, to any Actions or made any disclosures, voluntary or otherwise, to any Governmental Authority relating to the Anti-Bribery Laws.
- (b) *Trade Control Compliance*. To the Knowledge of the Company, the Company is and has been, in compliance in all respects with all applicable international trade control compliance Laws, including but not limited to: (a) U.S. Laws governing economic sanctions, including those administered by the U.S. Treasury Department's Office of Foreign Assets Control codified at 31 C.F.R. Part 500 et. seq., and the U.S. Department of State ("Sanctions"); (b) U.S. Laws governing the exportation of goods, technology, software, and services, including the Export Administration Regulations (15 C.F.R. § 730 et seq.), and the International Traffic in Arms Regulations (22 C.F.R. § 120 et seq.); (c) U.S. Laws governing the importation of goods, including laws administered by U.S. Customs and Border Protection; and (d) U.S. Laws governing international boycotts administered by the U.S. Department of Commerce and the Internal Revenue Service (collectively, the "International Trade Laws"). None of the Company and its directors or director equivalents, members, officers, employees, or to the Knowledge of the Company, agents, representatives or other Persons acting on behalf of the Company, (a) have been the target of Sanctions, (b) located, organized, or ordinarily resident in a jurisdiction subject to comprehensive Sanctions (as of the date of this Agreement, Cuba, Iran, North Korea, Syria, and the Crimea, so-called Donetsk People's Republic, and so-called Luhansk People's Republic regions of Ukraine) ("Embargoed Jurisdiction"), or (c) owned fifty percent (50%) or more, directly or indirectly, individually or in aggregate, by Persons listed in (a) or (b) (collectively, a "Sanctioned Person"). To the Knowledge of the Company, the Company has not engaged in any unlawful dealings or transactions, directly or indirectly, with any Sanctioned Persons. The Company is not subject, and have not been subject to any Actions, or made any disclosures to any Governmental Authority, involving the Company relating to the International Trade Laws. T

#### Section 4.20 Insurance.

- (a) <u>Schedule 4.20(a)</u> sets forth a true and complete list of the material current insurance policies or binders maintained by the Company (the "<u>Insurance Policies</u>"). To the Knowledge of the Company, there are no events, circumstances or other liabilities that would reasonably be expected to give rise to a material claim under the Insurance Policies.
- (b) Except as has not had or would not, individually or in the aggregate, reasonably be expected to be material to the Company, the Insurance Policies are in full force and effect as of the date of this Agreement with respect to the Company, and the limits thereunder have not been impaired, exhausted or materially diminished.
- (c) As of the date hereof, the Company has not received any written or oral notice of cancellation of, a material premium increase (relative to others in the industry in which the Company operates) with respect to, or of a material alteration of coverage under, any Insurance Policy. Except as has not had or would not, individually or in the aggregate, reasonably be expected to be material to the Company, all of the Insurance Policies (i) are valid and binding in accordance with their terms, subject to Enforceability Exceptions and (ii) have not been subject to any lapse in coverage. There are no material claims related to the Company or the assets, business, operations, employees, officers and directors of the Company pending under any such Insurance Policies as to which coverage has been denied or disputed or in respect of which there is an outstanding reservation of rights.
- Section 4.21 <u>Competition Regulation</u>. Except as set forth on <u>Schedule 4.21</u>, the Company is in compliance with all applicable Antitrust Laws in all material respects. The Company is not a party to any agreement or arrangement with a Governmental Authority under any Antitrust Laws in any jurisdiction in which the Company has assets or carries on or intends to carry on business.
  - Section 4.22 Environmental Matters. Except as has not had or would not, individually or in the aggregate, reasonably be expected to be material to the Company:
- (a) the Company is in material compliance in all respects with all Environmental Laws and all material Company Permits required under Environmental Laws in connection with the operation of the Company's business or ownership or operation of the Leased Company Properties, which Company Permits have been obtained by the Company and are current and valid, except as such Company Permit would not be material to the Company's business, taken as a whole;

- (b) there are no Actions or Governmental Orders pending, or to the Knowledge of the Company, threatened, against the Company, nor, to the Knowledge of the Company, has the Company received any written notification of or otherwise been made aware of, any actual or alleged violation of, or liability under, Environmental Laws;
- (c) the Company (or to the Knowledge of the Company, any other Person to the extent giving rise to liability for the Company) has not manufactured, generated, treated, stored, disposed or arranged for disposal of, transported, released, exposed any Person to, or owned or operated any property or facility contaminated by, any Hazardous Material under circumstances or in quantities that violate Environmental Laws or which would reasonably be expected to give rise to liability for the Company pursuant to Environmental Laws; and
- (d) the Company has furnished to the Acquiror copies of all material environmental reports, assessments and audits in its possession or reasonable control relating to the Company's compliance with Environmental Laws or the environmental condition of the real property operated or leased by the Company in connection with its business.

# Section 4.23 Customers and Suppliers.

- (a) <u>Schedule 4.23(a)</u> sets forth a true, correct and complete list, as of the date of this Agreement, of the 10 largest customers of the Company (each, a "<u>Material Customer</u>"), the year ended March 31, 2025, measured by the amount of revenue received by the Company during such period. Except as set forth on <u>Schedule 4.23(a)</u>, as of the date hereof, the Company has not since the Balance Sheet Date received any written, or to the Knowledge of the Company, oral notice that any Material Customer has cancelled, materially decreased or otherwise materially modify, its relationship with the Company.
- (b) <u>Schedule 4.23(b)</u> sets forth a complete and correct list, as of the date of this Agreement, of the 10 largest vendors, suppliers, third-party service providers and other similar business relations of the Company (each, a "<u>Material Vendor</u>") during the year ended March 31, 2025, measured by the amount of expenditure by the Company during such period. Except as set forth in <u>Schedule 4.23(b)</u>, the Company has not as of the Balance Sheet Date received any written, or to the Knowledge of the Company, oral notice that any Material Vendor has cancelled, terminated or otherwise materially modified, or intends to cancel, terminate or otherwise materially modify its relationship with the Company.

Section 4.24 <u>Brokers</u>. Except as set forth on <u>Schedule 4.24</u>, no broker, investment banker, financial advisor or other Person, the fees and expenses of which will be paid by the Company pursuant to an engagement letter entered into therewith, is entitled to any broker's, finder's, financial advisor's or other similar fee or commission in connection with the Transactions based upon arrangements made by or on behalf of the Company.

Section 4.25 <u>Affiliate Agreements</u>. Except as set forth on <u>Schedule 4.25</u>, the Company is not party to any transaction, agreement, arrangement or understanding with any (a) present or former executive officer or director of the Company, (b) beneficial owner (within the meaning of Section 13(d) of the Exchange Act) of five (5%) percent or more of the capital stock or equity interests of the Acquiror, Merger Sub or the Company or (c) Affiliate, "associate" or member of the "immediate family" (as such terms are respectively defined in Rules 12b-2 and 16a-1 of the Exchange Act) of any of the foregoing.

Section 4.26 <u>Assets</u>. The Company (i) owns or controls 1,000 bitcoin (the "<u>Bitcoin</u>") in TechyTrade's wholly-owned subsidiary, TechyTrade FZ LLC, and the Bitcoin are identifiable, segregated and held free and clear of any encumbrances or restrictions of any kind and (ii) has no indebtedness other than trade payables, and such trade payables were less than fifty percent (50%) of its cash on and in bank accounts; and (iii) the Bitcoin are maintained within a segregated sub-wallet structure created and administered by MindWave Ltd. ("<u>MindWave</u>") for the benefit of the Company, with the private keys, full beneficial ownership and control of the segregated wallet(s) are held by and shall remain under the custody and ownership of TechyTrade FZ LLC, and (iv) the share of TechyTrade were duly issued to Calfin Capital Private Limited ("<u>Calfin</u>") as consideration for the acquisition of those Bitcoin under the share subscription letter, dated November 14, 2025, by and between TechyTrade and Calfin. This representation is referred to herein as the "<u>Asset Representation</u>." Simultaneously with the entry into this Agreement, the Company shall provide an attestation letter, dated as of the Closing Date, prepared by the Company's independent registered public accounting firm evidencing the ownership of the Bitcoin in connection with the Asset Representation.

Section 4.27 No Other Representations or Warranties. The representations and warranties made by the Company in this Article IV are the exclusive representations and warranties made by the Company, its Affiliates and their respective Representatives. Except for the representations and warranties contained in this Article IV, neither the Company nor any other Person has made or makes any other express or implied representation or warranty, either written or oral, on behalf of the Company, to the accuracy or completeness of any information regarding the Company available to the other parties or their respective Representatives and expressly disclaims any such other representations or warranties. For the avoidance of doubt, each of the Company, its Affiliates and each of their respective Representatives has not made and does not make any express or implied representation or warranty, either written or oral, with respect to the Company. In particular, without limiting the foregoing, neither the Company nor any other Person makes or has made any representation or warranty to the other parties hereto, and shall have no liability in respect to (a) any financial projection, forecast, estimate, budget or prospect information relating to the Company or (b) any oral or, except for the representations and warranties expressly made by the Company in this Article IV written information made available to the other parties hereto in the course of their evaluation of the Company and the negotiation of this Agreement or in the course of the Transactions. The Company hereby acknowledges and agrees with the statements and provisions set forth in Section 5.18.

#### ARTICLE V

# REPRESENTATIONS AND WARRANTIES OF ACQUIROR AND MERGER SUB

Except as set forth in the Acquiror Disclosure Schedules (each of which qualifies (a) the correspondingly numbered representation, warranty or covenant if specified therein and (b) such other representations, warranties or covenants where its relevance as an exception to (or disclosure for purposes of) such other representation, warranty or covenant is reasonably apparent on its face) or in the Acquiror SEC Reports filed or furnished by Acquiror on or before the date of this Agreement (excluding (i) any disclosures in such Acquiror SEC Reports under the headings "Risk Factors" or "Forward-Looking Statements" and other disclosures that are predictive, cautionary or forward looking in nature and (ii) any exhibits or other documents appended thereto), each of Acquiror and Merger Sub, jointly and severally, represents and warrants to the Company as follows:

### Section 5.01 Organization, Standing and Corporate Power.

- (a) Each of Acquiror and Merger Sub is a corporation duly incorporated, validly existing and in good standing under the Laws of its jurisdiction of formation and has all requisite corporate power and authority to carry on its business as now being conducted. Merger Sub has no assets or operations other than those required to effect the Transactions contemplated hereby. Acquiror is duly qualified or licensed to do business and is in good standing in each jurisdiction in which the conduct of its business or the ownership, leasing or operation of its properties makes such qualification or licensing necessary, except as would not have an Acquiror Material Adverse Effect.
- (b) Merger Sub is a corporation duly organized, validly existing and in good standing under the Law of the State of Delaware, with full corporate power and authority to enter into this Agreement and perform its obligations hereunder. Other than Merger Sub, Acquiror has no other Subsidiaries or any equity or other interests in any other Person.
- (c) Acquiror has provided to the Company a true, complete and correct copy of the Acquiror Organizational Documents and the certificate of incorporation and bylaws of Merger Sub and there are no other Contracts which would amend, supplement or relate to the subject matters described in the Acquiror Organizational Documents or the certificate of incorporation and bylaws of Merger Sub, provided however, that the Acquiror will file the Certificate of Amendment with the Secretary of State of the State of Delaware to amend the Acquiror Charter following the Action Effective Time to implement the Reverse Stock Split.

# Section 5.02 Corporate Authority; Approval; Non-Contravention; Government Approvals.

(a) Each of Acquiror and Merger Sub has the requisite corporate power and authority and has taken all corporate action necessary in order to execute, deliver and perform its obligations under this Agreement and the Acquiror Support Agreement, as applicable, and subject to satisfaction of the conditions to Closing contemplated hereby, to consummate the Transactions. The execution, delivery and performance by Acquiror and Merger Sub of this Agreement and the Acquiror Support Agreement, as applicable, and the consummation by it of the Transactions, have been duly and validly authorized by all necessary corporate consent and authorizations on the part of Acquiror and Merger Sub, and no other corporate or other actions on the part of Acquiror or Merger Sub are necessary to authorize the execution and delivery by Acquiror or Merger Sub of this Agreement, the Acquiror Support Agreement, as applicable, and the consummation by it of the Transactions, in each case, subject to receipt of the Acquiror Stockholder Approvals. This Agreement has been duly executed and delivered by Acquiror and Merger Sub and, assuming due authorization, execution and delivery hereof by the other parties, is a legal, valid and binding obligation of Acquiror and Merger Sub, enforceable against Acquiror and Merger Sub in accordance with its terms (subject to the Enforceability Exceptions).

- (b) The execution, delivery, and performance of this Agreement and the Acquiror Support Agreement, as applicable, and the consummation of the Transactions, and (in the case of Acquiror) subject to receipt of the Acquiror Stockholder Approvals, do not, and will not, constitute or result in (i) a breach or violation of, or a default under, the Acquiror Organizational Documents or any organizational documents of Merger Sub or (ii) with or without notice, lapse of time or both, a breach or violation of, a termination (or right of termination) of or default under, the creation or acceleration of any obligations under or the creation of a Lien on any of the assets of Acquiror, Merger Sub or any of their Affiliates pursuant to, any Contract to which Acquiror, Merger Sub or any of their Affiliates is a party or, assuming (solely with respect to performance of this Agreement and consummation of the Transactions) compliance with the matters referred to in Section 5.02(a), under any Law to which Acquiror, Merger Sub or any of their Affiliates is subject, except (in the case of clause (ii) above) for such violations, breaches or defaults which has not had or would not, individually or in the aggregate, reasonably be expected to materially impair, delay or prohibit the ability of Acquiror or Merger Sub to enter into, perform its obligations under this Agreement and consummate the Transactions.
- (c) No consent of, or registration, declaration, notice or filing with, any Governmental Authority is required by or with respect to Acquiror or Merger Sub in connection with the execution and delivery by Acquiror or Merger Sub of this Agreement or the consummation of the Transactions contemplated by this Agreement or the Acquiror Support Agreement, except for (i) the filing with the SEC of (A) the Information Statement and (B) such reports under Section 13(a) or 15(d) of the Exchange Act as may be required in connection with this Agreement, the Acquiror Support Agreement or the transactions contemplated hereby or thereby, (ii) filing of the Certificate of Designation, (iii) filing of the Certificate of Merger or (vi) such other consents, registrations, declarations, notices and filings which, if not obtained or made, would not have an Acquiror Material Adverse Effect.

Section 5.03 <u>Compliance with Laws</u>. Acquiror and Merger Sub are, and since their respective dates of incorporation, have been, operating in all material respects in a manner that is customary for businesses similar to Acquiror and Merger Sub, and each of Acquiror and Merger Sub is conducting and, since their respective dates of incorporation, has conducted its business in material compliance with all Laws, and no notices have been received by either Acquiror or Merger Sub from any Governmental Authority or any other Person alleging an uncured material violation of any Law.

Section 5.04 Employee Benefit Plans. Except as may be contemplated by the 2024 Plan and the Acquiror Equity Plan Proposal, neither Acquiror nor Merger Sub maintains or contributes to any Benefit Plan. Neither the execution and delivery of this Agreement nor the consummation of the transactions contemplated by this Agreement (either alone or in combination with another event) will (i) result in any payment (including severance, unemployment compensation, golden parachute, bonus or otherwise) becoming due to any shareholder, stockholder, director, officer or employee of Acquiror or Merger Sub, or (ii) result in the acceleration, vesting or creation of any rights of any shareholder, director, officer or employee of Acquiror or Merger Sub to payments or benefits or increases in any existing payments or benefits or any loan forgiveness.

Section 5.05 <u>Indebtedness</u>. As of the date hereof, Acquiror does not have, or have any present intention, agreement, arrangement or understanding to enter into or incur, any obligations with respect to or under any Indebtedness.

#### Section 5.06 Taxes.

- (a) Each of Acquiror and Merger Sub is and has at all times since its date of formation been, treated as a corporation for U.S. federal income tax purposes.
- (b) Each of Acquiror and Merger Sub has timely filed with the appropriate Tax Authority, or has caused to be timely filed on its behalf (taking into account any valid extension of time within which to file), all material Tax Returns required to be filed by it, and all such Tax Returns were and are true, correct and complete in all material respects and were prepared in compliance in all material respects with all applicable Laws. Each of Acquiror and Merger Sub has timely paid all material amounts of Taxes due and payable (whether or not shown on any Tax Return), other than Taxes being contested in good faith and for which adequate reserves have been established in accordance with GAAP.
- (c) Each of Acquiror and Merger Sub, as applicable, has complied in all material respects with all applicable Laws relating to the payment and withholding of Taxes and Tax information reporting, collection and retention and has, within the time and in the manner prescribed by applicable Laws, (i) withheld all material amounts of Taxes required to have been withheld by it in connection with amounts paid to any employee, independent contractor, creditor, stockholder or any other third party, and (ii) timely remitted such amounts required to have been remitted to the appropriate Tax Authority.
- (d) No claim, assessment, deficiency or proposed adjustment for any Tax has been asserted or assessed by any Tax Authority against Acquiror or Merger Sub that remains unresolved or unpaid except for claims, assessments, deficiencies or proposed adjustments being contested in good faith and for which adequate reserves have been established in accordance with GAAP.
- (e) There is no Tax audit, examination or other Action of Acquiror or Merger Sub presently in progress, and there are no waivers, extensions or requests for any waivers or extensions of any statute of limitations currently in effect with respect to any material Taxes of Acquiror or Merger Sub.
- (f) Neither Acquiror nor Merger Sub is or has been (i) a party to any Tax sharing, indemnification, allocation or similar agreement or arrangement (excluding any commercial contract entered into in the ordinary course of business and not primarily related to Taxes), (ii) a member of an affiliated, consolidated, combined, unitary or similar Tax group (other than any such Tax group the common parent of which was the Company), or (iii) a party to any "listed transaction" under Treasury Regulations Section 1.6011-4(b) (2) (or any similar or corresponding provision of U.S. state or local or non-U.S. Law).

- (g) Acquiror and Merger Sub do not have any liability for Taxes of any other Person as a result of Treasury Regulations Section 1.1502-6 (or any similar provision of U.S. state or local or non-U.S. Law), as a transferee or successor, or by operation of Law.
- (h) Acquiror and Merger Sub will not be required to include any material item of income in, or exclude any material deduction from, taxable income for any taxable period (or portion thereof) ending after the Closing Date as a result of any: (i) change in method of accounting, or use of an improper method of accounting, for a taxable period (or portion thereof) ending on or prior to the Closing Date; (ii) "closing agreement" as described in Section 7121 of the Code (or any corresponding or similar provision of U.S. state or local or non-U.S. Law) executed on or prior to the Closing Date; (iii) installment sale or open transaction disposition made on or prior to the Closing Date; (iv) prepaid amount received or deferred revenue accrued on or prior to the Closing Date outside of the ordinary course of business; or (v) intercompany item under Treasury Regulation Section 1.1502-13 (or any corresponding or similar provision of U.S. state or local or non-U.S. Law) or excess loss account under Treasury Regulation Section 1.1502-19 (or any corresponding or similar provision of U.S. state or local or non-U.S. Law).
  - (i) There are no Liens for Taxes on any assets of either Acquiror or Merger Sub other than Permitted Liens.
- (j) No written claims have ever been made by any Tax Authority in a jurisdiction where Acquiror and Merger Sub do not file Tax Returns that the Company is or may be subject to taxation by that jurisdiction, which claims have not been resolved or withdrawn.
- (k) Neither Acquiror or Merger Sub has been either a "distributing corporation" or a "controlled corporation" within the respective meanings of such terms under Code Section 355(a)(1)(A) in a distribution of stock qualifying under Code Section 355 (i) in the two years before the date of this Agreement or (ii) in a distribution that could otherwise constitute part of a "plan" or "series of related transactions" within the meaning of Code Section 355(e) in conjunction with the Transactions.
  - (1) The Acquiror is not and has never been a "United States real property holding corporation" within the meaning of Code Section 897(c)(2).
- (m) The Merger Sub has been formed solely for the purpose of effecting the transactions contemplated under this Agreement and has not engaged in any activity other than activity consistent with this purpose.
- (n) Neither Acquiror nor Merger Sub has taken or agreed to take any action not contemplated by this Agreement or the Acquiror Support Agreement that would reasonably be expected to prevent the Transactions from qualifying for the Intended Tax Treatment.
- (o) To the Knowledge of Acquiror, no facts or circumstances exist that would reasonably be expected to prevent the Transactions from qualifying for the Intended Tax Treatment.

Section 5.07 <u>Brokers</u>. No broker, investment banker, financial advisor or other Person, other than those set out in <u>Schedule 5.07</u>, the fees and expenses of which will be paid by Acquiror or Merger Sub pursuant to an engagement letter entered into therewith, is entitled to any broker's, financial advisor's or other similar fee or commission in connection with the Transactions based upon arrangements made by or on behalf of Acquiror, Merger Sub or any of their Affiliates.

# Section 5.08 Acquiror SEC Reports; Financial Statements; Sarbanes-Oxley Act.

- (a) Acquiror has filed or furnished in a timely manner all required registration statements, reports, schedules, forms, statements and other documents required to be filed or furnished by it with the SEC since March 3, 2025, pursuant to the Exchange Act or the Securities Act (collectively, as they have been amended since the time of their filing and including all exhibits thereto, the "Acquiror SEC Reports"). None of the Acquiror SEC Reports, as of their respective dates (or if amended or superseded by a filing prior to the date of this Agreement or the Closing Date, then on the date of such filing), contained any untrue statement of a material fact or omitted to state a material fact required to be stated therein or necessary in order to make the statements made therein, in light of the circumstances under which they were made, not misleading. The audited financial statements and unaudited interim financial statements (including, in each case, the notes and schedules thereto) included in the Acquiror SEC Reports complied as to form in all material respects with the published rules and regulations of the SEC with respect thereto, were prepared in accordance with GAAP applied on a consistent basis during the periods involved (except as may be indicated therein or in the notes thereto and except with respect to unaudited statements as permitted by Form 10-Q of the SEC), and fairly present (subject, in the case of the unaudited interim financial statements included therein, to normal year-end adjustments and the absence of complete footnotes) in all material respects the financial position of Acquiror as of the respective dates thereof and the results of their operations and cash flows for the respective periods then ended.
- (b) Acquiror has established and maintains disclosure controls and procedures (as defined in Rule 13a-15 under the Exchange Act). Such disclosure controls and procedures are designed to ensure that material information relating to Acquiror and other material information required to be disclosed by Acquiror in the reports and other documents that it files or furnishes under the Exchange Act is recorded, processed, summarized and reported within the time periods specified in the rules and forms of the SEC, and that all such material information is accumulated and communicated to Acquiror's management, including its principal executive officer and its principal financial officer as appropriate to allow timely decisions regarding required disclosure and to make the certifications required pursuant to Sections 302 and 906 of the Sarbanes-Oxley Act. Such disclosure controls and procedures are effective in timely alerting Acquiror's principal executive officer and principal financial officer to material information required to be included in Acquiror's periodic reports required under the Exchange Act.
- (c) Except as disclosed in the Acquiror SEC Reports, Acquiror has established and maintained a system of internal control over financial reporting (as defined in Rule 13a-15 under the Exchange Act). Such internal control over financial reporting is sufficient to provide reasonable assurance regarding the reliability of Acquiror's financial reporting and the preparation of Acquiror's financial statements for external purposes in accordance with GAAP.

- (d) There are no outstanding loans or other extensions of credit made by Acquiror to any executive officer (as defined in Rule 3b-7 under the Exchange Act) or director of Acquiror. Acquiror has not taken any action prohibited by Section 402 of the Sarbanes-Oxley Act.
- (e) Neither Acquiror (including any employee thereof) nor Acquiror's independent auditors has identified or been made aware of (i) any significant deficiency or material weakness in Acquiror's internal control over financial reporting, (ii) any fraud, whether or not material, that involves Acquiror's management or other employees who have a role in the preparation of financial statements or Acquiror's internal control over financial reporting or (iii) any claim or allegation regarding any of the foregoing.
  - (f) Acquiror does not have any past due liability relating to the PCAOB issuer accounting support fee.
- (g) As of the date hereof, there are no outstanding comments from the SEC with respect to the Acquiror SEC Reports. To the Knowledge of Acquiror, none of the Acquiror SEC Reports filed on or prior to the date hereof is subject to ongoing SEC review or investigation as of the date hereof.

## Section 5.09 Business Activities; Absence of Changes.

- (a) There is no agreement, commitment or Governmental Order binding upon Acquiror or to which Acquiror is a party which has had or would reasonably be expected to have the effect of prohibiting or impairing any business practice of Acquiror or any acquisition of property by Acquiror or the conduct of business by Acquiror as currently conducted or as contemplated to be conducted as of the Closing other than such effects, individually or in the aggregate, which have not had an Acquiror Material Adverse Effect on the ability of Acquiror or Merger Sub to enter into, perform its obligations under this Agreement and consummate the Transactions.
- (b) Other than Merger Sub, Acquiror does not own or have a right to acquire, directly or indirectly, any interest or investment (whether equity or debt) in any corporation, partnership, joint venture, business, trust or other entity.
- (c) Except for (i) this Agreement and the agreements expressly contemplated hereby, (ii) as set forth on Schedule 5.09(c) and (iii) with respect to fees and expenses of Acquiror's legal, financial and other advisors, Acquiror is not party to any Contract with any other Person that would require payments by Acquiror in excess of \$100,000 in the aggregate with respect to any individual Contract or when taken together with all other Contracts (other than this Agreement and the agreements expressly contemplated hereby and Contracts set forth on Schedule 5.09(c)).
- (d) There is no liability, debt or obligation against Acquiror or Merger Sub, except for (i) liabilities and obligations reflected or reserved for on Acquiror's consolidated balance sheet as of June 30, 2025, or disclosed in the notes thereto (other than any such liabilities not reflected, reserved or disclosed as are not and would not be, in the aggregate, material to Acquiror and Merger Sub, taken as a whole), (ii) that have arisen since the date of Acquiror's consolidated balance sheet as of June 30, 2025, in the ordinary course of the operation of business of the Acquiror and Merger Sub (other than any such liabilities as are or would be, in the aggregate, material to Acquiror and Merger Sub, taken as a whole) or (iii) disclosed in Schedule 5.09(d).

- (e) Since its organization, Merger Sub has not conducted any business activities other than activities directed toward the accomplishment of the Merger. Except as set forth in Merger Sub's organizational documents, there is no agreement, commitment, or Governmental Order binding upon Merger Sub or to which Merger Sub is a party which has had or would reasonably be expected to have the effect of prohibiting or impairing any business practice of Merger Sub or any acquisition of property by Merger Sub or the conduct of business by Merger Sub as currently conducted or as contemplated to be conducted as of the Closing other than such effects which have not had and would not reasonably be expected to have an Acquiror Material Adverse Effect.
- (f) Merger Sub does not own or have a right to acquire, directly or indirectly, any interest or investment (whether equity or debt) in any corporation, partnership, joint venture, business, trust or other entity.
- (g) Merger Sub was formed solely for the purpose of effecting the Merger and has not engaged in any business activities or conducted any operations other than in connection with the Merger and has no, and at all times prior to the Effective Time except as contemplated by this Agreement or the Acquiror Support Agreement, will have no, assets, liabilities or obligations of any kind or nature whatsoever other than those incident to its formation.
- (h) (i) Since the date of Acquiror's incorporation, there has not been any change, development, condition, occurrence, event or effect relating to the Acquiror or Merger Sub that, individually or in the aggregate, resulted in, or would reasonably be expected to result in, an Acquiror Material Adverse Effect and (ii) from December 31, 2024, through the date of this Agreement, Acquiror and Merger Sub have not taken any action that would require the consent of the Company if such action had been taken after the date hereof.
- Section 5.10 <u>Information Supplied; Information Statement</u>. None of the information supplied or to be supplied by the Acquiror or Merger Sub for inclusion in the Information Statement (together with any amendments or supplements thereto) will contain any untrue statement of a material fact or omit to state a material fact necessary to make the statements therein, in the light of the circumstances under which they were made, not misleading at the time such information is filed, submitted or made publicly available with the SEC; <u>provided, however</u>, that Acquiror makes no representations or warranties as to the information contained in or omitted from the Information Statement in reliance upon and in conformity with information furnished in writing to the Acquiror by or on behalf of the Company specifically for inclusion in the Information Statement.
- Section 5.11 <u>Litigation</u>. As of the date of this Agreement, there are no material Actions pending or, to the Knowledge of the Acquiror, threatened against the Acquiror or, to the Knowledge of the Acquiror, any director, officer or employee of the Acquiror (in their capacity as such) and since the Acquiror's date of incorporation there have not been any such material Actions. There are no material Actions pending or threatened by Acquiror against any other Person.

Section 5.12 No Outside Reliance. Notwithstanding anything contained in this Article V or any other provision hereof, Acquiror and its Affiliates acknowledge and agree that Acquiror has made its own investigation of the Company and that neither the Company nor any of its Affiliates or any of their respective directors, officers, employees, stockholders, partners, members, agents or Representatives is making any representation or warranty whatsoever, express or implied, beyond those expressly given by the Company in Article IV, including any implied warranty or representation as to condition, merchantability, suitability or fitness for a particular purpose or trade as to any of the assets of the Company. Without limiting the generality of the foregoing, it is understood that any cost or other estimates, financial or other projections or other predictions that may be contained or referred to in the Schedules or elsewhere, as well as any information, documents or other materials (including any such materials contained in any "data room" (whether or not accessed by Acquiror or its Representatives)) or management presentations that have been or shall hereafter be provided to Acquiror or any of its Affiliates, agents or Representatives are not and will not be deemed to be representations or warranties of the Company, and no representation or warranty is made as to the accuracy or completeness of any of the foregoing except as may be expressly set forth in Article IV of this Agreement. Except as otherwise expressly set forth in this Agreement, Acquiror understands and agrees that any assets, properties and business of the Company are furnished "as is," "where is" and subject to and except as otherwise provided in the representations and warranties contained in Article IV, with all faults and without any other representation or warranty of any nature whatsoever.

## Section 5.13 Capitalization.

(a) As of the date hereof, the authorized capital stock of Acquiror consists of (i) 100,000,000 shares of Acquiror Common Stock, of which (A) 12,575,983 shares of Acquiror Common Stock are issued and outstanding as of the date of this Agreement and (ii) 10,000,000 preferred shares of Acquiror, par value \$0.01, none of which are issued and outstanding as of the date of this Agreement. All of the issued and outstanding shares of Acquiror Common Stock (1) have been duly authorized and validly issued and are fully paid and nonassessable, (2) were issued in compliance in all material respects with applicable Law, (3) were not issued in breach or violation of any preemptive rights or Contract and (4) are fully vested and not otherwise subject to a substantial risk of forfeiture within the meaning of Code Section 83.

(b) Except for this Agreement and except as disclosed in Schedule 5.13(b)(i), there are (i) no subscriptions, calls, options, warrants, rights or other securities convertible into or exchangeable or exercisable for Acquiror Common Stock or the equity interests of Acquiror, or any other Contracts to which Acquiror is a party or by which Acquiror is bound obligating Acquiror to issue or sell any shares of capital stock of, other equity interests in or debt securities of, Acquiror, and (ii) no equity equivalents, stock appreciation rights, phantom stock ownership interests or similar rights in Acquiror. Except as disclosed in Schedule 5.13(b)(ii) or the Acquiror Organizational Documents, there are no outstanding contractual obligations of Acquiror to repurchase, redeem or otherwise acquire any securities or equity interests of Acquiror. There are no outstanding bonds, debentures, notes or other indebtedness of Acquiror having the right to vote (or convertible into, or exchangeable for, securities having the right to vote) on any matter for which Acquiror Stockholders may vote. Except as disclosed in Schedule 5.13(b)(iii), Acquiror is not a party to any stockholders agreement, voting agreement or registration rights agreement relating to Acquiror Common Stock or any other equity interests of Acquiror. Other than Merger Sub, Acquiror does not own any capital stock or any other equity interests in any other Person or has any right, option, warrant, conversion right, stock appreciation right, redemption right, repurchase right, agreement, arrangement or commitment of any character under which a Person is or may become obligated to issue or sell, or give any right to subscribe for or acquire, or in any way dispose of, any shares of the capital stock or other equity interests, or any securities or obligations exercisable or exchangeable for or convertible into any shares of the capital stock or other equity interests, of such Person. There are no securities or instruments issued by or to which the Acquiror is a party co

(c) All of the issued and outstanding Equity Securities of Merger Sub and Bio Sub are held by Acquiror as of the date of this Agreement. All outstanding Equity Securities of such Merger Sub and Bio Sub are validly issued, fully paid and non-assessable, and are not subject to preemptive rights or any other Liens (other than Liens arising pursuant to applicable Securities Laws).

Section 5.14 NYSE American Quotation. The issued and outstanding shares of Acquiror Common Stock are registered pursuant to Section 12(b) of the Exchange Act and are listed for trading on NYSE American under the symbol "APUS." Acquiror is in compliance in all material respects with the rules of the NYSE American and there is no action or proceeding pending or, to the Knowledge of Acquiror, threatened against Acquiror by NYSE American, the Financial Industry Regulatory Authority or the SEC with respect to any intention by such entity to deregister the Acquiror Common Stock or terminate the listing of Acquiror Common Stock on NYSE American. None of Acquiror or its Affiliates has taken any action in an attempt to terminate the registration of the Acquiror Common Stock under the Exchange Act except as contemplated by this Agreement.

Section 5.15 <u>Affiliate Agreements</u>. Except as disclosed in the Acquiror SEC Reports, neither of the Acquiror nor Merger Sub is a party to any transaction, agreement, arrangement or understanding with any (a) present or former executive officer or director of either of the Acquiror or Merger Sub, (b) beneficial owner (within the meaning of Section 13(d) of the Exchange Act) of five (5%) percent or more of the capital stock or equity interests of Acquiror or (c) Affiliate, "associate" or member of the "immediate family" (as such terms are respectively defined in Rules 12b-2 and 16a-1 of the Exchange Act) of any of the foregoing.

### Section 5.16 Anti-Bribery; Economic Sanctions.

(a) Since their respective dates of incorporation, Acquiror and Merger Sub have complied with all applicable Anti-Bribery Laws. Since their respective dates of incorporation, neither Acquiror nor Merger Sub, nor to the Knowledge of the Acquiror, any of their respective Representatives, have directly or indirectly paid, offered or promised to pay, or authorized or ratified the payment, directly or indirectly, of any monies or anything of value to any Public Official for the purpose of influencing any act or decision of such official or of any Governmental Authority to obtain or retain business, or direct business to any person or to secure any other improper benefit or advantage.

- (b) Neither Acquiror nor Merger Sub are Sanctioned Persons or located, organized, or ordinarily reside in an Embargoed Jurisdiction.
- (c) Acquiror and Merger Sub maintain in effect written policies, procedures and internal controls, including an internal controls system, that are reasonably designed to promote compliance with applicable International Trade Laws and Anti-Bribery Laws.

### Section 5.17 Labor and Employment.

- (a) Schedule 5.17(a) sets forth a true, correct and complete list of all current employees of the Acquiror as of a date not more than five (5) days before the Closing Date, including any employee who is on a leave of absence of any nature, authorized or unauthorized, and sets forth for each such individual the following: (i) name; (ii) title or position (including whether full or part time); (iii) hire date; (iv) current annual base compensation rate; (v) commission, bonus or other incentive based compensation; and (vi) the term of their employment (indefinite or definite). As of the date hereof, all compensation, including wages, commissions and bonuses, due and payable to all employees of the Acquiror for services performed on or prior to the date hereof, has been paid in full. As of the date hereof, Merger Sub has not had and does not have any employees or independent contractors.
- (b) Except as set forth on Schedule 5.17(b), (i) there are no material Actions pending or, to the knowledge of the Acquiror, threatened in writing against the Acquiror alleging violations of any Law pertaining to labor relations or employment matters, by any of their respective current or former employees, which Actions would be material to the Acquiror, taken as a whole; (ii) the Acquiror is not, nor has the Acquiror been for the past two (2) years, a party to, bound by, or negotiating any collective bargaining agreement or other contract with a union, works council or labor organization applicable to persons employed by the Acquiror, nor, to the knowledge of the Acquiror, is there a union organizing campaign in progress with respect to any such employees; (iii) there are no unfair labor practice complaints pending against the Acquiror before any Governmental Authority; and (iv) for the past two (2) years there has not been, nor, to the knowledge of the Acquiror, has there been threatened in writing, any strike, slowdown, work stoppage, lockout, concerted refusal to work overtime or other material labor dispute affecting any employees of the Acquiror.
- (c) The Acquiror is, and for the last two (2) years has been, in compliance in all material respects with all applicable Laws relating to the employment, employment practices, employment discrimination, terms and conditions of employment, mass layoffs and plant closings (including the Worker Adjustment and Retraining Notification Act of 1988, as amended, or any similar Laws), immigration, meal and rest breaks, pay equity, workers' compensation, family and medical leave, and occupational safety and health requirements, including those related to wages, hours, collective bargaining and the payment and withholding of Taxes and other sums as required by the appropriate Governmental Authority and are not liable for any arrears of wages, Taxes, penalties or other sums for failure to comply with any of the foregoing.

- (d) To the Knowledge of the Acquiror, no current or former employee or independent contractor of the Acquiror is in any material respect in violation of any term of any employment agreement, nondisclosure agreement, common law nondisclosure obligation, fiduciary duty, noncompetition agreement, nonsolicitation agreement, restrictive covenant or other obligation: (i) owed to the Acquiror; or (ii) owed to any third party with respect to such Person's right to be employed or engaged by the Acquiror. To the Knowledge of the Acquiror, no current employee of the Acquiror with annualized base compensation at or above \$250,000, has given notice to the Acquiror that the employee intends to terminate his or her employment prior to the one year anniversary of the Closing.
- (e) The Acquiror has promptly, thoroughly and impartially investigated all sexual harassment, or other unlawful discrimination or unlawful retaliation, complaints made by or against employees of the Acquiror, in each case in connection with their employment with the Acquiror, of which it has been made aware in the past two (2) years. With respect to each such complaint to the extent warranted based on the Acquiror's investigation, the Acquiror has taken prompt corrective action that is reasonably calculated to prevent further improper action. The Acquiror does not reasonably expect any material liabilities with respect to any such complaints and, to the Knowledge of the Acquiror, there are no such complaints relating to officers, directors, employees, contractors, or agents of the Acquiror relating to their employment with or service to the Acquiror, that, if known to the public, would bring the Acquiror into material disrepute.
- (f) Except as would not result in material liability for the Acquiror, in the past two (2) years the Acquiror has fully and timely paid all (i) wages, salaries, wage premiums, commissions, overtime, bonuses, severance and termination payments, fees, and other compensation that has come due and payable to its current or former employees and independent contractors under applicable Laws, Contract or Acquiror policy, and (ii) fines, Taxes, interest, or other penalties for any failure to pay or delinquency in paying such compensation.

Section 5.18 No Other Representations or Warranties. The representations and warranties made by Acquiror and Merger Sub in this Article V are the exclusive representations and warranties made by Acquiror, Merger Sub, their Affiliates, and their respective Representatives. Except for the representations and warranties contained in this Article V, neither Acquiror nor Merger Sub, nor any other Person, has made or makes any other express or implied representation or warranty, either written or oral, on behalf of Acquiror or Merger Sub, to the accuracy or completeness of any information regarding Acquiror or Merger Sub available to the other parties or their respective Representatives and expressly disclaims any such other representations or warranties. Without limiting the foregoing, neither Acquiror nor Merger Sub, nor any other Person, makes or has made any representation or warranty to the other parties hereto with respect to, and shall have no liability in respect of, (a) any financial projection, forecast, estimate, budget or prospect information relating to Acquiror or Merger Sub or (b) any oral or, except for the representations and warranties expressly made by Acquiror or Merger Sub in this Article V, written information made available to the other parties hereto in the course of their evaluation of Acquiror and Merger Sub and the negotiation of this Agreement or in the course of the Transactions. Each of Acquiror and Merger Sub hereby acknowledge and agree with the statements and provisions set forth in Section 4.26.

### ARTICLE VI

# COVENANTS OF THE COMPANY

Section 6.01 Financial Statements; Stockholder Approval; Other Actions.

(a) The Company agrees to use reasonable best efforts to provide Acquiror, as promptly as reasonably practicable after the date hereof, and in any event by no later than seventy-five (75) days from the Closing, unaudited interim financial statements, including consolidated balance sheets, statements of operations, statements of cash flows, and statements of stockholders' equity of the Company on a consolidated basis as of and for the nine (9) months ended 2025, prepared in accordance with GAAP and Regulation S-X, and any other financial statements (other than financial statements of Acquiror or Merger Sub) required to be included in the Information Statement in accordance with the rules and regulations of the SEC, including pro forma financial statements. The Company shall be available to, and the Company shall use reasonable best efforts to make their officers and employees available to, in each case, during normal business hours and upon reasonable advanced notice, Acquiror and its counsel in connection with (i) the drafting of the Information Statement and (ii) responding in a timely manner to comments on the Information Statement from the SEC. Without limiting the generality of the foregoing, the Company shall reasonably cooperate with Acquiror in connection with Acquiror's preparation for inclusion in the Information Statement of pro forma financial statements that comply with the requirements of Regulation S-X under the rules and regulations of the SEC (as interpreted by the staff of the SEC) to the extent such pro forma financial statements are required by Rule 14c-3 under the Exchange Act.

(b) Until the expiration of the Waiting Period, the Company will give Acquiror prompt written notice of any action taken or not taken by the Company or of any development regarding the Company, in any such case which is known by the Company, that would cause the Information Statement to contain an untrue statement of a material fact or omit to state a material fact necessary in order to make the statements, in light of the circumstances under which they were made, not misleading; provided, that, if any such action shall be taken or fail to be taken or such development shall otherwise occur, Acquiror and the Company shall cooperate fully to cause an amendment or supplement to be made promptly to the Information Statement, such that the Information Statement no longer contains an untrue statement of a material fact or omit to state a material fact necessary in order to make the statements, in light of the circumstances under which they were made, not misleading; provided, further, however, that no information received by Acquiror pursuant to this Section 6.01(b) shall operate as a waiver or otherwise affect any representation, warranty or agreement given or made by the party who disclosed such information, and no such information shall be deemed to change, supplement or amend the Schedules.

(c) Prior to the execution of this Agreement, the Company shall have obtained the requisite approval of the Company Board and its stockholders, by written consent (the "Company Stockholder Approval"), (i) approving the entry by the Company into this Agreement and the consummation of the Transactions, (ii) approving and authorizing the designation of the Company Director Designees to be appointed to the Acquiror Board to replace the Resigning Directors as a result of the Director Resignations, in accordance with Section 2.05(b), and (iii) approving and authorizing the designation of the individual to serve as the Acquiror's chief executive officer, in accordance with Section 2.05(c).

Section 6.02 <u>Asset Covenant</u>. The Company hereby covenants and agrees that, as of the date of this Agreement (which is also the Closing Date), the representations and warranties set forth in <u>Section 4.26</u> are true, correct, and complete in all respects, and are hereby reaffirmed by the Company as of such date.

#### ARTICLE VII

# **COVENANTS OF ACQUIROR**

Section 7.01 Access and Information. From and after the Closing until the Conversion Effective Time (the "Interim Period"), Acquiror will give, and will cause its Representatives to give, the Company, at reasonable times during normal business hours and upon reasonable intervals and notice, reasonable access to all offices and other facilities and to appropriate employees, properties, Contracts, agreements, commitments, books and records, financial and operating data and other information (including Tax Returns, internal working papers, client files, client Contracts and director service agreements), of or pertaining to Acquiror, as the Company or its Representatives may reasonably request regarding Acquiror, and its respective business, assets, liabilities, financial condition, prospects, operations, management, employees and other aspects (including unaudited quarterly financial statements, including a consolidated quarterly balance sheet and income statement, a copy of each material report, schedule and other document filed with or received by a Governmental Authority under the requirements of applicable securities Laws, and independent public accountants' work papers (subject to the consent or any other conditions required by such accountants, if any)) and cause each of Acquiror's Representatives to reasonably cooperate with the Company and its Representatives in their investigation; provided, however, that the Company and its Representatives will conduct any such activities in such a manner as not to unreasonably interfere with the business or operations of Acquiror and Acquiror will not be required to provide information it reasonably determines that it cannot provide as a matter of Law, Contract, or protection of attorney-client or similar privilege. No information or knowledge obtained by the Company in any investigation conducted under the access contemplated by this Section 7.01 will affect or be deemed to modify any representation or warranty of Acquiror set forth in this Agreement or otherwise impai

# Section 7.02 Indemnification and Insurance.

(a) From and after the Effective Time, Acquiror and the Surviving Corporation shall indemnify and hold harmless each present and former director or officer of the Company, and each present director or officer of Acquiror, against any costs or expenses (including reasonable attorneys' fees), judgments, fines, losses, claims, damages or liabilities incurred in connection with any Action, whether civil, criminal, administrative or investigative, arising out of or pertaining to matters existing or occurring at or prior to the Effective Time, whether asserted or claimed prior to, at or after the Effective Time, to the fullest extent that the Company or Acquiror, as applicable, would have been permitted under applicable Law, the Company Organizational Documents or Acquiror Organizational Documents and indemnification agreements (or Contracts containing similar indemnification provisions) in effect on the date of this Agreement to indemnify such Person (and advance expenses as incurred in defense of any Action to the fullest extent permitted under applicable Law). Without limiting the foregoing, Acquiror shall, and shall cause the Surviving Corporation to, for a period of not less than six years from the Effective Time, (i) maintain provisions in its certificate of incorporation, bylaws, other organization documents and indemnification agreements (or Contracts containing similar indemnification provisions), to the extent applicable, concerning the indemnification and exculpation (and provisions relating to expense advancement) of officers and directors that are no less favorable to those Persons than the provisions of the Acquiror Organizational Documents, and such indemnification agreements (or Contracts containing similar indemnification provisions), to the extent applicable, as of the date of this Agreement and (ii) not amend, repeal, terminate or otherwise modify such provisions in any respect that would adversely affect the rights of those Persons thereunder, in each case, except as required by Law. Acquiror shal

(b) For a period of six years from the Effective Time, Acquiror shall, or shall cause the Surviving Corporation to, maintain in effect directors' and officers' liability insurance covering those Persons who are currently covered by the Company's and Acquiror's directors' and officers' liability insurance policies (true, correct and complete copies of which have been heretofore made available to Acquiror or its agents or Representatives) on terms not less favorable than the terms of such current insurance coverage; provided, however, that (i) Acquiror may cause coverage to be extended under the Company's and/or Acquiror's current directors' and officers' liability insurance by obtaining a six-year "tail" policy containing terms not materially less favorable than the terms of such current insurance coverage with respect to claims existing or occurring at or prior to the Effective Time, provided that (A) in no event shall Acquiror be required to expend on the premium thereof in excess of 350% of the aggregate annual premiums currently payable by the Company or Acquiror, as applicable, with respect to such current policy (the "Premium Cap"), and (B) if such minimum coverage under any such "tail" policy is or becomes not available at the Premium Cap, then any such tail policy shall contain the maximum coverage available at the Premium Cap; and (ii) if any claim is asserted or made within such six-year period, any insurance required to be maintained under this Section 7.02 shall be continued in respect of such claim until the final disposition thereof.

(c) This Section 7.02 shall survive the consummation of the Merger indefinitely and shall be binding, jointly and severally, on Acquiror and the Surviving Corporation and all successors and assigns of Acquiror and the Surviving Corporation. In the event that Acquiror, the Surviving Corporation or any of their respective successors or assigns consolidates with or merges into any other Person and shall not be the continuing or surviving corporation or entity of such consolidation or merger or transfers or conveys all or substantially all of its properties and assets to any Person, then, and in each such case, Acquiror and the Surviving Corporation shall ensure that proper provision shall be made so that the successors and assigns of Acquiror or the Surviving Corporation, as the case may be, shall succeed to the obligations set forth in this Section 7.02. The obligations of Acquiror and the Surviving Corporation under this Section 7.02 shall not be terminated or modified in such a manner as to materially and adversely affect any present and former director and officer of the Company or any present director or officer of Acquiror without the consent of the affected Person (it being expressly agreed that the covered directors and officers of the Company and the covered directors and officers of the Acquiror shall be third party beneficiaries of this Section 7.02).

Section 7.03 <u>Additional Insurance Matters</u>. The Acquiror shall maintain directors' and officers' liability insurance (such insurance to be reasonably acceptable to the Company) that shall be effective as of Closing and will cover those Persons who will be the directors and officers of Acquiror and its Subsidiaries (including the officers of the Company) at and after the Closing on terms customary for a typical directors' and officers' liability insurance policy for a company whose equity is listed on NYSE American which policy has a scope and amount of coverage that is reasonably appropriate for a company of similar characteristics (including the line of business and revenues) as Acquiror and its Subsidiaries (including the Company).

# Section 7.04 Conduct of Business.

- (a) Unless the Company will otherwise consent in writing (such consent not to be unreasonably withheld, conditioned or delayed), during the Interim Period, except as expressly contemplated by this Agreement, Acquiror and Bio Sub will (i) conduct their respective businesses, in all material respects, in the ordinary course of business consistent with past practice, (ii) comply with all Laws applicable to Acquiror and their respective businesses, assets and employees, and (iii) take all commercially reasonable measures necessary or appropriate to preserve intact, in all material respects, their respective business organizations, to keep available the services of the key employees, and to preserve the possession, control and condition of their respective material assets, all as consistent with past practice.
- (b) Without limiting the generality of Section 7.04(a) and except as contemplated by the terms of this Agreement, during the Interim Period, without the prior written consent of the Company (such consent not to be unreasonably withheld, conditioned or delayed), Acquiror will not:
  - (i) amend, waive or otherwise change, in any respect, the Acquiror Organizational Documents;
- (ii) authorize for issuance, issue, grant, sell, pledge, dispose of or propose to issue, grant, sell, pledge or dispose of any of its equity securities or any options, warrants, commitments, subscriptions or rights of any kind to acquire or sell any of its equity securities, or other securities, including any securities convertible into or exchangeable for any of its shares or other equity securities or securities of any class and any other equity-based awards, or engage in any hedging transaction with a third Person with respect to such securities;
- (iii) split, combine, recapitalize or reclassify any of its shares or other equity interests or issue any other securities or pay or set aside any dividend or other distribution (whether in cash, equity or property or any combination) in respect of its shares or other equity interests, or directly or indirectly redeem, purchase or otherwise acquire or offer to acquire any of its securities;
- (iv) incur, create, assume, prepay or otherwise become liable for any Indebtedness (directly, contingently or otherwise) in excess of \$100,000 individually or \$250,000 in the aggregate, make a loan or advance to or investment in any third party, or guarantee or endorse any Indebtedness, Liability or obligation of any Person in excess of \$100,000 individually or \$250,000 in the aggregate;

- (v) (A) materially increase the wages, salaries or compensation of its employees, in any event not in the aggregate by more than five percent (5%), (B) make or commit to make any bonus payment (whether in cash, property or securities) to any employee, or (C) enter into, establish, materially amend or terminate any Acquiror Benefit Plan with, for or in respect of any current consultant, officer, manager director or employee, in each case of (A) (C) other than as required by applicable Law, under the terms of any Acquiror Benefit Plans or in the ordinary course of business consistent with past practice;
- (vi) make, change, or rescind any material election relating to Taxes, settle any claim, action, suit, litigation, proceeding, arbitration, investigation, audit or controversy relating to Taxes, file any amended Tax Return or claim for refund, or make any change in its accounting or Tax policies or procedures, in each case except as required by applicable Law or in compliance with GAAP;
- (vii) transfer or license to any Person or otherwise extend, materially amend or modify, permit to lapse or fail to preserve any material Acquiror Intellectual Property, or disclose to any Person who has not entered into a confidentiality agreement any trade secrets;
  - (viii) terminate or waive or assign any right under, any Acquiror material contract or enter into any Contract that would be a material contract;
  - (ix) fail to maintain its books, accounts and records in all material respects in the ordinary course of business consistent with past practice;
  - (x) establish any Subsidiary or enter into any new line of business;
- (xi) fail to use commercially reasonable efforts to keep in force insurance policies or replacement or revised policies providing insurance coverage with respect to its assets, operations and activities in such amount and scope of coverage substantially similar to that which is currently in effect;
- (xii) change its fiscal year, revalue any of its material assets or make any change in accounting methods, principles or practices, except to the extent required to comply with GAAP and after consulting with Acquiror's outside auditors;
- (xiii) waive, release, assign, settle or compromise any claim, action or proceeding (including any suit, Action, claim, proceeding or investigation relating to this Agreement or the Merger and the other contemplated transactions);
  - (xiv) close or materially reduce its activities, or effect any layoff or other personnel reduction or change, at any of its facilities;
- (xv) acquire, including by merger, consolidation, acquisition of equity interests or assets, or any other form of business combination, any corporation, partnership, limited liability company, other business organization or any division, or any material amount of assets outside the ordinary course of business consistent with past practice;

- (xvi) make capital expenditures in excess of \$50,000 (individually for any project (or set of related projects) or \$100,000 in the aggregate);
- (xvii) authorize, recommend, propose, or announce an intention to adopt a plan of complete or partial liquidation, dissolution, merger, consolidation, restructuring, recapitalization or other reorganization (other than with respect to the Merger);
- (xviii) voluntarily incur any Liability or obligation (whether absolute, accrued, contingent or otherwise) in excess of \$50,000 individually or \$100,000 in the aggregate other than under the terms of a Acquiror material contract or Acquiror Benefit Plan;
- (xix) sell, lease, license, transfer, exchange or swap, mortgage or otherwise pledge or encumber (including securitizations), or otherwise dispose of any portion of its properties, assets or rights;
  - (xx) enter into any agreement, understanding or arrangement with respect to the voting of Equity Securities of Acquiror;
- (xxi) take any action that would reasonably be expected to significantly delay or impair the obtaining of any consents of any Governmental Authority to be obtained in connection with this Agreement;
- (xxii) hire any employee, officer, consultant, freelancer, independent contractor or sub-contractor, or adopt or enter into any new employee benefit or compensatory plan, policy, program, agreement, trust or arrangement;
- (xxiii) other than in the ordinary course of business (A) pay or promise to pay, fund any new, enter into or make any grant of any severance, change in control, retention or termination payment to any director, officer, employee, consultant, freelancer, independent contractor or sub-contractor of Acquiror, (B) take any Action to accelerate any material payments or benefits, or the funding of any material payments or benefits, payable or to become payable to any director, officer, other employee of Acquiror, or (C) take any action to materially increase any compensation or material benefits of any director, officer, other employee, consultant, freelancer, independent contractor or sub-contractor of Acquiror;
- (xxiv) accelerate the collection of any trade receivables or delay the payment of trade payables or any other liabilities other than in the ordinary course of business consistent with past practice;
- (xxv) enter into, amend, waive or terminate (other than terminations in accordance with their terms) any transaction with any employee, contractor or director (other than compensation and benefits and advancement of expenses, in each case, provided in the ordinary course of business consistent with past practice);

(xxvi) maintain the existing relations and goodwill of Acquiror with customers, suppliers, distributors and creditors of Acquiror and use commercially reasonable efforts to maintain all insurance policies of Acquiror or equivalent substitutes;

(xxvii) use any portion of the proceeds received from the Private Placement Offering and any and all other financings consummated by Acquiror or the Surviving Corporation other than such amount allocated to the Bio Sub in accordance with the Side Letter;

(xxviii) directly or indirectly engage in any capital raising transaction; or

(xxix) agree or commit to do, or resolve, authorize or approve any action to do any of the foregoing, or take any action or omission that would result in any of the foregoing.

Section 7.05 <u>Director and Officer Appointments</u>. Except as otherwise agreed in writing by the Company and Acquiror prior to the Closing, and conditioned upon the occurrence of the Closing, subject to any limitation imposed under applicable Laws and NYSE American listing requirements, Acquiror shall take all actions necessary or appropriate to cause (a) the number of directors constituting the Acquiror Board to be seven (7), (b) the individuals set forth on <u>Schedule 7.05</u> to be elected as members of the Acquiror Board, effective as of the Closing and (c) the individuals set forth on <u>Schedule 7.05</u> to be the executive officers of Acquiror effective as of the Closing. On the Closing Date, Acquiror shall enter into customary indemnification agreements reasonably satisfactory to the Company with the individuals set forth on <u>Schedule 7.05</u>, which indemnification agreements shall continue to be effective following the Closing.

Section 7.06 Written Consent. In accordance with applicable Laws, including Section 228 of the DGCL, and the Acquiror Organizational Documents, immediately after the execution of this Agreement, in lieu of calling a meeting of the Acquiror Stockholders, the Acquiror shall obtain the Acquiror Stockholder Approval from the Majority Holders, as set forth in the Acquiror Support Agreement, and the Acquiror shall promptly provide the Company with a copy of such Written Consent. In connection with the Written Consent, the Acquiror shall take all actions necessary or advisable to comply, and shall comply in all respects, with the DGCL, including Section 228 thereof, and the Acquiror Organizational Documents. The Written Consent shall constitute the required Acquiror Stockholder Approvals of the Proposals; provided, however, that none of the Proposals approved by the Written Consent shall be implemented prior to the expiration of the 20 calendar day waiting period required by Rule 14c-2 promulgated under the Exchange Act (the "Waiting Period") following the mailing of the Information Statement in definitive form (the "Definitive Information Statement") to the Acquiror Stockholders as contemplated by Rule 14c-5 under the Exchange Act. Following the expiration of the Waiting Period, the Proposals approved by the Written Consent, including the Conversion, shall become the approved and binding corporate actions of the Acquiror (the "Action Effective Time").

Section 7.07 <u>Post-Closing Governance of the Surviving Corporations</u>. The members of the Company Board immediately prior to the Effective Time shall continue to serve in their respective capacities with respect to the Surviving Corporation following the Closing. During the Interim Period, the Company Board shall have sole and complete authority and control over the business and affairs of the Surviving Corporation, including but not limited to (a) to manage and direct all operations of the Surviving Corporation, (b) control and access to all bank accounts and other financial accounts of the Surviving Corporation, (c) the authority to approve or disapprove all expenditures, obligations, and other commitments of funds, (d) authorize any hiring, termination, or compensation decisions with respect to personnel, and (e) approve the receipt, use, and disbursement of any and all funds or other assets of the Surviving Corporation.

# Section 7.08 Bio Sub and Financing Allocations.

- (a) Promptly following the Closing, and in any event no less than five (5) Business Days following the Closing, Acquiror shall cause the assets and liabilities of Acquiror existing immediately prior to the Closing to be transferred to Bio Sub, the purpose of which shall be to continue the current business and operations of Acquiror, which is a clinical-stage biopharmaceutical company focused on the development of Apitox, an intradermally administered bee venom-based toxin (the "Bio Business"). All Intellectual Property, know-how, and proprietary information used in Acquiror's business as of the Closing Date shall be transferred to Bio Sub and shall not be licensed, assigned, or otherwise disposed of without the prior written consent of the Bio Business Representative. The Chief Executive Officer and President of the Bio Sub shall be Erik Emerson.
- (b) Until the earlier of the Funding Cap being reached or six (6) months following the Closing (the "Post-Closing Period"), the Acquiror shall cause the Bio Business to be preserved and operated in a manner consistent in all material respects with the past practices of the Acquiror prior to the Closing. The Bio Business shall be maintained within the Bio Sub and shall continue to pursue the clinical development of Apitox, an intradermally administered bee venom-based toxin, and related biopharmaceutical initiatives. During the Post-Closing Period, except as otherwise expressly consented to by the Bio Business Representative, the Acquiror shall not, and the Acquiror shall not cause the Bio Sub to:
  - (i) Amend or propose to amend Bio Sub's certificate of incorporation, bylaws, or similar organizational documents;
  - (ii) split, combine, reclassify, or otherwise alter the Bio Sub's outstanding capital stock, equity interests, voting securities, or issue or authorize any securities in substitution thereof;
  - (iii) issue, sell, pledge, dispose of, or encumber any shares of the Bio Sub's capital stock, securities convertible into such stock, or any options, warrants, calls, or rights to acquire shares;
    - (iv) sell, lease, license, transfer, mortgage, pledge, or otherwise dispose of or encumber any material assets or properties of the Bio Sub;
    - (v) discontinue any material business lines of the Bio Business;
    - (vi) enter into, amend, modify, terminate, or waive rights under any material contract, lease, or agreement;
    - (vii) dispose of, fail to maintain, or grant licenses to any intellectual property rights, or subject any assets to new liens or encumbrances;

- (viii) engage in or become a party to any merger, consolidation, share exchange, business combination, recapitalization, or similar transaction involving the Bio Sub;
  - (ix) acquire by merger, consolidation, or purchase any business, entity or substantial assets thereof;
  - (x) enter into any collective bargaining agreement, labor union contract, or similar;
  - (xi) commence, settle, or compromise any material litigation, claims, or legal proceedings, or waive/release material rights;
- (xii) terminate the employment of any employee of Acquiror, as of the Closing Date (except for cause (as defined in the applicable employment agreement or Bio Sub's policies));
  - (xiii) reduce in force, layoff or make any material changes to any compensation or benefits plans;
  - (xiv) make, change, or revoke any tax election;
  - (xv) settle or compromise any tax liability;
  - (xvi) extend or waive any limitations periods for tax assessments; or
  - (xvii) fail to maintain in full force all material insurance policies covering the Bio Sub.
- (c) The board of directors of Bio Sub shall, at all times until the end of the Post-Closing Period, consist solely of the individuals serving as directors of Acquiror immediately prior to the Closing, unless otherwise agreed in writing by the Bio Business Representative.
- (d) The Acquiror shall use its best efforts to consummate a private placement offering in an aggregate amount of up to \$120,900,000.00 (the "Private Placement Offering").
- (e) Except as set forth in the Amended and Restated Side Letter Agreement between the Acquiror, Bio Sub and the Company dated December 1, 2025 (the "Side Letter"), all proceeds received from the Private Placement Offering shall be deposited into an account designated by the Company.
  - (f) Reserved.
- (g) If the Acquiror has not consummated the Private Placement Offering prior to or contemporaneously with the Closing, Bio Sub shall deposit \$2,500,000 from its available cash into an account designated by the Company (the "Bio Sub Loan") within 2 Business Days, to be used for general operational purposes of TechyTrade. Such Bio Sub Loan shall be repaid from the proceeds of any subsequent financing received by Acquiror, and such repayment shall be made in addition to, and not in lieu of, any amounts allocated to the Bio Business pursuant to the Side Letter. The remaining available cash of Bio Sub shall be retained by Bio Sub and used solely to advance the Bio Business.

- (h) The parties have appointed Erik Emerson as the Bio Business Representative, who shall have the right to monitor the Acquiror's compliance with its obligations in this Section 7.08. Following the Closing, the Bio Business Representative shall be entitled to receive regular updates from the Acquiror's management and Bio Sub's management, including quarterly reports on operations, financing allocations, and material developments. The covenants in this Section 7.08 shall be binding on Acquiror and its successors and shall survive the Closing. In the event of a breach of this Section 7.08, the Bio Business Representative shall have the right to seek specific performance, injunctive relief, or other equitable remedies, and shall have standing to bring legal action in any court of competent jurisdiction to enforce the obligations set forth herein. The parties expressly agree that the Bio Business Representative shall be a third-party beneficiary of this Section 7.08 with full enforcement rights.
- (i) During the Post-Closing Period, the management of the Bio Sub shall cause the Bio Business to be operated in a manner consistent in all material respects with the past practices of the Acquiror prior to the Closing, and shall not incur Indebtedness, which individually or in the aggregate exceeds \$2,000,000 without the prior written consent of the CEO of the Acquiror.
- (j) Acquiror grants an irrevocable proxy to the Bio Sub Representative in connection with voting the shares of Bio Sub owned by Acquiror to be effective upon the termination of the Interim Period. In any sale, carve-out, split-off, spin-off transaction or other change in control transaction, Acquiror shall not issue or sell equity interests in the Bio Sub for less than the then applicable market value.

Section 7.09 Reserved.

# Section 7.10 NYSE American Listing Application

(a) . Prior to the Conversion, Acquiror shall obtain conditional approval of its listing application from NYSE American in connection with the Transactions, including any required new listing application due to a change in control or Reverse Merger (as defined in Section 341 of the NYSE American Company Guide). Immediately prior to the Conversion, Acquiror shall satisfy all applicable continuing listing requirements of NYSE American (or be granted a grace period therefrom), shall not have received any notice of non-compliance, and the Acquiror Common Stock, including the Merger Consideration, shall have been approved for listing on NYSE American.

Section 7.11 Form S-8 Filing Related to 2024 Plan Share Increase. Within five (5) Business Days following the Action Effective Time, Acquiror shall file, or cause to be filed, with the SEC a registration statement on Form S-8 to register the additional shares of Acquiror Common Stock reserved for issuance under the 2024 Equity Incentive Plan pursuant to the 2024 Plan Share Increase.

# ARTICLE VIII

# JOINT COVENANTS

Section 8.01 Support of Transaction. Without limiting any covenant contained in Article VI or Article VII, including the obligations of the Company and Acquiror with respect to the notifications, filings, reaffirmations and applications described in Section 6.01, which obligations shall control to the extent of any conflict with the succeeding provisions of this Section 8.01, Acquiror and the Company shall each, and Acquiror shall cause Merger Sub to: (i) use commercially reasonable efforts to assemble, prepare and file any information (and, as needed, to supplement such information) as may be reasonably necessary to obtain as promptly as practicable all governmental and regulatory consents required to be obtained in connection with the Transactions, (ii) use commercially reasonable efforts to obtain all material consents and approvals of third parties that any of Acquiror, the Company, or their respective Affiliates are required to obtain in order to consummate the Transactions, including any required approvals of parties to Material Contracts with the Company as specified in Schedule 8.01, and (iii) take such other action as may reasonably be necessary or as another party may reasonably request to satisfy the conditions of Article IX or otherwise to comply with this Agreement and to consummate the Transactions as soon as practicable. Notwithstanding the foregoing, in no event shall Acquiror, Merger Sub or the Company be obligated to bear any expense or pay any fee or grant any concession in connection with obtaining any consents, authorizations or approvals pursuant to the terms of any Contract to which the Company is a party or otherwise in connection with the consummation of the Transactions.

# Section 8.02 Preparation of the Information Statement.

- (a) As promptly as reasonably practicable after the date hereof, the Acquiror shall prepare and file with the SEC a written information statement of the type contemplated by Rule 14c-2 of the Exchange Act containing the information specified in Schedule 14C under the Exchange Act concerning the Written Consent, the Proposals approved by the Majority Holders and the Merger, and the notice of action by written consent required by Section 228(e) of the DGCL (as amended or supplemented from time to time, the "Information Statement").
- (b) The Acquiror shall provide the Company with a draft of the Information Statement (and any amendment or supplement thereto) prior to filing with the SEC. The Company shall provide the Acquiror with all information concerning the Company and its affiliates as may be reasonably requested by the Acquiror and is customarily included in an information statement. The Company shall promptly correct any information with respect to it or provided by it for use in the Information Statement if and to the extent, in the absence of such a correction, the Information Statement would contain a misstatement of a material fact or omit to state a material fact necessary to make the statements therein, in light of the circumstances under which they were made, not misleading, and the Acquiror shall disseminate such correction to the stockholders of the Acquiror in an amendment or supplement and to cause such amendment or supplement to be filed with the SEC. The Acquiror shall notify the Company promptly in writing upon the receipt of any comments from the SEC and of any request by the SEC for amendments or supplements to the Information Statement and shall promptly supply the Company with copies of all such comments, requests and any other written correspondence between the Acquiror or any of its Representatives, on the one hand, and the SEC, on the other hand, with respect to the Information Statement. The Acquiror shall use its reasonable best efforts to respond as promptly as reasonably practicable to any comments received from the SEC concerning the Information Statement and to resolve such comments with the SEC and cause the Definitive Information Statement to be filed with the SEC as contemplated by Rule 14c-5 under the Exchange Act.

(c) The Acquiror shall use its reasonable best efforts to cause the Definitive Information Statement to be disseminated to the Acquiror Stockholders as promptly as reasonably practicable after the first to occur of (A) confirmation from the SEC that it has no further comments on the Information Statement, (B) confirmation from the SEC that the Information Statement is otherwise not to be reviewed or (C) expiration of the 10-day period after filing the preliminary Information Statement in the event the SEC does not review the Information Statement. If the Acquiror, Merger Sub or any of their respective affiliates is required to file any other document with the SEC in connection with this Agreement or the Transactions, Acquiror shall provide the Company with a reasonable opportunity to review and to propose comments on any such document, which Acquiror shall consider in good faith.

# Section 8.03 Tax Matters.

- (a) *Transfer Taxes*. Except as otherwise set forth in this Agreement, all transfer, documentary, sales, use, stamp, registration, value added or other similar Taxes incurred in connection with the Transactions ("<u>Transfer Taxes</u>") shall be borne 100% by the Company. The Company and Acquiror further agree to reasonably cooperate to reduce or eliminate the amount of any such Transfer Taxes.
- (b) Tax Treatment. The parties intend that, for United States federal income tax purposes, subject to the last sentence of this Section 8.03(b), the Merger shall be treated as a sale of the Existing Company Common Stock by each holder of such shares of common stock in exchange for Acquiror Common Stock and Acquiror Preferred Stock. (collectively, the "Intended Tax Treatment"). The Transactions shall be reported by the parties for all Tax purposes in accordance with the Intended Tax Treatment, unless otherwise required by a Tax Authority as a result of a "determination" within the meaning of Section 1313(a) of the Code (or any similar or corresponding provision of applicable Law). The parties hereto shall, and shall cause their Affiliates to, cooperate with each other and their respective counsel to document and support the Intended Tax Treatment and, following the Closing, the parties hereto shall not, or and shall not permit or cause their respective controlled Affiliates to, take any action, or knowingly fail to take any action or failure to act prevents or impedes, or would reasonably be expected to prevent or impede, the Transactions from qualifying for the Intended Tax Treatment. The Parties agree, that, at the option of the Acquiror, elections under Section 338(g) of the Code (and any analogous applicable state, local or non-U.S. election) may be made with respect to the purchase by Acquiror of the Existing Company Common Stock and the deemed purchase of the shares of TechyTrade FZ LLC or, alternatively, elections pursuant to U.S. Treasury Regulation Section 301.7701-3(c) may be made effective prior to the Closing Date to treat each of the Company and TechyTrade FZ LLC as an entity that is not classified as an association for U.S. federal income tax purposes.

# Section 8.04 Confidentiality; Publicity.

(a) Each party agrees that it will, and will cause its respective Affiliates and Representatives to, hold in strict confidence and agrees that it will not, and will cause its respective Affiliates and Representatives not to disclose or use any Confidential Information. If a party is requested or required pursuant to written or oral questions or requests for information or documents in any litigation, Governmental Order, interrogatory, civil investigation, demand or other similar process to disclose any Confidential Information, then such party will notify the other promptly of the request or requirement so that the non-requesting party may seek an appropriate protective order or waive compliance with the provisions of this Section 8.04(a). If, in the absence of a protective order or the receipt of a waiver hereunder, a party is, on the advice of counsel, compelled to disclose any Confidential Information to any Governmental Authority or else stand liable for contempt, then such party may disclose the Confidential Information to the Governmental Authority; provided, however, that such party shall use it's reasonable best efforts to obtain, at the request of the other, an order or other assurance that confidential treatment will be accorded to such portion of the Confidential Information required to be disclosed as the non-requesting party shall designate. The foregoing provisions shall not apply to any Confidential Information that is generally available to the public immediately prior to the time of disclosure unless such Confidential Information is so available due to the actions of a party.

(b) The initial Press Release relating to this Agreement shall be a joint press release, the text of which has been agreed to by each of Acquiror and the Company (the "Press Release"). Promptly after the issuance of the Press Release, Acquiror shall file a current report on Form 8-K (the "Form 8-K") with the Press Release and a description of this Agreement as required by applicable Securities Laws, which the Company shall review, comment upon and approve (which approval shall not be unreasonably withheld, conditioned or delayed) prior to filing (with the Company reviewing, commenting upon and approving such Form 8-K in any event no later than the third (3rd) Business Day after the execution of this Agreement). In connection with the preparation of the Press Release, the Form 8-K, or any other report, statement, filing notice or application made by or on behalf of a party to any Governmental Authority or other third party in connection with the transactions contemplated hereby, each party shall, upon request by any other party, furnish the parties with all information concerning themselves, their respective directors, officers and equity holders, and such other matters as may be reasonably necessary or advisable in connection with the Transactions contemplated hereby, or any other report, statement, filing, notice or application made by or on behalf of a party to any third party and/or any Governmental Authority in connection with the Transactions contemplated hereby. Furthermore, nothing contained in this Section 8.04(b) shall prevent Acquiror or the Company or its respective Affiliates from furnishing customary or other reasonable information concerning the Transactions to their investors and prospective investors that is substantively consistent with public statements previously consented to by the other party in accordance with this Section 8.04(b).

Section 8.05 Notification of Certain Matters. During the Interim Period, each party will give prompt notice to the other parties if such party or its Affiliates: (a) fails to comply with or satisfy any covenant, condition or agreement to be complied with or satisfied by it or its Affiliates in any material respect; (b) receives any notice or other communication in writing from any third party (including any Governmental Authority) alleging (i) that the consent of such third party is or may be required in connection with the transactions contemplated by this Agreement or (ii) any non-compliance with any Law by such party or its Affiliates; (c) receives any notice or other communication from any Governmental Authority in connection with the transactions contemplated by this Agreement; or (d) becomes aware of the commencement or threat, in writing, of any Action against such party or any of its Affiliates, or any of their respective properties or assets, or, to the Knowledge of such party, any officer, director, partner, member or manager, in his, her or its capacity as such, of such party or of its Affiliates with respect to the consummation of the transactions contemplated by this Agreement. No such notice will constitute an acknowledgement or admission by the party providing the notice regarding whether or not any of the representations, warranties or covenants contained in this Agreement have been breached.

Section 8.06 <u>Post-Closing Cooperation</u>. Following the Closing, each party shall, on the request of any other party, execute such further documents, and perform such further acts, as may be reasonably necessary or appropriate to give full effect to the allocation of rights, benefits, obligations and liabilities contemplated by this Agreement and the transactions contemplated hereby.

# ARTICLE IX

# INTENTIONALLY OMITTED.

# ARTICLE X

# **MISCELLANEOUS**

Section 10.01 Notices. All notices and other communications among the parties shall be in writing and shall be deemed to have been duly given (i) when delivered in person, (ii) when delivered after posting in the United States mail having been sent registered or certified mail return receipt requested, postage prepaid, (iii) when delivered by FedEx or other nationally recognized overnight delivery service or (iv) when e-mailed during normal business hours (and otherwise as of the immediately following Business Day), addressed as follows:

(a) If to Acquiror or Merger Sub to:

Apimeds Pharmaceuticals US, Inc. 100 Matawan Road, Suite 325 New Jersey, NJ 07747 Attn: Erik Emerson E-mail: erik@apimedsus.com

with a copy (which shall not constitute notice) to:

Nelson Mullins Riley & Scarborough LLP 301 Hillsborough Street, Suite 1400 Raleigh, NC 27603 Attn: David Mannheim; Mike Bradshaw E-mail: david.mannheim@nelsonmullins.com; mike.bradshaw@nelsonmullins.com

# (b) If to the Company to:

TechyTrade Innovations Pte Ltd 60 Paya Lebar Road. #04-23 Singapore 409051 Attn: Vin Menon E-mail: vin@mindwavedao.com

with copies (which shall not constitute notice) to:

Duane Morris LLP 901 New York Avenue N.W., Suite 700 East Washington, D.C. 20001-4795 Attn: Andrew M. Tucker E-mail: atucker@duanemorris.com

or to such other address or addresses as the parties may from time to time designate in writing.

Section 10.02 <u>Assignment</u>. No party hereto shall assign this Agreement or any part hereof without the prior written consent of the other parties. Subject to the foregoing, this Agreement shall be binding upon and inure to the benefit of the parties hereto and their respective permitted successors and assigns. Any attempted assignment in violation of the terms of this <u>Section 10.03</u> shall be null and void, ab initio.

Section 10.03 <u>Rights of Third Parties</u>. Except as otherwise provided in <u>Section 7.02</u>, <u>Section 7.08(b)</u> and <u>Section 10.14</u>, this Agreement is exclusively for the benefit of the Company, and its respective successors and permitted assigns, with respect to the obligations of Acquiror and Merger Sub under this Agreement, and for the benefit of Acquiror and Merger Sub, and their respective successors and permitted assigns, with respect to the obligations of the Company under this Agreement, and this Agreement shall not be deemed to confer upon or give to any other third party any remedy, claim, liability, reimbursement, cause of action or other right.

Section 10.04 Expenses. Except as otherwise provided herein (including Section 8.03(a) and this Section 10.4), each party hereto shall bear its own Transaction Expenses in connection with this Agreement and the Transactions, including all fees and expenses of legal counsel, investment banks, brokers, finders and other representatives. In addition, except as otherwise provided herein, each party shall be solely responsible for any and all expenses, liability, and obligations arising from or relating to its own operations prior to the Closing, including but not limited to, tax liabilities, payroll, employee benefits, severance, accrued compensation, and any other employment-related liabilities.

Section 10.05 <u>Governing Law</u>. This Agreement, and all claims or causes of action based upon, arising out of, or related to this Agreement or the transactions contemplated hereby, shall be governed by, and construed in accordance with, the Laws of the State of Delaware, without giving effect to principles or rules of conflict of laws to the extent such principles or rules would require or permit the application of Laws of another jurisdiction.

Section 10.06 <u>Captions; Counterparts</u>. The captions in this Agreement are for convenience only and shall not be considered a part of or affect the construction or interpretation of any provision of this Agreement. This Agreement may be executed in two or more counterparts, each of which shall be deemed an original, but all of which together shall constitute one and the same instrument. The words "execution," "signed," "signature," and words of like import in this Agreement or in any other certificate, agreement or document related to this Agreement shall include images of manually executed signatures transmitted by facsimile or other electronic format (including, without limitation, "pdf," "tif" or "jpg") and other electronic signatures (including, without limitation, DocuSign and AdobeSign). The use of electronic signatures and electronic records (including, without limitation, any contract or other record created, generated, sent, communicated, received, or stored by electronic means) shall be of the same legal effect, validity and enforceability as a manually executed signature or use of a paper-based record-keeping system to the fullest extent permitted by applicable law, including the Federal Electronic Signatures in Global and National Commerce Act, the Uniform Electronic Transactions Act and any other applicable law, including, without limitation, any state law based on the Uniform Electronic Transactions Act or the Uniform Commercial Code.

Section 10.07 <u>Schedules and Exhibits</u>. The Schedules and Exhibits referenced herein are a part of this Agreement as if fully set forth herein. All references herein to Schedules and Exhibits shall be deemed references to such parts of this Agreement, unless the context shall otherwise require. Any disclosure made by a party in the Schedules with reference to any section or schedule of this Agreement shall be deemed to be a disclosure with respect to all other sections or schedules to which such disclosure may apply solely to the extent the relevance of such disclosure is reasonably apparent on the face of the disclosure in such Schedule. Certain information set forth in the Schedules is included solely for informational purposes.

Section 10.08 Entire Agreement. This Agreement (together with the Schedules and Exhibits to this Agreement), and the Acquiror Support Agreement executed on the date hereof constitute the entire agreement among the parties relating to the transactions contemplated hereby and supersede any other agreements, whether written or oral, that may have been made or entered into by or among any of the parties hereto or any of their respective Subsidiaries relating to the transactions contemplated hereby. No representations, warranties, covenants, understandings, agreements, oral or otherwise, relating to the transactions contemplated by this Agreement exist between the parties except as expressly set forth or referenced in this Agreement.

Section 10.09 <u>Amendments</u>. This Agreement may be amended or modified in whole or in part, only by a duly authorized agreement in writing executed in the same manner as this Agreement (but not necessarily by the same natural persons who executed this Agreement) and which makes reference to this Agreement. The approval of this Agreement by the equityholders of any of the parties shall not restrict the ability of the board of directors of any of the parties to enter into an amendment to this Agreement pursuant to this <u>Section 10.10</u>.

Section 10.10 <u>Severability.</u> If any provision of this Agreement is held invalid or unenforceable by any court of competent jurisdiction, the other provisions of this Agreement shall remain in full force and effect. The parties further agree that if any provision contained herein is, to any extent, held invalid or unenforceable in any respect under the Laws governing this Agreement, they shall take any actions necessary to render the remaining provisions of this Agreement valid and enforceable to the fullest extent permitted by Law and shall amend or otherwise modify this Agreement to replace any provision contained herein that is held invalid or unenforceable with a valid and enforceable provision giving effect to the intent of the parties.

Section 10.11 <u>Jurisdiction</u>; <u>WAIVER OF TRIAL BY JURY</u>. Any Action based upon, arising out of or related to this Agreement, or the transactions contemplated hereby, shall be brought in any state or federal court located in the State of New York, and each of the parties irrevocably submits to the exclusive jurisdiction of each such court in any such Action, waives any objection it may now or hereafter have to personal jurisdiction, venue or to convenience of forum, agrees that all claims in respect of the Action shall be heard and determined only in any such court, and agrees not to bring any Action arising out of or relating to this Agreement or the transactions contemplated hereby in any other court. Nothing herein contained shall be deemed to affect the right of any party to serve process in any manner permitted by Law, or to commence legal proceedings or otherwise proceed against any other party in any other jurisdiction, in each case, to enforce judgments obtained in any Action brought pursuant to this <u>Section 10.12</u>. EACH OF THE PARTIES HERETO HEREBY IRREVOCABLY AND UNCONDITIONALLY WAIVES TO THE FULLEST EXTENT PERMITTED BY LAW ANY AND ALL RIGHT TO TRIAL BY JURY IN ANY ACTION BASED UPON, ARISING OUT OF OR RELATED TO THIS AGREEMENT OR THE TRANSACTIONS CONTEMPLATED HEREBY. EACH OF THE PARTIES HERETO CERTIFIES AND ACKNOWLEDGES THAT (I) NO REPRESENTATIVE OF ANY OTHER PARTY HAS REPRESENTED, EXPRESSLY OR OTHERWISE, THAT SUCH OTHER PARTY WOULD NOT, IN THE EVENT OF LITIGATION, SEEK TO ENFORCE THE FOREGOING WAIVER, (II) EACH SUCH PARTY UNDERSTANDS AND HAS CONSIDERED THE IMPLICATIONS OF THIS WAIVER, (III) EACH SUCH PARTY MAKES THIS WAIVER VOLUNTARILY, AND (IV) EACH SUCH PARTY HAS BEEN INDUCED TO ENTER INTO THIS AGREEMENT AND THE TRANSACTIONS BY, AMONG OTHER THINGS, THE MUTUAL WAIVERS IN THIS <u>SECTION 10.12</u>.

Section 10.12 Enforcement. The parties agree that irreparable damage for which monetary damages, even if available, would not be an adequate remedy, would occur in the event that the parties do not perform their obligations under the provisions of this Agreement (including failing to take such actions as are required of them hereunder to consummate this Agreement) in accordance with its specified terms or otherwise breach such provisions. The parties acknowledge and agree that (a) the parties shall be entitled to an injunction, specific performance, or other equitable relief, to prevent breaches of this Agreement and to enforce specifically the terms and provisions hereof, without proof of damages, prior to the valid termination of this Agreement in accordance with Section 10.01, this being in addition to any other remedy to which they are entitled under this Agreement, and (b) the right of specific enforcement is an integral part of the transactions contemplated by this Agreement and without that right, none of the parties would have entered into this Agreement. Each party agrees that it will not oppose the granting of specific performance and other equitable relief on the basis that the other parties have an adequate remedy at Law or that an award of specific performance is not an appropriate remedy for any reason at Law or equity. The parties acknowledge and agree that any party seeking an injunction to prevent breaches of this Agreement and to enforce specifically the terms and provisions of this Agreement in accordance with this Section 10.12 shall not be required to provide any bond or other security in connection with any such injunction.

Section 10.13 Non-Recourse. This Agreement may only be enforced against, and any claim or cause of action based upon, arising out of, or related to this Agreement or the transactions contemplated hereby may only be brought against, the entities that are expressly named as parties hereto, and then only with respect to the specific obligations set forth herein with respect to such party. Except to the extent a named party to this Agreement (and then only to the extent of the specific obligations undertaken by such named party in this Agreement), (a) no past, present or future director, manager, officer, employee, incorporator, member, partner, stockholder, Affiliate of any named party to this Agreement and (b) no past, present or future director, manager, officer, employee, incorporator, member, partner, stockholder, Affiliate, agent, attorney, advisor or Representative or Affiliate of any of the foregoing shall have any liability (whether in contract, tort, equity or otherwise) for any one or more of the representations, warranties, covenants, agreements or other obligations or liabilities of any one or more of the Company, Acquiror or Merger Sub under this Agreement of or for any claim based on, arising out of, or related to this Agreement or the transactions contemplated hereby.

Section 10.14 Non-survival of Representations, Warranties and Covenants. None of the representations, warranties, covenants, obligations or other agreements in this Agreement or in any certificate, statement or instrument delivered pursuant to this Agreement, including any rights arising out of any breach of such representations, warranties, covenants, obligations, agreements and other provisions, shall survive the Closing and shall terminate and expire upon the occurrence of the Closing (and there shall be no liability after the Effective Time in respect thereof), except for (a) those covenants and agreements contained herein that by their terms expressly apply in whole or in part after the Closing and then only with respect to any breaches occurring after the Closing and (b) this Article X.

Section 10.15 Acknowledgements. Each of the parties acknowledges and agrees (on its own behalf and on behalf of its respective Affiliates and its and their respective Representatives) that: (a) it has conducted its own independent investigation of the financial condition, results of operations, assets, liabilities, properties and projected operations of the other parties (and their respective Subsidiaries) and has been afforded satisfactory access to the books and records, facilities and personnel of the other parties (and their respective Subsidiaries) for purposes of conducting such investigation; (b) the Company Representations constitute the sole and exclusive representations and warranties of the Company in connection with the transactions contemplated hereby; (c) the Acquiror and Merger Sub Representations constitute the sole and exclusive representations and warranties of Acquiror and Merger Sub; (d) except for the Company Representations by the Company and the Acquiror and Merger Sub Representations by each of Acquiror and Merger Sub, respectively, none of the parties hereto or any other Person makes, or has made, any other express or implied representation or warranty with respect to any party hereto (or any party's Affiliates) or the transactions contemplated by this Agreement and all other representations and warranties of any kind or nature expressed or implied (including (i) regarding the completeness or accuracy of, or any omission to state or to disclose, any information, including in the estimates, projections or forecasts or any other information, document or material provided to or made available to any party hereto or their respective Affiliates or Representatives in certain "data rooms," management presentations or in any other form in expectation of the Transactions, including meetings, calls or correspondence with management of any party hereto (or any party's Subsidiaries), and (ii) any relating to the future or historical business, condition (financial or otherwise), results of operations, prospects, assets or liabilities of any party hereto (or its Subsidiaries), or the quality, quantity or condition of any party's or its Subsidiaries' assets) are specifically disclaimed by all parties hereto and their respective Subsidiaries and all other Persons (including the Representatives and Affiliates of any party hereto or its Subsidiaries); and (e) each party hereto and its respective Affiliates are not relying on any representations and warranties in connection with the Transactions except the Company Representations by the Company, the Acquiror and Merger Sub Representations by each of Acquiror and Merger Sub and the other representations expressly made by a Person in the Acquiror Support Agreement.

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IN WITNESS WHEREOF, Acquiror, Merger Sub, Bio Sub, Bio Sub Representative, and the Company have caused this Agreement to be executed and delivered as of the date first written above by their respective officers thereunto duly authorized.

# APIMEDS PHARMACEUTICALS US, INC.

By: /s/ Erik Emerson

Name: Erik Emerson

Title: Chief Executive Officer

# APIMEDS MERGER SUB, INC.

/s/ Erik Emerson

Name: Erik Emerson
Title: Chief Executive Officer

# MINDWAVE INNOVATIONS INC

/s/ Vin Menon

Name: Vin Menon
Title: Chief Executive Officer

# LOKAHI THERAPEUTICS, INC.

/s/ Erik Emerson

Name: Erik Emerson
Title: Chief Executive Officer

# ERIK EMERSON, AS THE BIO BUSINESS REPRESENTATIVE

By: /s/ Erik Emerson
Name: Erik Emerson

# APIMEDS PHARMACEUTICALS US, INC. CERTIFICATE OF DESIGNATION OF PREFERENCES, RIGHTS AND LIMITATIONS OF SERIES A CONVERTIBLE PREFERRED STOCK

Pursuant to Section 151 of the General Corporation Law of the State of Delaware

THE UNDERSIGNED DOES HEREBY CERTIFY, on behalf of Apimeds Pharmaceuticals US, Inc., a Delaware corporation (the "Corporation"), that the following resolution was duly adopted by the Board of Directors of the Corporation (the "Board"), in accordance with the provisions of Section 151 of the General Corporation Law of the State of Delaware (the "DGCL"), pursuant to a unanimous written consent of the Board executed on November 29, 2025, in lieu of a meeting, which resolution provides for the creation of a series of the Corporation's Preferred Stock, par value \$0.01 per share, which is designated as "Series A Convertible Preferred Stock," with the preferences, rights and limitations set forth therein relating to dividends, conversion, redemption, dissolution and distribution of assets of the Corporation.

WHEREAS, the Amended and Restated Certificate of Incorporation of the Corporation (as amended, the "Certificate of Incorporation") authorizes the issuance of up to 10,000,000 shares of preferred stock, par value \$0.01 per share, of the Corporation ("Preferred Stock") in one or more series, and expressly authorizes the Board, subject to limitations prescribed by law, to provide, out of the unissued shares of Preferred Stock, for series of Preferred Stock, and, with respect to each such series, to establish and fix the number of shares to be included in any series of Preferred Stock and the designation, rights, preferences, powers, restrictions, and limitations of the shares of such series; and

WHEREAS it is the desire of the Board to establish and fix the number of shares to be included in a new series of Preferred Stock and the designation, rights, preferences, and limitations of the shares of such new series.

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED**, that pursuant to authority conferred upon the Board by the Certificate of Incorporation, (i) a series of Preferred Stock of the Corporation be, and hereby is authorized by the Board, (ii) the Board hereby authorizes the issuance of 7,263,865 shares of "Series A Convertible Preferred Stock", and (iii) the Board hereby fixes the designations, powers, preferences and relative, participating, optional or other special rights, and the qualifications, limitations or restrictions thereof, of such shares of Preferred Stock, as follows:

# TERMS OF SERIES A CONVERTIBLE PREFERRED STOCK

1. <u>Defined Terms</u>. For purposes hereof, the following terms shall have the following meanings:

"Board" has the meaning set forth in the Recitals.

"Business Day" means any day except any Saturday, any Sunday, any day which is a federal legal holiday in the United States or any day on which banking institutions in the State of New York are authorized or required by law or other governmental action to close.

"Certificate of Incorporation" has the meaning set forth in the Recitals.

"Common Stock" means the common stock, par value \$0.01 per share, of the Corporation.

"Conversion" has the meaning set forth in Section 7.2.

"Conversion Ratio" has the meaning set forth in Section 7.3.

"Conversion Share(s)" means the shares of Common Stock issuable upon conversion of the Series A Convertible Preferred Stock, as set forth in Section 7.2.

"Converted Stock" means the shares of Series A Convertible Preferred Stock that are converted into Conversion Shares upon the Automatic Conversion, as set forth in Section 7.4.

"Corporation" has the meaning set forth in the Preamble.

"Effective Date" means the third Business Day following the satisfaction of the Required Approvals, as set forth in Section 7.2.

"Holder" means a holder of Series A Convertible Preferred Stock.

"Person" means an individual, corporation, partnership, joint venture, limited liability company, governmental authority, unincorporated organization, trust, association, or other entity.

"Required Approval" has the meaning set forth in Section 7.2.

"Series A Convertible Preferred Stock" has the meaning set forth in Section 2.

"Stockholder Approval" has the meaning set forth in Section 7.2.

"Subsidiary" means, with respect to any Person, any other Person of which a majority of the outstanding shares or other equity interests having the power to vote for directors or comparable managers are owned, directly or indirectly, by the first Person.

"Trading Market" means the NYSE American LLC.

"Trading Market Approval" has the meaning set forth in Section 7.2.

- 2. <u>Designation</u>. There shall be a series of Preferred Stock that shall be designated as "Series A Convertible Preferred Stock" (the "Series A Convertible Preferred Stock") and the number of shares constituting such series shall be 7,263,865. The rights, preferences, powers, restrictions, and limitations of the Series A Convertible Preferred Stock shall be as set forth herein.
  - 3. Voting. The Series A Convertible Preferred Stock shall have no voting rights.
- 4. <u>Dividends</u>. The Series A Convertible Preferred Stock shall be entitled to receive the same dividend or distribution as if the shares of Series A Convertible Preferred Stock had been converted into Common Stock immediately prior to the record date for such dividend or distribution.
- 5. <u>Liquidation</u>. The Series A Convertible Preferred Stock shall be entitled to share pro rata with the holders of Common Stock in any distribution of the remaining assets of the Corporation.
  - 6. Redemption. The Series A Convertible Preferred Stock shall have no redemption rights.
  - 7. Conversion.
    - 7.1 Conversions at Option of Holder. The Series A Convertible Preferred Stock is not convertible at the election of the Holder.

- 7.2 <u>Automatic Conversion</u>. Effective as of 5:00 p.m. Eastern time on the date that is the third Business Day following the later of (i) the date on which the Corporation's stockholders approve the conversion of the Series A Convertible Preferred Stock into shares of Common Stock (each share, a "Conversion Share") in accordance with the listing rules of the Trading Market (the "Stockholder Approval"), and (ii) the date on which the Trading Market has approved any required new listing application, including any resulting from a change in control or Reverse Merger (as defined in Section 341 of the NYSE American Company Guide), such that (A) the Corporation satisfies all applicable continuing listing requirements of the Trading Market (or has been granted a grace period therefrom), (B) the Corporation has not received any notice of non-compliance from the Trading Market, and (C) the Conversion Shares have been approved for listing on the Trading Market (collectively, the "Trading Market Approval" and together with the Stockholder Approval, the "Required Approvals"), such date being referred to herein as the "Effective Date," each share of Series A Convertible Preferred Stock then outstanding shall automatically, and without any action required by the Holder thereof, convert into a number of shares of Common Stock equal to the Conversion Ratio (as defined below) (the "Conversion").
- 7.3 Conversion Ratio. The "Conversion Ratio" for each share of Series A Convertible Preferred Stock shall be twenty (20) shares of Common Stock issuable upon the Conversion of each share of Series A Convertible Preferred Stock, subject to adjustment as provided herein.
- 7.4 <u>Procedures for Conversion; Effect of Conversion</u>. On the Effective Date, all outstanding shares of Series A Convertible Preferred Stock shall be converted into Common Stock, without any further action by the relevant Holder of such shares or the Corporation. The shares of Series A Convertible Preferred Stock that are converted in the Conversion are referred to as the "Converted Stock." The Converted Stock shall be automatically cancelled and shall no longer be deemed outstanding as of the Effective Date, and all rights with respect to such shares shall immediately cease and terminate as of such time, other than the right of the Holder to receive Conversion Shares in exchange therefor. The Conversion Shares shall be issued in book entry form and shall be delivered to the Holders within two Business Days of the Effective Date. All shares of Common Stock issued hereunder by the Corporation shall be duly and validly issued, fully paid, and nonassessable, free and clear of all taxes, liens, charges, and encumbrances with respect to the issuance thereof.
- 7.5 <u>Reservation of Stock</u>. The Corporation shall take all such actions as may be necessary to assure that the Conversion Shares may be issued without violation of any applicable law or governmental regulation or any requirements of any domestic securities exchange upon which shares of Common Stock may be listed (except for official notice of issuance which shall be immediately delivered by the Corporation upon each such issuance). The Corporation shall not close its books against the transfer of any of its capital stock in any manner which would prevent the timely conversion of the shares of Series A Convertible Preferred Stock.
- 7.6 No Charge or Payment. The issuance of shares of Common Stock upon conversion of shares of Series A Convertible Preferred Stock pursuant to Section 7.2 shall be made without payment of additional consideration by, or other charge, cost, or tax to, the Holder in respect thereof.
- 8. Stock Dividends and Stock Splits. If the Corporation, at any time while this Series A Convertible Preferred Stock is outstanding: (A) pays a stock dividend or otherwise makes a distribution or distributions payable in shares of Common Stock (which, for avoidance of doubt, shall not include any shares of Common Stock issued by the Corporation upon conversion of this Series A Convertible Preferred Stock) with respect to the then outstanding shares of Common Stock; (B) subdivides outstanding shares of Common Stock into a larger number of shares; or (C) combines (including by way of a reverse stock split) outstanding shares of Common Stock into a smaller number of shares, then the Conversion Ratio shall be multiplied by a fraction of which the numerator shall be the number of shares of Common Stock (excluding any treasury shares of the Corporation) outstanding immediately after such event and of which the denominator shall be the number of shares of Common Stock outstanding immediately before such event (excluding any treasury shares of the Corporation). Any adjustment made pursuant to this Section 8 shall become effective immediately after the record date for the determination of stockholders entitled to receive such dividend or distribution and shall become effective immediately after the effective date in the case of a subdivision or combination.

- 9. Reissuance of Series A Convertible Preferred Stock. Any shares of Series A Convertible Preferred Stock converted, or otherwise acquired by the Corporation or any Subsidiary shall be cancelled and returned as authorized and unissued shares of capital stock of the Corporation.
- 10. Notices. Except as otherwise provided herein, all notices, requests, consents, claims, demands, waivers, and other communications hereunder shall be in writing and shall be deemed to have been given: (a) when delivered by hand (with written confirmation of receipt); (b) when received by the addressee if sent by a nationally recognized overnight courier (receipt requested); (c) on the date sent by facsimile or e-mail of a PDF document (with confirmation of transmission) if sent during normal business hours of the recipient, and on the next Business Day if sent after normal business hours of the recipient; or (d) on the third day after the date mailed, by certified or registered mail, return receipt requested, postage prepaid. Such communications must be sent (a) to the Corporation, at its principal executive offices and (b) to any stockholder, at such holder's address at it appears in the stock records of the Corporation (or at such other address for a stockholder as shall be specified in a notice given in accordance with this Section 10).
- 11. Amendment and Waiver. No provision of this Certificate of Designation may be amended, modified, or waived except by an instrument in writing executed by the Corporation and the Holders of a majority of the outstanding shares of Series A Convertible Preferred Stock.

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**IN WITNESS WHEREOF**, Apimeds Pharmaceuticals US, Inc. has caused this Certificate of Designation of Preferences, Rights and Limitations of Series A Convertible Preferred Stock to be duly executed by its Chief Executive Officer on December 1, 2025.

# APIMEDS PHARMACEUTICALS US, INC.

By: /s/ Erik Emerson

Name: Erik Emerson

Title: Chief Executive Officer

[Signature Page to Series A Preferred Stock Certificate of Designation]

#### FORM OF SENIOR CONVERTIBLE NOTE

NEITHER THE ISSUANCE AND SALE OF THE SECURITIES REPRESENTED BY THIS CERTIFICATE NOR THE SECURITIES INTO WHICH THESE SECURITIES ARE CONVERTIBLE HAVE BEEN REGISTERED UNDER THE SECURITIES ACT OF 1933, AS AMENDED, OR APPLICABLE STATE SECURITIES LAWS. THE SECURITIES MAY NOT BE OFFERED FOR SALE, SOLD, TRANSFERRED OR ASSIGNED (I) IN THE ABSENCE OF (A) AN EFFECTIVE REGISTRATION STATEMENT FOR THE SECURITIES UNDER THE SECURITIES ACT OF 1933, AS AMENDED, OR (B) AN OPINION OF COUNSEL TO THE HOLDER (IF REQUESTED BY THE COMPANY), IN A FORM REASONABLY ACCEPTABLE TO THE COMPANY, THAT REGISTRATION IS NOT REQUIRED UNDER SAID ACT OR (II) UNLESS SOLD OR ELIGIBLE TO BE SOLD PURSUANT TO RULE 144 OR RULE 144 UNDER SAID ACT. NOTWITHSTANDING THE FOREGOING, THE SECURITIES MAY BE PLEDGED IN CONNECTION WITH A BONA FIDE MARGIN ACCOUNT OR OTHER LOAN OR FINANCING ARRANGEMENT SECURED BY THE SECURITIES. ANY TRANSFEREE OF THIS NOTE SHOULD CAREFULLY REVIEW THE TERMS OF THIS NOTE, INCLUDING SECTIONS 3(c)(iii) AND 17(a) HEREOF. THE PRINCIPAL AMOUNT REPRESENTED BY THIS NOTE AND, ACCORDINGLY, THE SECURITIES ISSUABLE UPON CONVERSION HEREOF MAY BE LESS THAN THE AMOUNTS SET FORTH ON THE FACE HEREOF PURSUANT TO SECTION 3(c)(iii) OF THIS NOTE.

THIS NOTE HAS BEEN ISSUED WITH ORIGINAL ISSUE DISCOUNT ("OID"). PURSUANT TO TREASURY REGULATION §1.1275-3(b)(1), DR. VIN MENON, A REPRESENTATIVE OF THE COMPANY HEREOF WILL, BEGINNING TEN DAYS AFTER THE ISSUANCE DATE OF THIS NOTE, PROMPTLY MAKE AVAILABLE TO THE HOLDER UPON REQUEST THE INFORMATION DESCRIBED IN TREASURY REGULATION §1.1275-3(b)(1)(i). DR. VIN MENON MAY BE REACHED AT TELEPHONE NUMBER 011 65-8766-2816.

APIMEDS PHARMACEUTICALS US, INC.

SENIOR CONVERTIBLE NOTE

Issuance Date: [●] 20 (the "Issuance Date")

Original Principal Amount: U.S. \$[•]

FOR VALUE RECEIVED, Apimeds Pharmaceuticals US, Inc., a Delaware corporation (the "Company"), hereby promises to pay to the order of [BUYER] or its registered assigns ("Holder") the amount set forth above as the Original Principal Amount (as reduced pursuant to the terms hereof pursuant to redemption, conversion or otherwise, the "Principal") when due, whether upon the Maturity Date, or upon acceleration, redemption or otherwise (in each case in accordance with the terms hereof) and, upon the occurrence and continuance of an Event of Default (as defined below, to pay interest ("Interest") on any outstanding Principal at the Default Rate (as defined below), until the same becomes due and payable, whether upon the Maturity Date or upon acceleration, conversion, redemption or otherwise (in each case in accordance with the terms hereof). This Senior Convertible Note (including all Senior Convertible Notes issued in exchange, transfer or replacement hereof, this "Note") is one of an issue of Senior Convertible Notes issued pursuant to the Securities Purchase Agreement, dated as of December 1, 2025 (the "Subscription Date"), by and among the Company and the investors (the "Buyers") referred to therein, as amended from time to time (collectively, the "Notes", and such other Senior Convertible Notes, the "Other Notes"). Certain capitalized terms used herein are defined in Section 30.

- 1. <u>PAYMENTS OF PRINCIPAL</u>. On the Maturity Date, the Company shall pay to the Holder an amount in cash representing all outstanding Principal, accrued and unpaid Interest and accrued and unpaid Late Charges (as defined in Section 23(c)) on such Principal and Interest. Other than as specifically permitted by this Note, the Company may not prepay any portion of the outstanding Principal, accrued and unpaid Interest or accrued and unpaid Late Charges on Principal and Interest, if any.
- 2. NO INTEREST; DEFAULT RATE. No Interest shall accrue hereunder unless and until an Event of Default has occurred. From and after the occurrence and during the continuance of any Event of Default, Interest shall accrue hereunder at eighteen percent (18.0%) per annum (the "Default Rate") and shall be computed on the basis of a 360-day year and twelve 30-day months, shall compound each calendar month and shall be payable in arrears on the first Trading Day of each such calendar month in which Interest accrues hereunder (each, an "Interest Date"). Accrued and unpaid Interest, if any, shall also be payable by way of inclusion of such Interest in the Conversion Amount (as defined below) on each Conversion Date (as defined below) in accordance with Section 3(b)(i) or upon any redemption in accordance with Section 10 or any required payment upon any Bankruptcy Event of Default (as defined in Section 4(a) below). In the event that such Event of Default is subsequently cured (and no other Event of Default then exists (including, without limitation, for the Company's failure to pay such Interest at the Default Rate on the applicable Interest Date)), Interest shall cease to accrue hereunder as of the calendar day immediately following the date of such cure; provided that the Interest as calculated and unpaid during the continuance of such Event of Default shall continue to apply to the extent relating to the days after the occurrence of such Event of Default through and including the date of such cure of such Event of Default.
- 3. <u>CONVERSION OF NOTES</u>. At any time after the Issuance Date, this Note shall be convertible into validly issued, fully paid and non-assessable shares of Common Stock (as defined below), on the terms and conditions set forth in this Section 3.
  - (a) <u>Conversion Right</u>. Subject to the provisions of Section 3(d), at any time or times on or after the Issuance Date, the Holder shall be entitled to convert any portion of the outstanding and unpaid Conversion Amount (as defined below) into validly issued, fully paid and non-assessable shares of Common Stock in accordance with Section 3(c), at the Conversion Rate (as defined below). The Company shall not issue any fraction of a share of Common Stock upon any conversion. If the issuance would result in the issuance of a fraction of a share of Common Stock, the Company shall round such fraction of a share of Common Stock up to the nearest whole share. The Company shall pay any and all transfer, stamp, issuance and similar taxes, costs and expenses (including, without limitation, fees and expenses of the Transfer Agent (as defined below)) that may be payable with respect to the issuance and delivery of Common Stock upon conversion of any Conversion Amount.
  - (b) <u>Conversion Rate</u>. The number of shares of Common Stock issuable upon conversion of any Conversion Amount pursuant to Section 3(a) shall be determined by dividing (x) such Conversion Amount by (y) the Conversion Price (the "Conversion Rate").
    - (i) "Conversion Amount" means the sum of (A) the portion of the Principal of this Note to be converted, redeemed or otherwise with respect to which this determination is being made, (B) accrued and unpaid Interest with respect to such Principal of this Note, (C) accrued and unpaid Late Charges with respect to such Principal of this Note and Interest, and (D) any other unpaid amounts pursuant to the Transaction Documents, if any; provided, that if an Event of Default has occurred and is continuing, the Conversion Amount shall be the Redemption Premium of the Conversion Amount for all purposes hereunder and the Transaction Documents, mutatis mutandis.
    - (ii) "Conversion Price" means, that price which shall be 80% of the lowest VWAP of the Common Stock of any Trading Day during the five (5) consecutive Trading Day period ending and including the Trading Day of the delivery or deemed delivery of the applicable Conversion Notice (or, if determined at a time when no Conversion Notice is being delivered hereunder, ending on the Trading Day immediately prior to such date of determination) (or, in an Event of Default has occurred and is continuing, at the election of the Holder in such applicable Conversion Notice, during such five (5) consecutive Trading Day period ending and including the Trading Day immediately prior to the Trading Day of the occurrence of such applicable Event of Default) (such period, the "Conversion Measuring Period"). All such determinations to be appropriately adjusted for any stock dividend, stock split, stock combination, reclassification or similar transaction that proportionately decreases or increases the Common Stock during such Conversion Measuring Period.

# (c) Mechanics of Conversion.

(i) Optional Conversion. To convert any Conversion Amount into shares of Common Stock on any date (a "Conversion Date"), the Holder shall deliver (whether via electronic mail or otherwise), for receipt on or prior to 11:59 p.m., New York time, on such date, a copy of an executed notice of conversion in the form attached hereto as Exhibit I (each, a "Conversion Notice") to the Company. If required by Section 3(c)(iii), within one (1) Trading Day following a conversion of this Note as aforesaid, the Holder shall surrender this Note to a nationally recognized overnight delivery service for delivery to the Company (or an indemnification undertaking with respect to this Note in the case of its loss, theft or destruction as contemplated by Section 17(b)). On the date of receipt of a Conversion Notice, the Company shall transmit by electronic mail an acknowledgment, in the form attached hereto as Exhibit II, of confirmation of receipt of such Conversion Notice and representation as to whether such shares of Common Stock may then be resold pursuant to Rule 144 or an effective and available registration statement (each, an "Acknowledgement") to the Holder and the Transfer Agent which confirmation shall constitute an instruction to the Transfer Agent to process such Conversion Notice in accordance with the terms herein. On or before the first (1st) Trading Day following the date on which the Company has received a Conversion Notice (or such earlier date as required pursuant to the 1934 Act or other applicable law, rule or regulation for the settlement of a trade initiated on the applicable Conversion Date of such shares of Common Stock issuable pursuant to such Conversion Notice) (the "Share Delivery Deadline"), the Company shall (1) provided that the Transfer Agent is participating in The Depository Trust Company's ("DTC") Fast Automated Securities Transfer Program ("FAST"), credit such aggregate number of shares of Common Stock to which the Holder shall be entitled pursuant to such conversion to the Holder's or its designee's balance account with DTC through its Deposit/Withdrawal at Custodian system or (2) if the Transfer Agent is not participating in FAST, upon the request of the Holder, issue and deliver (via reputable overnight courier) to the address as specified in the Conversion Notice, a certificate, registered in the name of the Holder or its designee, for the number of shares of Common Stock to which the Holder shall be entitled pursuant to such conversion. If this Note is physically surrendered for conversion pursuant to Section 3(c)(iii) and the outstanding Principal of this Note is greater than the Principal portion of the Conversion Amount being converted, then the Company shall as soon as practicable and in no event later than one (1) Business Day after receipt of this Note and at its own expense, issue and deliver to the Holder (or its designee) a new Note (in accordance with Section 17(d)) representing the outstanding Principal not converted. The Person or Persons entitled to receive the shares of Common Stock issuable upon a conversion of this Note shall be treated for all purposes as the record holder or holders of such shares of Common Stock on the Conversion Date; provided, that the Holder shall be deemed to have waived any voting rights of any such Common Stock, that may arise with respect to the period commencing on such Conversion Date, through, and including, such applicable Share Delivery Deadline (each, an "Conversion Period"), as necessary, such that the aggregate voting rights of any Common Stock beneficially owned by the Holder and/or any Attribution Parties, collectively, on any date of determination shall not exceed the Maximum Percentage (as defined below) as a result of any such conversion of this Note. Notwithstanding anything to the contrary contained in this Note or the Registration Rights Agreement, after the effective date of the Registration Statement (as defined in the Registration Rights Agreement) and prior to the Holder's receipt of the notice of a Grace Period (as defined in the Registration Rights Agreement), the Company shall cause the Transfer Agent to deliver unlegended shares of Common Stock to the Holder (or its designee) in connection with any sale of Registrable Securities (as defined in the Registration Rights Agreement) with respect to which the Holder has entered into a contract for sale, and delivered a copy of the prospectus included as part of the particular Registration Statement to the extent applicable, and for which the Holder has not yet settled. Notwithstanding the foregoing, if with respect to any Conversion, the applicable Conversion Price is lower than the "conversion price" set forth on such Conversion Notice, then the holder may deliver an updated Conversion Notice to the Company correcting such Conversion Price; provided, that if such updated Conversion Notice is delivered to the Company on or after 9:30am, New York city time on the Trading Day immediately after such Conversion Date, the Share Delivery Deadline with respect thereto shall be extended by one (1) Trading Day.

(ii) Company's Failure to Timely Convert. If the Company shall fail, for any reason or for no reason, on or prior to the applicable Share Delivery Deadline, either (I) if the Transfer Agent is not participating in FAST, to issue and deliver to the Holder (or its designee) a certificate for the number of shares of Common Stock to which the Holder is entitled and register such shares of Common Stock on the Company's share register or, if the Transfer Agent is participating in FAST, to credit the balance account of the Holder or the Holder's designee with DTC for such number of shares of Common Stock to which the Holder is entitled upon the Holder's conversion of this Note (as the case may be) or (II) if the Registration Statement covering the resale of the shares of Common Stock that are the subject of the Conversion Notice (the "Unavailable Conversion Shares") is not available for the resale of such Unavailable Conversion Shares and the Company fails to promptly, but in no event later than as required pursuant to the Registration Rights Agreement (x) so notify the Holder and (y) deliver the shares of Common Stock electronically without any restrictive legend by crediting such aggregate number of shares of Common Stock to which the Holder is entitled pursuant to such conversion to the Holder's or its designee's balance account with DTC through its Deposit/Withdrawal At Custodian system (the event described in the immediately foregoing clause (II) is hereinafter referred as a "Notice Failure" and together with the event described in clause (I) above, a "Conversion Failure"), then, in addition to all other remedies available to the Holder, (1) the Company shall pay in cash to the Holder on each day after such Share Delivery Deadline that the issuance of such shares of Common Stock is not timely effected an amount equal to 1% of the product of (A) the sum of the number of shares of Common Stock not issued to the Holder on or prior to the Share Delivery Deadline and to which the Holder is entitled, multiplied by (B) any trading price of the Common Stock selected by the Holder in writing as in effect at any time during the period beginning on the applicable Conversion Date and ending on the applicable Share Delivery Deadline and (2) the Holder, upon written notice to the Company, may void its Conversion Notice with respect to, and retain or have returned (as the case may be) any portion of this Note that has not been converted pursuant to such Conversion Notice, provided that the voiding of a Conversion Notice shall not affect the Company's obligations to make any payments which have accrued prior to the date of such notice pursuant to this Section 3(c)(ii) or otherwise. In addition to the foregoing, if on or prior to the Share Delivery Deadline either (A) if the Transfer Agent is not participating in FAST, the Company shall fail to issue and deliver to the Holder (or its designee) a certificate and register such shares of Common Stock on the Company's share register or, if the Transfer Agent is participating in FAST, the Transfer Agent shall fail to credit the balance account of the Holder or the Holder's designee with DTC for the number of shares of Common Stock to which the Holder is entitled upon the Holder's conversion hereunder or pursuant to the Company's obligation pursuant to clause (II) below or (B) a Notice Failure occurs, and if on or after such Share Delivery Deadline the Holder acquires (in an open market transaction, stock loan or otherwise) shares of Common Stock corresponding to all or any portion of the number of shares of Common Stock issuable upon such conversion that the Holder is entitled to receive from the Company and has not received from the Company in connection with such Conversion Failure or Notice Failure, as applicable (a "Buy-In"), then, in addition to all other remedies available to the Holder, the Company shall, within two (2) Business Days after receipt of the Holder's request and in the Holder's discretion, either: (I) pay cash to the Holder in an amount equal to the Holder's total purchase price (including brokerage commissions, stock loan costs and other out-of-pocket expenses, if any) for the shares of Common Stock so acquired (including, without limitation, by any other Person in respect, or on behalf, of the Holder) (the "Buy-In Price"), at which point the Company's obligation to so issue and deliver such certificate (and to issue such shares of Common Stock) or credit the balance account of such Holder or such Holder's designee, as applicable, with DTC for the number of shares of Common Stock to which the Holder is entitled upon the Holder's conversion hereunder (as the case may be) (and to issue such shares of Common Stock) shall terminate, or (II) promptly honor its obligation to so issue and deliver to the Holder a certificate or certificates representing such shares of Common Stock or credit the balance account of such Holder or such Holder's designee, as applicable, with DTC for the number of shares of Common Stock to which the Holder is entitled upon the Holder's conversion hereunder (as the case may be) and pay cash to the Holder in an amount equal to the excess (if any) of the Buy-In Price over the product of (x) such number of shares of Common Stock multiplied by (y) the lowest Closing Sale Price of the Common Stock on any Trading Day during the period commencing on the date of the applicable Conversion Notice and ending on the date of such issuance and payment under this clause (II) (the "Buy-In Payment Amount"). Nothing shall limit the Holder's right to pursue any other remedies available to it hereunder, at law or in equity, including, without limitation, a decree of specific performance and/or injunctive relief with respect to the Company's failure to timely deliver certificates representing shares of Common Stock (or to electronically deliver such shares of Common Stock) upon the conversion of this Note as required pursuant to the terms hereof.

(iii) Registration; Book-Entry. The Company shall maintain a register (the "Register") for the recordation of the names and addresses of the holders of each Note and the principal amount of the Notes held by such holders (the "Registered Notes"). The entries in the Register shall be conclusive and binding for all purposes absent manifest error. The Company and the holders of the Notes shall treat each Person whose name is recorded in the Register as the owner of a Note for all purposes (including, without limitation, the right to receive payments of Principal and Interest hereunder) notwithstanding notice to the contrary. A Registered Note may be assigned, transferred or sold in whole or in part only by registration of such assignment or sale on the Register. Upon its receipt of a written request to assign, transfer or sell all or part of any Registered Note by the holder thereof, the Company shall record the information contained therein in the Register and issue one or more new Registered Notes in the same aggregate principal amount as the principal amount of the surrendered Registered Note to the designated assignee or transferee pursuant to Section 17, provided that if the Company does not so record an assignment, transfer or sale (as the case may be) of all or part of any Registered Note within two (2) Business Days of such a request, then the Register shall be automatically deemed updated to reflect such assignment, transfer or sale (as the case may be). Notwithstanding anything to the contrary set forth in this Section 3, following conversion of any portion of this Note in accordance with the terms hereof, the Holder shall not be required to physically surrender this Note to the Company unless (A) the full Conversion Amount represented by this Note is being converted (in which event this Note shall be delivered to the Company following conversion thereof as contemplated by Section 3(c)(i)) or (B) the Holder has provided the Company with prior written notice (which notice may be included in a Conversion Notice) requesting reissuance of this Note upon physical surrender of this Note. The Holder and the Company shall maintain records showing the Principal, Interest and Late Charges converted and/or paid (as the case may be) and the dates of such conversions, and/or payments (as the case may be) or shall use such other method, reasonably satisfactory to the Holder and the Company, so as not to require physical surrender of this Note upon conversion. If the Company does not update the Register to record such Principal, Interest and Late Charges converted and/or paid (as the case may be) and the dates of such conversions, and/or payments (as the case may be) within two (2) Business Days of such occurrence, then the Register shall be automatically deemed updated to reflect such occurrence.

(iv) <u>Pro Rata Conversion; Disputes.</u> In the event that the Company receives a Conversion Notice from more than one holder of Notes for the same Conversion Date and the Company can convert some, but not all, of such portions of the Notes submitted for conversion, the Company, subject to Section 3(d), shall convert from each holder of Notes electing to have Notes converted on such date a pro rata amount of such holder's portion of its Notes submitted for conversion based on the principal amount of Notes submitted for conversion on such date by such holder relative to the aggregate principal amount of all Notes submitted for conversion on such date. In the event of a dispute as to the number of shares of Common Stock issuable to the Holder in connection with a conversion of this Note, the Company shall issue to the Holder the number of shares of Common Stock not in dispute and resolve such dispute in accordance with Section 22. If a Conversion Notice delivered to the Company would result in a breach of Section 3(d)(i) below, and the Holder does not elect in writing to withdraw, in whole, such Conversion Notice, the Company shall hold such Conversion Notice in abeyance until such time as such Conversion Notice may be satisfied without violating Section 3(d)(i) below (with such calculations thereunder made as of the date such Conversion Notice was initially delivered to the Company).

# (d) Limitations on Conversions.

(i) Beneficial Ownership. The Company shall not effect the conversion of any portion of this Note, and the Holder shall not have the right to convert any portion of this Note pursuant to the terms and conditions of this Note and any such conversion shall be null and void and treated as if never made, to the extent that after giving effect to such conversion, the Holder together with the other Attribution Parties collectively would beneficially own in excess of 9.99% (the "Maximum Percentage") of the shares of Common Stock outstanding immediately after giving effect to such conversion. For purposes of the foregoing sentence, the aggregate number of shares of Common Stock beneficially owned by the Holder and the other Attribution Parties shall include the number of shares of Common Stock held by the Holder and all other Attribution Parties plus the number of shares of Common Stock issuable upon conversion of this Note with respect to which the determination of such sentence is being made, but shall exclude shares of Common Stock which would be issuable upon (A) conversion of the remaining, nonconverted portion of this Note beneficially owned by the Holder or any of the other Attribution Parties and (B) exercise or conversion of the unexercised or nonconverted portion of any other securities of the Company (including, without limitation, any convertible notes or convertible preferred stock or warrants) beneficially owned by the Holder or any other Attribution Party subject to a limitation on conversion or exercise analogous to the limitation contained in this Section 3(d)(i). For purposes of this Section 3(d)(i), beneficial ownership shall be calculated in accordance with Section 13(d) of the 1934 Act. For purposes of determining the number of outstanding shares of Common Stock the Holder may acquire upon the conversion of this Note without exceeding the Maximum Percentage, the Holder may rely on the number of outstanding shares of Common Stock as reflected in (x) the Company's most recent Annual Report on Form 10-K, Quarterly Report on Form 10-Q, Current Report on Form 8-K or other public filing with the SEC, as the case may be, (y) a more recent public announcement by the Company or (z) any other written notice by the Company or the Transfer Agent, if any, setting forth the number of shares of Common Stock outstanding (the "Reported Outstanding Share Number"). If the Company receives a Conversion Notice from the Holder at a time when the actual number of outstanding shares of Common Stock is less than the Reported Outstanding Share Number, the Company shall notify the Holder in writing of the number of shares of Common Stock then outstanding and, to the extent that such Conversion Notice would otherwise cause the Holder's beneficial ownership, as determined pursuant to this Section 3(d)(i), to exceed the Maximum Percentage, the Holder must notify the Company of a reduced number of shares of Common Stock to be purchased pursuant to such Conversion Notice. For any reason at any time, upon the written or oral request of the Holder, the Company shall within one (1) Business Day confirm orally and in writing or by electronic mail to the Holder the number of shares of Common Stock then outstanding. In any case, the number of outstanding shares of Common Stock shall be determined after giving effect to the conversion or exercise of securities of the Company, including this Note, by the Holder and any other Attribution Party since the date as of which the Reported Outstanding Share Number was reported. In the event that the issuance of shares of Common Stock to the Holder upon conversion of this Note results in the Holder and the other Attribution Parties being deemed to beneficially own, in the aggregate, more than the Maximum Percentage of the number of outstanding shares of Common Stock (as determined under Section 13(d) of the 1934 Act), the number of shares so issued by which the Holder's and the other Attribution Parties' aggregate beneficial ownership exceeds the Maximum Percentage (the "Excess Shares") shall be deemed null and void and shall be cancelled ab initio, and the Holder shall not have the power to vote or to transfer the Excess Shares. Upon delivery of a written notice to the Company, the Holder may from time to time increase (with such increase not effective until the sixty-first (61st) day after delivery of such notice) or decrease the Maximum Percentage to any other percentage not in excess of 9.99% as specified in such notice; provided that (i) any such increase in the Maximum Percentage will not be effective until the sixty-first (61st) day after such notice is delivered to the Company and (ii) any such increase or decrease will apply only to the Holder and the other Attribution Parties and not to any other holder of Notes that is not an Attribution Party of the Holder. For purposes of clarity, the shares of Common Stock issuable pursuant to the terms of this Note in excess of the Maximum Percentage shall not be deemed to be beneficially owned by the Holder for any purpose including for purposes of Section 13(d) or Rule 16a-1(a)(1) of the 1934 Act. No prior inability to convert this Note pursuant to this paragraph shall have any effect on the applicability of the provisions of this paragraph with respect to any subsequent determination of convertibility. The provisions of this paragraph shall be construed and implemented in a manner otherwise than in strict conformity with the terms of this Section 3(d)(i) to the extent necessary to correct this paragraph (or any portion of this paragraph) which may be defective or inconsistent with the intended beneficial ownership limitation contained in this Section 3(d)(i) or to make changes or supplements necessary or desirable to properly give effect to such limitation. The limitation contained in this paragraph may not be waived or amended and shall apply to a successor holder of this Note.

- (ii) Principal Market Regulation The Company shall not issue any shares of Common Stock upon conversion of this Note or otherwise pursuant to the terms of this Note if the issuance of such shares of Common Stock would exceed the aggregate number of shares of Common Stock which the Company may issue upon conversion of the Notes or otherwise pursuant to the terms of this Note without breaching the Company's obligations under the rules or regulations of the Principal Market (the number of shares which may be issued without violating such rules and regulations, including rules related to the aggregate of offerings under Section 312.03 of the NYSE's Listed Company Manual the "Exchange Cap"), except that such limitation shall not apply in the event that the Company (A) obtains the approval of its stockholders as required by the applicable rules of the Principal Market for issuances of shares of Common Stock in excess of such amount or (B) obtains a written opinion from counsel to the Company that such approval is not required, which opinion shall be reasonably satisfactory to the Holder. Until such approval or such written opinion is obtained, no Buyer shall be issued in the aggregate, upon conversion or exercise (as the case may be) of any Notes or otherwise pursuant to the terms of the Notes, shares of Common Stock in an amount greater than the product of (i) the Exchange Cap as of the Issuance Date multiplied by (ii) the quotient of (1) the original principal amount of Notes issued to such Buyer pursuant to the Securities Purchase Agreement on the Applicable Closing Date (as defined in the Securities Purchase Agreement) divided by (2) the aggregate original principal amount of all Notes issued to the Buyers pursuant to the Securities Purchase Agreement on the Applicable Closing Date (with respect to each Buyer, the "Exchange Cap Allocation"). In the event that any Buyer shall sell or otherwise transfer any of such Buyer's Notes, the transferee shall be allocated a pro rata portion of such Buyer's Exchange Cap Allocation with respect to such portion of such Notes so transferred, and the restrictions of the prior sentence shall apply to such transferree with respect to the portion of the Exchange Cap Allocation so allocated to such transferee. Upon conversion and exercise in full of a holder's Notes, the difference (if any) between such holder's Exchange Cap Allocation and the number of shares of Common Stock actually issued to such holder upon such holder's conversion in full of such Notes shall be allocated, to the respective Exchange Cap Allocations of the remaining holders of Notes on a pro rata basis in proportion to the shares of Common Stock underlying the Notes then held by each such holder of Notes. At any time after the Stockholder Approval Deadline (as defined in the Securities Purchase Agreement), in the event that the Company is prohibited from issuing shares of Common Stock pursuant to this Section 3(d)(i) (the "Exchange Cap Shares"), the Company shall pay cash in exchange for the cancellation of such portion of this Note convertible into such Exchange Cap Shares at a price equal to the sum of (i) the product of (x) such number of Exchange Cap Shares and (y) the greatest Closing Sale Price of the Common Stock on any Trading Day during the period commencing on the date the Holder delivers the applicable Conversion Notice with respect to such Exchange Cap Shares to the Company and ending on the date of such issuance and payment under this Section 3(d)(i) and (ii) to the extent of any Buy-In related thereto, any Buy-In Payment Amount, any brokerage commissions and other out-of-pocket expenses, if any, of the Holder incurred in connection therewith (collectively, the "Exchange Cap Share Cancellation Amount").
- (iii) Monthly Limitation. Unless an Event of Default has occurred and is continuing, the Holder shall not convert this Note on any date of determination if the Conversion Amount converted by the Holder in such conversion together with the aggregate Conversion Amount converted into Common Stock during the twenty (20) Trading Day period ending, and including, such date of determination (each, a "Monthly Limitation Measurement Period") exceeds the greater of (i) 20% of the aggregate trading dollar volume of the Common Stock during the applicable Monthly Limitation Measurement Period (as reported by Bloomberg) and (ii) \$2.25 million.

# 4. RIGHTS UPON EVENT OF DEFAULT.

- (a) Event of Default. Each of the following events shall constitute an "Event of Default" and each of the events in clauses (ix), (x) and (xi) shall constitute a "Bankruptcy Event of Default":
  - (i) the failure of the applicable Registration Statement (as defined in the Registration Rights Agreement) to be filed with the SEC on or prior to the date that is five (5) days after the applicable Filing Deadline (as defined in the Registration Rights Agreement) or the failure of the applicable Registration Statement to be declared effective by the SEC on or prior to the date that is five (5) days after the applicable Effectiveness Deadline (as defined in the Registration Rights Agreement);

- (ii) while the applicable Registration Statement is required to be maintained effective pursuant to the terms of the Registration Rights Agreement, the effectiveness of the applicable Registration Statement lapses for any reason (including, without limitation, the issuance of a stop order) or such Registration Statement (or the prospectus contained therein) is unavailable to any holder of Registrable Securities (as defined in the Registration Rights Agreement) for sale of all of such holder's Registrable Securities in accordance with the terms of the Registration Rights Agreement, and such lapse or unavailability continues for a period of five (5) consecutive days or for more than an aggregate of ten (10) days in any 365-day period (excluding days during an Allowable Grace Period (as defined in the Registration Rights Agreement));
- (iii) the suspension from trading or the failure of the Common Stock to be trading or listed (as applicable) on an Eligible Market for a period of five (5) consecutive Trading Days;
- (iv) the Company's (A) failure to cure a Conversion Failure by delivery of the required number of shares of Common Stock within five (5) Trading Days after the applicable Conversion Date or exercise date (as the case may be) or (B) notice, written or oral, to any holder of the Notes, including, without limitation, by way of public announcement or through any of its agents, at any time, of its intention not to comply, as required, with a request for conversion of any Notes into shares of Common Stock that is requested in accordance with the provisions of the Notes, other than pursuant to Section 3(d);
- (v) except to the extent the Company is in compliance with Section 9(b) below, at any time following the tenth (10<sup>th</sup>) consecutive day that the Holder's Authorized Share Allocation (as defined in Section 9(a) below) is less than the number of shares of Common Stock that the Holder would be entitled to receive upon a conversion of the full Conversion Amount of this Note (without regard to any limitations on conversion set forth in Section 3(d) or otherwise);
- (vi) the Company's or any Subsidiary's failure to pay to the Holder any amount of Principal, Interest, Late Charges or other amounts when and as due under this Note (including, without limitation, the Company's or any Subsidiary's failure to pay any redemption payments or amounts hereunder) or any other Transaction Document (as defined in the Securities Purchase Agreement) or any other agreement, document, certificate or other instrument delivered in connection with the transactions contemplated hereby and thereby, except, in the case of a failure to pay Interest and Late Charges when and as due, in which case only if such failure remains uncured for a period of at least two (2) Trading Days;
- (vii) the Company fails to remove any restrictive legend on any certificate or any shares of Common Stock issued to the Holder upon conversion or exercise (as the case may be) of any Securities (as defined in the Securities Purchase Agreement) acquired by the Holder under the Securities Purchase Agreement (including this Note) as and when required by such Securities or the Securities Purchase Agreement, unless otherwise then prohibited by applicable federal securities laws, and any such failure remains uncured for at least five (5) Business Days;
- (viii) the occurrence of any default under, redemption of or acceleration prior to maturity of at least an aggregate of \$250,000 of Indebtedness (as defined in the Securities Purchase Agreement) of the Company or any of its Subsidiaries, other than with respect to any Other Notes;
- (ix) bankruptcy, insolvency, reorganization or liquidation proceedings or other proceedings for the relief of debtors shall be instituted by or against the Company or any Subsidiary and, if instituted against the Company or any Subsidiary by a third party, shall not be dismissed within thirty (30) days of their initiation;

- (x) the commencement by the Company or any Subsidiary of a voluntary case or proceeding under any applicable federal, state or foreign bankruptcy, insolvency, reorganization or other similar law or of any other case or proceeding to be adjudicated a bankrupt or insolvent, or the consent by it to the entry of a decree, order, judgment or other similar document in respect of the Company or any Subsidiary in an involuntary case or proceeding under any applicable federal, state or foreign bankruptcy, insolvency, reorganization or other similar law or to the commencement of any bankruptcy or insolvency case or proceeding against it, or the filing by it of a petition or answer or consent seeking reorganization or relief under any applicable federal, state or foreign law, or the consent by it to the filing of such petition or to the appointment of or taking possession by a custodian, receiver, liquidator, assignee, trustee, sequestrator or other similar official of the Company or any Subsidiary or of any substantial part of its property, or the making by it of an assignment for the benefit of creditors, or the execution of a composition of debts, or the occurrence of any other similar federal, state or foreign proceeding, or the admission by it in writing of its inability to pay its debts generally as they become due, the taking of corporate action by the Company or any Subsidiary in furtherance of any such action or the taking of any action by any Person to commence a Uniform Commercial Code foreclosure sale or any other similar action under federal, state or foreign law;
- (xi) the entry by a court of (i) a decree, order, judgment or other similar document in respect of the Company or any Subsidiary of a voluntary or involuntary case or proceeding under any applicable federal, state or foreign bankruptcy, insolvency, reorganization or other similar law or (ii) a decree, order, judgment or other similar document adjudging the Company or any Subsidiary as bankrupt or insolvent, or approving as properly filed a petition seeking liquidation, reorganization, arrangement, adjustment or composition of or in respect of the Company or any Subsidiary under any applicable federal, state or foreign law or (iii) a decree, order, judgment or other similar document appointing a custodian, receiver, liquidator, assignee, trustee, sequestrator or other similar official of the Company or any Subsidiary or of any substantial part of its property, or ordering the winding up or liquidation of its affairs, and the continuance of any such decree, order, judgment or other similar document or any such other decree, order, judgment or other similar document unstayed and in effect for a period of thirty (30) consecutive days;
- (xii) a final judgment or judgments for the payment of money aggregating in excess of \$250,000 are rendered against the Company and/or any of its Subsidiaries and which judgments are not, within thirty (30) days after the entry thereof, bonded, discharged, settled or stayed pending appeal, or are not discharged within thirty (30) days after the expiration of such stay; provided, however, any judgment which is covered by insurance or an indemnity from a credit worthy party shall not be included in calculating the \$250,000 amount set forth above so long as the Company provides the Holder a written statement from such insurer or indemnity provider (which written statement shall be reasonably satisfactory to the Holder) to the effect that such judgment is covered by insurance or an indemnity and the Company or such Subsidiary (as the case may be) will receive the proceeds of such insurance or indemnity within thirty (30) days of the issuance of such judgment;
- (xiii) the Company and/or any Subsidiary, individually or in the aggregate, either (i) fails to pay, when due, or within any applicable grace period, any payment with respect to any Indebtedness in excess of \$250,000 due to any third party (other than, with respect to unsecured Indebtedness only, payments contested by the Company and/or such Subsidiary (as the case may be) in good faith by proper proceedings and with respect to which adequate reserves have been set aside for the payment thereof in accordance with GAAP) or is otherwise in breach or violation of any agreement for monies owed or owing in an amount in excess of \$250,000, which breach or violation permits the other party thereto to declare a default or otherwise accelerate amounts due thereunder, or (ii) suffer to exist any other circumstance or event that would, with or without the passage of time or the giving of notice, result in a default or event of default under any agreement binding the Company or any Subsidiary, which default or event of default would or is likely to have a material adverse effect on the business, assets, operations (including results thereof), liabilities, properties, condition (including financial condition) or prospects of the Company or any of its Subsidiaries, individually or in the aggregate;
- (xiv) other than as specifically set forth in another clause of this Section 4(a), the Company or any Subsidiary breaches any representation or warranty, or any covenant or other term or condition of any Transaction Document, except, in the case of a breach of a covenant or other term or condition that is curable, only if such breach remains uncured for a period of five (5) consecutive Trading Days;

- (xv) a false or inaccurate certification (including a false or inaccurate deemed certification) by the Company as to whether any Event of Default has occurred;
  - (xvi) any breach or failure in any respect by the Company or any Subsidiary to comply with any provision of Section 12 of this Note;
  - (xvii) any Material Adverse Effect (as defined in the Securities Purchase Agreement) occurs;
- (xviii) if Dr. Vin Menon ceases to be the chief executive officer of the Company except to the extent a qualified replacement acceptable to the Required Holders (as defined in the Securities Purchase Agreement) has been appointed within thirty (30) Trading Days of such occurrence;
  - (xix) the Company or any of its wholly owned Subsidiaries, in the aggregate, ceases to own at least 750 Bitcoin;
  - (xx) any breach by the Company or any of its Subsidiaries of the Side Letter (as defined in the Securities Purchase Agreement);
- (xxi) any provision of any Transaction Document shall at any time for any reason (other than pursuant to the express terms thereof) cease to be valid and binding on or enforceable against the parties thereto, or the validity or enforceability thereof shall be contested by any party thereto, or a proceeding shall be commenced by the Company or any Subsidiary or any governmental authority having jurisdiction over any of them, seeking to establish the invalidity or unenforceability thereof, or the Company or any Subsidiary shall deny in writing that it has any liability or obligation purported to be created under any Transaction Document:
- (xxii) any material damage to, or loss, theft or destruction of, any Company assets, including crypto holdings, whether or not insured, or any strike, lockout, labor dispute, embargo, condemnation, act of God or public enemy, or other casualty which causes, for more than fifteen (15) consecutive days, the cessation or substantial curtailment of revenue producing activities at any facility of the Company or any Subsidiary, if any such event or circumstance could have a Material Adverse Effect; or
  - (xxiii) any Event of Default (as defined in the Other Notes) occurs with respect to any Other Notes.
- (b) Notice of an Event of Default; Redemption Right. Upon the occurrence of an Event of Default with respect to this Note or any Other Note, the Company shall within one (1) Business Day deliver written notice thereof via electronic mail and overnight courier (with next day delivery specified) (an "Event of Default Notice") to the Holder. At any time after the earlier of the Holder's receipt of an Event of Default Notice and the Holder becoming aware of an Event of Default, the Holder may require the Company to redeem (regardless of whether such Event of Default has been cured) all or any portion of this Note by delivering written notice thereof (the "Event of Default Redemption Notice") to the Company, which Event of Default Redemption Notice shall indicate the portion of this Note the Holder is electing to redeem. Each portion of this Note subject to redemption by the Company pursuant to this Section 4(b) shall be redeemed by the Company at a price equal to the greater of (i) the product of (A) the Conversion Amount to be redeemed multiplied by (B) the Redemption Premium and (ii) the product of (X) the Conversion Rate with respect to the Conversion Amount in effect at such time as the Holder delivers an Event of Default Redemption Notice multiplied by (Y) the product of (1) the Redemption Premium multiplied by (2) the greatest Closing Sale Price of the Common Stock on any Trading Day during the period commencing on the date immediately preceding such Event of Default and ending on the date the Company makes the entire payment required to be made under this Section 4(b) (the "Event of Default Redemption Price"). Redemptions required by this Section 4(b) shall be made in accordance with the provisions of Section 10. To the extent redemptions required by this Section 4(b) are deemed or determined by a court of competent jurisdiction to be prepayments of this Note by the Company, such redemptions shall be deemed to be voluntary prepayments. Notwithstanding anything to the contrary in this Section 3(e), but subject to Section 3(d), until the Event of Default Redemption Price (together with any Late Charges thereon) is paid in full, the Conversion Amount submitted for redemption under this Section 4(b) (together with any Late Charges thereon) may be converted, in whole or in part, by the Holder into Common Stock pursuant to the terms of this Note. In the event of the Company's redemption of any portion of this Note under this Section 4(b), the Holder's damages would be uncertain and difficult to estimate because of the parties' inability to predict future interest rates and the uncertainty of the availability of a suitable substitute investment opportunity for the Holder. Accordingly, any redemption premium due under this Section 4(b) is intended by the parties to be, and shall be deemed, a reasonable estimate of the Holder's actual loss of its investment opportunity and not as a penalty. Any redemption upon an Event of Default shall not constitute an election of remedies by the Holder, and all other rights and remedies of the Holder shall be preserved.

(c) <u>Mandatory Redemption upon Bankruptcy Event of Default</u>. Notwithstanding anything to the contrary herein, and notwithstanding any conversion that is then required or in process, upon any Bankruptcy Event of Default, whether occurring prior to or following the Maturity Date, the Company shall immediately pay to the Holder an amount in cash representing (i) all outstanding Principal, accrued and unpaid Interest and accrued and unpaid Late Charges on such Principal and Interest, multiplied by (ii) the Redemption Premium, in addition to any and all other amounts due hereunder, without the requirement for any notice or demand or other action by the Holder or any other person or entity, provided that the Holder may, in its sole discretion, waive such right to receive payment upon a Bankruptcy Event of Default, in whole or in part, and any such waiver shall not affect any other rights of the Holder hereunder, including any other rights in respect of such Bankruptcy Event of Default, any right to conversion, and any right to payment of the Event of Default Redemption Price or any other Redemption Price, as applicable.

# 5. RIGHTS UPON FUNDAMENTAL TRANSACTION.

(a) Assumption. The Company shall not enter into or be party to a Fundamental Transaction unless (i) the Successor Entity assumes in writing all of the obligations of the Company under this Note and the other Transaction Documents in accordance with the provisions of this Section 5(a) pursuant to written agreements in form and substance satisfactory to the Holder and approved by the Holder prior to such Fundamental Transaction, including agreements to deliver to each holder of Notes in exchange for such Notes a security of the Successor Entity evidenced by a written instrument substantially similar in form and substance to the Notes, including, without limitation, having a principal amount and interest rate equal to the principal amounts then outstanding and the interest rates of the Notes held by such holder, having similar conversion rights as the Notes and having similar ranking and security to the Notes, and satisfactory to the Holder and (ii) the Successor Entity (including its Parent Entity) is a publicly traded corporation whose common stock is quoted on or listed for trading on an Eligible Market. Upon the occurrence of any Fundamental Transaction, the Successor Entity shall succeed to, and be substituted for (so that from and after the date of such Fundamental Transaction, the provisions of this Note and the other Transaction Documents referring to the "Company" shall refer instead to the Successor Entity), and may exercise every right and power of the Company and shall assume all of the obligations of the Company under this Note and the other Transaction Documents with the same effect as if such Successor Entity had been named as the Company herein. Upon consummation of a Fundamental Transaction, the Successor Entity shall deliver to the Holder confirmation that there shall be issued upon conversion or redemption of this Note at any time after the consummation of such Fundamental Transaction, in lieu of the shares of Common Stock (or other securities, cash, assets or other property (except such items still issuable under Sections 6 and 14, which shall continue to be receivable thereafter)) issuable upon the conversion or redemption of the Notes prior to such Fundamental Transaction, such shares of the publicly traded common stock (or their equivalent) of the Successor Entity (including its Parent Entity) which the Holder would have been entitled to receive upon the happening of such Fundamental Transaction had this Note been converted immediately prior to such Fundamental Transaction (without regard to any limitations on the conversion of this Note), as adjusted in accordance with the provisions of this Note. Notwithstanding the foregoing, the Holder may elect, at its sole option, by delivery of written notice to the Company to waive this Section 5(a) to permit the Fundamental Transaction without the assumption of this Note. The provisions of this Section 5 shall apply similarly and equally to successive Fundamental Transactions and shall be applied without regard to any limitations on the conversion of this Note.

(b) Notice of a Change of Control; Redemption Right. No sooner than twenty (20) Trading Days nor later than ten (10) Trading Days prior to the consummation of a Change of Control (the "Change of Control Date"), but not prior to the public announcement of such Change of Control, the Company shall deliver written notice thereof via electronic mail and overnight courier to the Holder (a "Change of Control Notice"). At any time during the period beginning after the Holder's receipt of a Change of Control Notice or the Holder becoming aware of a Change of Control if a Change of Control Notice is not delivered to the Holder in accordance with the immediately preceding sentence (as applicable) and ending on twenty (20) Trading Days after the later of (A) the date of consummation of such Change of Control or (B) the date of receipt of such Change of Control Notice or (C) the date of the announcement of such Change of Control, the Holder may require the Company to redeem all or any portion of this Note by delivering written notice thereof ("Change of Control Redemption Notice") to the Company, which Change of Control Redemption Notice shall indicate the Conversion Amount the Holder is electing to redeem. The portion of this Note subject to redemption pursuant to this Section 5 shall be redeemed by the Company in cash at a price equal to the greatest of (i) the product of (w) the Change of Control Redemption Premium multiplied by (y) the Conversion Amount being redeemed, (ii) the product of (x) the Change of Control Redemption Premium multiplied by (y) the product of (A) the Conversion Amount being redeemed multiplied by (B) the quotient determined by dividing (I) the greatest Closing Sale Price of the shares of Common Stock during the period beginning on the date immediately preceding the earlier to occur of (1) the consummation of the applicable Change of Control and (2) the public announcement of such Change of Control and ending on the date the Holder delivers the Change of Control Redemption Notice by (II) the Conversion Price then in effect and (iii) the product of (y) the Change of Control Redemption Premium multiplied by (z) the product of (A) the Conversion Amount being redeemed multiplied by (B) the quotient of (I) the aggregate cash consideration and the aggregate cash value of any non-cash consideration per share of Common Stock to be paid to the holders of the shares of Common Stock upon consummation of such Change of Control (any such non-cash consideration constituting publicly-traded securities shall be valued at the highest of the Closing Sale Price of such securities as of the Trading Day immediately prior to the consummation of such Change of Control, the Closing Sale Price of such securities on the Trading Day immediately following the public announcement of such proposed Change of Control and the Closing Sale Price of such securities on the Trading Day immediately prior to the public announcement of such proposed Change of Control) divided by (II) the Conversion Price then in effect (the "Change of Control Redemption Price"). Redemptions required by this Section 5 shall be made in accordance with the provisions of Section 10 and shall have priority to payments to stockholders in connection with such Change of Control. To the extent redemptions required by this Section 5(b) are deemed or determined by a court of competent jurisdiction to be prepayments of this Note by the Company, such redemptions shall be deemed to be voluntary prepayments. Notwithstanding anything to the contrary in this Section 5, but subject to Section 3(d), until the Change of Control Redemption Price (together with any Late Charges thereon) is paid in full, the Conversion Amount submitted for redemption under this Section 5(b) (together with any Late Charges thereon) may be converted, in whole or in part, by the Holder into Common Stock pursuant to Section 3. In the event of the Company's redemption of any portion of this Note under this Section 5(b), the Holder's damages would be uncertain and difficult to estimate because of the parties' inability to predict future interest rates and the uncertainty of the availability of a suitable substitute investment opportunity for the Holder. Accordingly, any redemption premium due under this Section 5(b) is intended by the parties to be, and shall be deemed, a reasonable estimate of the Holder's actual loss of its investment opportunity and not as a penalty.

# 6. RIGHTS UPON ISSUANCE OF PURCHASE RIGHTS AND OTHER CORPORATE EVENTS.

(a) <u>Purchase Rights</u>. In addition to any adjustments pursuant to Sections 7 or 14 below, if at any time the Company grants, issues or sells any Options, Convertible Securities or rights to purchase stock, warrants, securities or other property pro rata to all or substantially all of the record holders of any class of Common Stock (the "Purchase Rights"), then the Holder will be entitled to acquire, upon the terms applicable to such Purchase Rights, the aggregate Purchase Rights which the Holder could have acquired if the Holder had held the number of shares of Common Stock acquirable upon complete conversion of this Note (without taking into account any limitations or restrictions on the convertibility of this Note) immediately prior to the date on which a record is taken for the grant, issuance or sale of such Purchase Rights, or, if no such record is taken, the date as of which the record holders of shares of Common Stock are to be determined for the grant, issue or sale of such Purchase Rights (provided, however, that to the extent that the Holder's right to participate in any such Purchase Right would result in the Holder and the other Attribution Parties exceeding the Maximum Percentage, then the Holder shall not be entitled to participate in such Purchase Right to the extent of the Maximum Percentage (and shall not be entitled to beneficial ownership of such shares of Common Stock as a result of such Purchase Right (and beneficial ownership) to the extent of any such excess) and such Purchase Right to such extent shall be held in abeyance (and, if such Purchase Right has an expiration date, maturity date or other similar provision, such term shall be extended by such number of days held in abeyance, if applicable) for the benefit of the Holder until such time or times, if ever, as its right thereto would not result in the Holder and the other Attribution Parties exceeding the Maximum Percentage, at which time or times the Holder shall be granted such right (and any Purchase Right held similarly in abeyan

(b) Other Corporate Events. In addition to and not in substitution for any other rights hereunder, prior to the consummation of any Fundamental Transaction pursuant to which holders of shares of Common Stock are entitled to receive securities or other assets with respect to or in exchange for shares of Common Stock (a "Corporate Event"), the Company shall make appropriate provision to ensure that the Holder will thereafter have the right to receive upon a conversion of this Note, at the Holder's option (i) in addition to the shares of Common Stock receivable upon such conversion, such securities or other assets to which the Holder would have been entitled with respect to such shares of Common Stock had such shares of Common Stock been held by the Holder upon the consummation of such Corporate Event (without taking into account any limitations or restrictions on the convertibility of this Note) or (ii) in lieu of the shares of Common Stock otherwise receivable upon such conversion, such securities or other assets received by the holders of shares of Common Stock in connection with the consummation of such Corporate Event in such amounts as the Holder would have been entitled to receive had this Note initially been issued with conversion rights for the form of such consideration (as opposed to shares of Common Stock) at a conversion rate for such consideration commensurate with the Conversion Rate. Provision made pursuant to the preceding sentence shall be in a form and substance satisfactory to the Holder. The provisions of this Section 6 shall apply similarly and equally to successive Corporate Events and shall be applied without regard to any limitations on the conversion or redemption of this Note.

# 7. RIGHTS UPON ISSUANCE OF OTHER SECURITIES.

- (a) <u>Substitution Conversion Price upon Issuance of Common Stock</u>. If and whenever on or after the Subscription Date the Company grants, issues or sells (or enters into any agreement to grant, issue or sell), or in accordance with this Section 7(a) is deemed to have granted, issued or sold, any shares of Common Stock (including the granting, issuance or sale of shares of Common Stock owned or held by or for the account of the Company, but excluding any Excluded Securities granted, issued or sold or deemed to have been granted, issued or sold) for a consideration per share (the "New Issuance Price") less than a price equal to the Conversion Price in effect immediately prior to such granting, issuance or sale or deemed granting, issuance or sale (such Conversion Price then in effect is referred to herein as the "Applicable Price") (the foregoing a "Dilutive Issuance"), then, at any time or times after such Dilutive Issuance, the Holder may, at its sole discretion, substitute such New Issuance Price for the Conversion Price then in effect (each, a "Substitution Conversion Price"). For all purposes of the foregoing (including, without limitation, determining any Substitution Conversion Price under this Section 7(a)), the following shall be applicable:
  - (i) Issuance of Options. If the Company in any manner grants, issues or sells (or enters into any agreement to grant, issue or sell) any Options and the lowest price per share for which one share of Common Stock is at any time issuable upon the exercise of any such Option or upon conversion, exercise or exchange of any Convertible Securities issuable upon exercise of any such Option or otherwise pursuant to the terms thereof is less than the Applicable Price, then such share of Common Stock shall be deemed to be outstanding and to have been issued and sold by the Company at the time of the granting, issuance or sale of such Option for such price per share. For purposes of this Section 7(a)(i), the "lowest price per share for which one share of Common Stock is at any time issuable upon the exercise of any such Option or upon conversion, exercise or exchange of any Convertible Securities issuable upon exercise of any such Option or otherwise pursuant to the terms thereof' shall be equal to (1) the lower of (x) the sum of the lowest amounts of consideration (if any) received or receivable by the Company with respect to any one share of Common Stock upon the granting, issuance or sale of such Option, upon exercise of such Option and upon conversion, exercise or exchange of any Convertible Security issuable upon exercise of such Option or otherwise pursuant to the terms thereof and (y) the lowest exercise price set forth in such Option for which one share of Common Stock is issuable (or may become issuable assuming all possible market conditions) upon the exercise of any such Options or upon conversion, exercise or exchange of any Convertible Securities issuable upon exercise of any such Option or otherwise pursuant to the terms thereof, minus (2) the sum of all amounts paid or payable to the holder of such Option (or any other Person) with respect to any one share of Common Stock upon the granting, issuance or sale of such Option, upon exercise of such Option and upon conversion, exercise or exchange of any Convertible Security issuable upon exercise of such Option or otherwise pursuant to the terms thereof plus the value of any other consideration (including, without limitation. consideration consisting of cash, debt forgiveness, assets or any other property) received or receivable by, or benefit conferred on, the holder of such Option (or any other Person). Except as contemplated below, no further adjustment of any given Substitution Conversion Price shall be made upon the actual issuance of such share of Common Stock or of such Convertible Securities upon the exercise of such Options or otherwise pursuant to the terms thereof or upon the actual issuance of such shares of Common Stock upon conversion, exercise or exchange of such Convertible Securities.

(ii) <u>Issuance of Convertible Securities</u>. If the Company in any manner issues or sells (or enters into any agreement to issue or sell) any Convertible Securities and the lowest price per share for which one share of Common Stock is at any time issuable upon the conversion, exercise or exchange thereof or otherwise pursuant to the terms thereof is less than the Applicable Price, then such share of Common Stock shall be deemed to be outstanding and to have been issued and sold by the Company at the time of the issuance or sale (or the time of execution of such agreement to issue or sell, as applicable) of such Convertible Securities for such price per share. For the purposes of this Section 7(a)(ii), the "lowest price per share for which one share of Common Stock is at any time issuable upon the conversion, exercise or exchange thereof or otherwise pursuant to the terms thereof' shall be equal to (1) the lower of (x) the sum of the lowest amounts of consideration (if any) received or receivable by the Company with respect to one share of Common Stock upon the issuance or sale (or pursuant to the agreement to issue or sell, as applicable) of the Convertible Security and upon conversion, exercise or exchange of such Convertible Security or otherwise pursuant to the terms thereof and (y) the lowest conversion price set forth in such Convertible Security for which one share of Common Stock is issuable (or may become issuable assuming all possible market conditions) upon conversion, exercise or exchange thereof or otherwise pursuant to the terms thereof minus (2) the sum of all amounts paid or payable to the holder of such Convertible Security (or any other Person) with respect to any one share of Common Stock upon the issuance or sale (or the agreement to issue or sell, as applicable) of such Convertible Security plus the value of any other consideration received or receivable (including, without limitation, any consideration consisting of cash, debt forgiveness, assets or other property) by, or benefit conferred on, the holder of such Convertible Security (or any other Person). Except as contemplated below, no further adjustment of any given Substitution Conversion Price shall be made upon the actual issuance of such shares of Common Stock upon conversion, exercise or exchange of such Convertible Securities or otherwise pursuant to the terms thereof, and if any such issuance or sale of such Convertible Securities is made upon exercise of any Options for which adjustment of the Conversion Price has been or is to be made pursuant to other provisions of this Section 7(a), except as contemplated below, no further adjustment of any given Substitution Conversion Price shall be made by reason of such issuance or sale.

(iii) <u>Change in Option Price or Rate of Conversion</u>. If the purchase or exercise price provided for in any Options, the additional consideration, if any, payable upon the issue, conversion, exercise or exchange of any Convertible Securities, or the rate at which any Convertible Securities are convertible into or exercisable or exchangeable for shares of Common Stock increases or decreases at any time (other than proportional changes in conversion or exercise prices, as applicable, in connection with an event referred to in Section 7(c) below), the applicable Substitution Conversion Price at the time of such increase or decrease shall be adjusted to the Substitution Conversion Price which would have been in effect at such time had such Options or Convertible Securities provided for such increased or decreased purchase price, additional consideration or increased or decreased conversion rate (as the case may be) at the time initially granted, issued or sold. For purposes of this Section 7(a)(i), if the terms of any Option or Convertible Security (including, without limitation, any Option or Convertible Security that was outstanding as of the Subscription Date) are increased or decreased in the manner described in the immediately preceding sentence, then such Option or Convertible Security and the shares of Common Stock deemed issuable upon exercise, conversion or exchange thereof shall be deemed to have been issued as of the date of such increase or decrease. No adjustment pursuant to this Section 7(a) shall be made if such adjustment would result in an increase of any Substitution Conversion Price then in effect.

(iv) Calculation of Consideration Received. If any Option and/or Convertible Security and/or Adjustment Right is issued in connection with the issuance or sale or deemed issuance or sale of any other securities of the Company (as determined by the Holder, the "Primary Security", and such Option and/or Convertible Security and/or Adjustment Right, the "Secondary Securities"), together comprising one integrated transaction (or one or more transactions if such issuances or sales or deemed issuances or sales of securities of the Company either (A) have at least one investor or purchaser in common, (B) are consummated in reasonable proximity to each other and/or (C) are consummated under the same plan of financing), the aggregate consideration per share of Common Stock with respect to such Primary Security shall be deemed to be equal to the difference of (x) the lowest price per share for which one share of Common Stock was issued (or was deemed to be issued pursuant to Section 7(a)(i) or 7(a)(ii) above, as applicable) in such integrated transaction solely with respect to such Primary Security, minus (y) with respect to such Secondary Securities, the sum of (I) the Black Scholes Consideration Value of each such Option, if any, (II) the fair market value (as determined by the Holder in good faith) or the Black Scholes Consideration Value, as applicable, of such Adjustment Right, if any, and (III) the fair market value (as determined by the Holder) of such Convertible Security, if any, in each case, as determined on a per share basis in accordance with this Section 7(a)(iv). If any shares of Common Stock, Options or Convertible Securities are issued or sold or deemed to have been issued or sold for cash, the consideration received therefor (for the purpose of determining the consideration paid for such Common Stock, Option or Convertible Security, but not for the purpose of the calculation of the Black Scholes Consideration Value) will be deemed to be the net amount of consideration received by the Company therefor. If any shares of Common Stock, Options or Convertible Securities are issued or sold for a consideration other than cash, the amount of such consideration received by the Company (for the purpose of determining the consideration paid for such Common Stock, Option or Convertible Security, but not for the purpose of the calculation of the Black Scholes Consideration Value) will be the fair value of such consideration, except where such consideration consists of publicly traded securities, in which case the amount of consideration received by the Company for such securities will be the arithmetic average of the VWAPs of such security for each of the five (5) Trading Days immediately preceding the date of receipt. If any shares of Common Stock, Options or Convertible Securities are issued to the owners of the non-surviving entity in connection with any merger in which the Company is the surviving entity, the amount of consideration therefor (for the purpose of determining the consideration paid for such Common Stock, Option or Convertible Security, but not for the purpose of the calculation of the Black Scholes Consideration Value) will be deemed to be the fair value of such portion of the net assets and business of the non-surviving entity as is attributable to such shares of Common Stock, Options or Convertible Securities (as the case may be). The fair value of any consideration other than cash or publicly traded securities will be determined jointly by the Company and the Holder. If such parties are unable to reach agreement within ten (10) days after the occurrence of an event requiring valuation (the "Valuation Event"), the fair value of such consideration will be determined within five (5) Trading Days after the tenth (10<sup>th</sup>) day following such Valuation Event by an independent, reputable appraiser jointly selected by the Company and the Holder. The determination of such appraiser shall be final and binding upon all parties absent manifest error and the fees and expenses of such appraiser shall be borne by the Company.

(v) Record Date. If the Company takes a record of the holders of shares of Common Stock for the purpose of entitling them (A) to receive a dividend or other distribution payable in shares of Common Stock, Options or in Convertible Securities or (B) to subscribe for or purchase shares of Common Stock, Options or Convertible Securities, then such record date will be deemed to be the date of the issuance or sale of the shares of Common Stock deemed to have been issued or sold upon the declaration of such dividend or the making of such other distribution or the date of the granting of such right of subscription or purchase (as the case may be).

- (b) <u>Calculations</u>. All calculations under this Section 7 shall be made by rounding to the nearest cent or the nearest 1/100<sup>th</sup> of a share, as applicable. The number of shares of Common Stock outstanding at any given time shall not include shares owned or held by or for the account of the Company, and the disposition of any such shares shall be considered an issue or sale of Common Stock.
- (c) <u>Adjustment of Substitute Conversion Price upon Subdivision or Combination of Common Stock</u>. Without limiting any provision of Section 6, Section 14 or Section 7(a), if the Company at any time on or after the Subscription Date subdivides (by any stock split, stock dividend, stock combination, recapitalization or other similar transaction) one or more classes of its outstanding shares of Common Stock into a greater number of shares, any Substitute Conversion Price in effect immediately prior to such subdivision will be proportionately reduced. Without limiting any provision of Section 6, Section 14 or Section 7(a), if the Company at any time on or after the Subscription Date combines (by any stock split, stock dividend, stock combination, recapitalization or other similar transaction) one or more classes of its outstanding shares of Common Stock into a smaller number of shares, any Substitute Conversion Price in effect immediately prior to such combination will be proportionately increased. Any adjustment pursuant to this Section 7(c) shall become effective immediately after the effective date of such subdivision or combination. If any event requiring an adjustment under this Section 7(c) occurs during the period that a Substitute Conversion Price is calculated hereunder, then the calculation of such Substitute Conversion Price shall be adjusted appropriately to reflect such event.
- (d) Holder's Right of Substitution Upon Variable Rate Transaction. In addition to and not in limitation of the other provisions of this Section 7, if the Company in any manner issues or sells or enters into any agreement to issue or sell, any Common Stock, Options or Convertible Securities (any such securities, "Variable Price Securities"), after the Subscription Date that are issuable pursuant to such agreement or convertible into or exchangeable or exercisable for shares of Common Stock at a price which varies or may vary with the market price of the shares of Common Stock, including by way of one or more reset(s) to a fixed price, but exclusive of such formulations reflecting customary anti-dilution provisions (such as share splits, share combinations, share dividends and similar transactions) (each of the formulations for such variable price being herein referred to as, the "Variable Price"), the Company shall provide written notice thereof via electronic mail and overnight courier to the Holder on the date of such agreement and the issuance of such Common Stock, Convertible Securities or Options. From and after the date the Company enters into such agreement or issues any such Variable Price Securities, the Holder shall have the right, but not the obligation, in its sole discretion to substitute the Variable Price for the Conversion Price upon conversion of this Note by designating in the Conversion Notice delivered upon any conversion of this Note that solely for purposes of such conversion of this Note shall not obligate the Holder to rely on a Variable Price for any future conversion of this Note.
- (e) <u>Voluntary Adjustment by Company</u>. Subject to the rules and regulations of the Principal Market, the Company may at any time during the term of this Note, with the prior written consent of the Required Holders (as defined in the Securities Purchase Agreement), reduce the then current Conversion Price of each of the Notes to any amount and for any period of time deemed appropriate by the board of directors of the Company.
- 8. NONCIRCUMVENTION. The Company hereby covenants and agrees that the Company will not, by amendment of its Certificate of Incorporation (as defined in the Securities Purchase Agreement), Bylaws (as defined in the Securities Purchase Agreement) or through any reorganization, transfer of assets, consolidation, merger, scheme of arrangement, dissolution, issue or sale of securities, or any other voluntary action, avoid or seek to avoid the observance or performance of any of the terms of this Note, and will, at all times, in good faith carry out all of the provisions of this Note and take all action as may be required to protect the rights of the Holder of this Note. Without limiting the generality of the foregoing or any other provision of this Note or the other Transaction Documents, the Company (a) shall not increase the par value of any shares of Common Stock receivable upon conversion of this Note above the Conversion Price then in effect, and (b) shall take all such actions as may be necessary or appropriate in order that the Company may validly and legally issue fully paid and nonassessable shares of Common Stock upon the conversion of this Note. Notwithstanding anything herein to the contrary, if after the sixty (60) calendar day anniversary of the Issuance Date, the Holder is not permitted to convert this Note in full for any reason (other than pursuant to restrictions set forth in Section 3(d) hereof), the Company shall use its best efforts to promptly remedy such failure, including, without limitation, obtaining such consents or approvals as necessary to permit such conversion into shares of Common Stock.

#### 9. RESERVATION OF AUTHORIZED SHARES

(a) <u>Reservation</u>. So long as any Notes remain outstanding, the Company shall, at all times, reserve at least 300% of the number of shares of Common Stock as shall from time to time be necessary to effect the conversion, of all of the Notes then outstanding (without regard to any limitations on conversions and assuming such Notes remain outstanding until the Maturity Date) (the "Required Reserve Amount"). The Required Reserve Amount (including, without limitation, each increase in the number of shares so reserved) shall be allocated pro rata among the holders of the Notes based on the original principal amount of the Notes held by each holder on the Applicable Closing Date or increase in the number of reserved shares, as the case may be (the "Authorized Share Allocation"). In the event that a holder shall sell or otherwise transfer any of such holder's Notes, each transferee shall be allocated a pro rata portion of such holder's Authorized Share Allocation. Any shares of Common Stock reserved and allocated to any Person which ceases to hold any Notes shall be allocated to the remaining holders of Notes, pro rata based on the principal amount of the Notes then held by such holders.

(b) Insufficient Authorized Shares. If, notwithstanding Section 9(a), and not in limitation thereof, at any time while any of the Notes remain outstanding the Company does not have a sufficient number of authorized and unreserved shares of Common Stock to satisfy its obligation to reserve for issuance upon conversion of the Notes at least a number of shares of Common Stock equal to the Required Reserve Amount (an "Authorized Share Failure"), then the Company shall immediately take all action necessary to increase the Company's authorized shares of Common Stock to an amount sufficient to allow the Company to reserve the Required Reserve Amount for the Notes then outstanding. Without limiting the generality of the foregoing sentence, as soon as practicable after the date of the occurrence of an Authorized Share Failure, but in no event later than sixty (60) days after the occurrence of such Authorized Share Failure, the Company shall hold a meeting of its stockholders for the approval of an increase in the number of authorized shares of Common Stock. In connection with such meeting, the Company shall provide each stockholder with a proxy statement and shall use its best efforts to solicit its stockholders' approval of such increase in authorized shares of Common Stock and to cause its board of directors to recommend to the stockholders that they approve such proposal. In the event that the Company is prohibited from issuing shares of Common Stock pursuant to the terms of this Note due to the failure by the Company to have sufficient shares of Common Stock available out of the authorized but unissued shares of Common Stock (such unavailable number of shares of Common Stock, the "Authorized Failure Shares"), in lieu of delivering such Authorized Failure Shares to the Holder, the Company shall pay cash in exchange for the redemption of such portion of the Conversion Amount convertible into such Authorized Failure Shares at a price equal to the sum of (i) the product of (x) such number of Authorized Failure Shares and (y) the greatest Closing Sale Price of the Common Stock on any Trading Day during the period commencing on the date the Holder delivers the applicable Conversion Notice with respect to such Authorized Failure Shares to the Company and ending on the date of such issuance and payment under this Section 9(a); and (ii) to the extent the Holder purchases (in an open market transaction or otherwise) shares of Common Stock to deliver in satisfaction of a sale by the Holder of Authorized Failure Shares, any brokerage commissions and other out-of-pocket expenses, if any, of the Holder incurred in connection therewith. Nothing contained in Section 9(a) or this Section 9(b) shall limit any obligations of the Company under any provision of the Securities Purchase Agreement.

#### 10. REDEMPTIONS.

- (a) Mechanics. The Company shall deliver the applicable Event of Default Redemption Price to the Holder in cash within five (5) Business Days after the Company's receipt of the Holder's Event of Default Redemption Notice. If the Holder has submitted a Change of Control Redemption Notice in accordance with Section 5(b), the Company shall deliver the applicable Change of Control Redemption Price to the Holder in cash concurrently with the consummation of such Change of Control if such notice is received prior to the consummation of such Change of Control and within five (5) Business Days after the Company's receipt of such notice otherwise. . Notwithstanding anything herein to the contrary, in connection with any redemption hereunder at a time the Holder is entitled to receive a cash payment under any of the other Transaction Documents, at the option of the Holder delivered in writing to the Company, the applicable Redemption Price hereunder shall be increased by the amount of such cash payment owed to the Holder under such other Transaction Document and, upon payment in full or conversion in accordance herewith, shall satisfy the Company's payment obligation under such other Transaction Document. In the event of a redemption of less than all of the Conversion Amount of this Note, the Company shall promptly cause to be issued and delivered to the Holder a new Note (in accordance with Section 17(d)) representing the outstanding Principal which has not been redeemed. In the event that the Company does not pay the applicable Redemption Price to the Holder within the time period required, at any time thereafter and until the Company pays such unpaid Redemption Price in full, the Holder shall have the option, in lieu of redemption, to require the Company to promptly return to the Holder all or any portion of this Note representing the Conversion Amount that was submitted for redemption and for which the applicable Redemption Price (together with any Late Charges thereon) has not been paid. Upon the Company's receipt of such notice, (x) the applicable Redemption Notice shall be null and void with respect to such Conversion Amount, and (y) the Company shall immediately return this Note, or issue a new Note (in accordance with Section 17(d)), to the Holder, and in each case the principal amount of this Note or such new Note (as the case may be) shall be increased by an amount equal to the difference between (1) the applicable Redemption Price (as the case may be, and as adjusted pursuant to this Section 10, if applicable) minus (2) the Principal portion of the Conversion Amount submitted for redemption The Holder's delivery of a notice voiding a Redemption Notice and exercise of its rights following such notice shall not affect the Company's obligations to make any payments of Late Charges which have accrued prior to the date of such notice with respect to the Conversion Amount subject to such notice.
- (b) Redemption by Other Holders. Upon the Company's receipt of notice from any of the holders of the Other Notes for redemption or repayment as a result of an event or occurrence substantially similar to the events or occurrences described in Section 4(b) or Section 5(b) (each, an "Other Redemption Notice"), the Company shall immediately, but no later than one (1) Business Day of its receipt thereof, forward to the Holder by facsimile or electronic mail a copy of such notice. If the Company receives a Redemption Notice and one or more Other Redemption Notices, during the seven (7) Business Day period beginning on and including the date which is two (2) Business Days prior to the Company's receipt of the Holder's applicable Redemption Notice and ending on and including the date which is two (2) Business Days after the Company's receipt of the Holder's applicable Redemption Notice and the Company is unable to redeem all principal, interest and other amounts designated in such Redemption Notice and such Other Redemption Notices received during such seven (7) Business Day period, then the Company shall redeem a pro rata amount from each holder of the Notes (including the Holder) based on the principal amount of the Notes submitted for redemption pursuant to such Redemption Notice and such Other Redemption Notices received by the Company during such seven (7) Business Day period.
- 11. <u>VOTING RIGHTS</u>. The Holder shall have no voting rights as the holder of this Note, except as required by law (including, without limitation, the Delaware General Corporation Law) and as expressly provided in this Note.
  - 12. COVENANTS. Until all of the Notes have been converted, redeemed or otherwise satisfied in accordance with their terms:
  - (a) Rank. All payments due under this Note (a) shall rank pari passu with all Other Notes and (b) shall be senior to all other Indebtedness of the Company and its Subsidiaries.

- (b) <u>Incurrence of Indebtedness</u>. The Company shall not, and the Company shall cause each of its Subsidiaries to not, directly or indirectly, incur or guarantee, assume or suffer to exist any Indebtedness (other than (i) the Indebtedness evidenced by this Note and the Other Notes and (ii) other Permitted Indebtedness).
- (c) Existence of Liens. The Company shall cause each of its Subsidiaries to not, directly or indirectly, allow or suffer to exist any mortgage, lien, pledge, charge, security interest or other encumbrance upon or in any property or assets (including accounts and contract rights) owned by the Company or any of its Subsidiaries (collectively, "Liens") other than Permitted Liens.
- (d) <u>Restricted Payments and Investments</u>. The Company shall not, and the Company shall cause each of its Subsidiaries to not, directly or indirectly, redeem, defease, repurchase, repay or make any payments in respect of, by the payment of cash or cash equivalents (in whole or in part, whether by way of open market purchases, tender offers, private transactions or otherwise), all or any portion of any Indebtedness (other than the Notes) whether by way of payment in respect of principal of (or premium, if any) or interest on, such Indebtedness or make any Investment, as applicable, if at the time such payment with respect to such Indebtedness and/or Investment, as applicable, is due or is otherwise made or, after giving effect to such payment, (i) an event constituting an Event of Default has occurred and is continuing or (ii) an event that with the passage of time and without being cured would constitute an Event of Default has occurred and is continuing.
- (e) <u>Restriction on Redemption and Cash Dividends</u>. The Company shall not, and the Company shall cause each of its Subsidiaries to not, directly or indirectly, redeem, repurchase or declare or pay any cash dividend or distribution on any of its capital stock.
- (f) Restriction on Transfer of Assets. The Company shall not, and the Company shall cause each of its Subsidiaries to not, directly or indirectly, sell, lend, assign, transfer, convey or otherwise dispose of any of assets or rights of the Company or any Subsidiary owned or hereafter acquired whether in a single transaction or a series of related transaction (other than (x) staking, hedging and trading of cryptocurrency in the ordinary course of business and (y) after the Stockholder Approval Date (as defined in the Securities Purchase Agreement), the Bio Sub Spinout (as defined in the Side Letter); provided, that nothing herein shall permit the Company and/or any Subsidiary to transfer any assets to Lokahi Therapeutics, Inc., a Nevada corporation, except as explicitly required by the terms of the Side Letter and subject to the transfer restrictions set forth in the Side Letter. The Company shall provide the Holder with a monthly attestation report by PCAOB-registered auditor confirming the balances (including the Bitcoin balances) held by the Company and its Subsidiaries upon five Business Days written notice (which, if no Event of Default has occurred or is continuing, shall not exceed two (2) times in any calendar month).
- (g) <u>Maturity of Indebtedness</u>. The Company shall not, and the Company shall cause each of its Subsidiaries to not, directly or indirectly, permit any Indebtedness of the Company or any of its Subsidiaries to mature or accelerate prior to the Maturity Date.
- (h) Change in Nature of Business. The Company shall not, and the Company shall cause each of its Subsidiaries to not, directly or indirectly, engage in any material line of business substantially different from those lines of business conducted by or publicly contemplated to be conducted by the Company and each of its Subsidiaries on the Subscription Date or any business substantially related or incidental thereto, for the avoidance of doubt, reasonably related to a full service digital asset company. The Company shall not, and the Company shall cause each of its Subsidiaries to not, directly or indirectly, modify its or their corporate structure or purpose.
- (i) <u>Restricted Issuances</u>. The Company shall not, directly or indirectly, without the prior written consent of the holders of a majority in aggregate principal amount of the Notes then outstanding, (i) issue any Notes (other than as contemplated by the Securities Purchase Agreement and the Notes) or (ii) issue any other securities that would cause a breach or default under the Notes.

- (j) <u>Stay, Extension and Usury Laws</u>. To the extent that it may lawfully do so, the Company (A) agrees that it will not at any time insist upon, plead, or in any manner whatsoever claim or take the benefit or advantage of, any stay, extension or usury law (wherever or whenever enacted or in force) that may affect the covenants or the performance of this Note; and (B) expressly waives all benefits or advantages of any such law and agrees that it will not, by resort to any such law, hinder, delay or impede the execution of any power granted to the Holder by this Note, but will suffer and permit the execution of every such power as though no such law has been enacted.
- (k) <u>Taxes</u>. The Company and its Subsidiaries shall pay when due all taxes, fees or other charges of any nature whatsoever (together with any related interest or penalties) now or hereafter imposed or assessed against the Company and its Subsidiaries or their respective assets or upon their ownership, possession, use, operation or disposition thereof or upon their rents, receipts or earnings arising therefrom (except where the failure to pay would not, individually or in the aggregate, have a material effect on the Company or any of its Subsidiaries). The Company and its Subsidiaries shall file on or before the due date therefor all personal property tax returns (except where the failure to file would not, individually or in the aggregate, have a material effect on the Company or any of its Subsidiaries). Notwithstanding the foregoing, the Company and its Subsidiaries may contest, in good faith and by appropriate proceedings, taxes for which they maintain adequate reserves therefor in accordance with GAAP.

# (l) Financial Covenants; Announcement of Operating Results.

- (i) The Company shall maintain, at all times, a balance of Available Cash in a bank account of the Company in the United States of America in an aggregate amount equal to or exceed, as applicable, (x) if before the pro forma information has been prepared to the mutual satisfaction of the auditors of the Company and Mindwave Innovations Inc, \$8 million or, (y) thereafter, \$2.5 million (the "Financial Test").
- (ii) <u>Operating Results Announcement</u>. Commencing on the Issuance Date, upon the failure to satisfy the Financial Test on any date of determination (each such failure, a "**Financial Covenant Failure**"), the Company shall notify the Holder in writing that it desires to deliver to the Holder material non-public information (each, a "**Pre-Notice**"). If the Holder upon receipt of such Pre-Notice elects in writing to receive such material non-public information (which may be an e-mail), the Company shall promptly provide to the Holders a written certification, executed on behalf of the Company by the Chief Financial Officer of the Company, certifying that a Financial Covenant Failure exists for such Fiscal Quarter or Fiscal Year, as applicable (each, a "**Financial Covenant Event Notice**"). By no later than the second (2<sup>nd</sup>) Business Day after the date the Company delivers such Financial Covenant Event Notice to the Holder, the Company shall also make publicly available (as part of a Quarterly Report on Form 10-Q, Annual Report on Form 10-K or on a Current Report on Form 8-K, or otherwise) the Financial Covenant Event Notice and the fact that an Event of Default has occurred under the Notes. If upon receipt of a Pre-Notice, the Holder elects not to receive any material non-public information, the Company shall have no obligation to deliver such Financial Covenant Event Notice to the Holder and the occurrence of such Financial Covenant Failure and the fact that an Event of Default has occurred under the Notes shall be publicly disclosed and disseminated at such time as required by the rules and regulations of the 1934 Act and the SEC.

#### (m) Pre-Delivery Shares.

(i) General. On or prior to the third (3<sup>rd</sup>) Trading Day after the Issuance Date, subject to Section 3(d) above, the Company shall deliver to the Holder (or its designee), either by crediting to the Holder's or its designee's balance account with DTC through its Deposit/Withdrawal at Custodian system, or by a duly executed stock certificate, such aggregate number of shares of Common Stock (the "Pre-Delivery Shares") equal to the maximum number of Pre-Delivery Shares that may be then issued to the Holder without resulting in a breach of Section 3(d) above (the "Initial Pre-Delivery Share Amount"). In addition, at any time after the Issuance Date, to the extent that the number of Pre-Delivery Shares is less than 9.99% of the then issued and outstanding shares of Common Stock, the Company shall so notify the Holder, and Company, upon written request from Holder, issue to the Holder, upon one (1) Trading Day prior written notice, an additional number of Pre-Delivery Shares equal to the maximum number of Pre-Delivery Shares that may be then issued to the Holder without resulting in a breach of Section 3(d) above (the "Additional Pre-Delivery Share Amount"), and together with the Initial Pre-Delivery Shares to the Holder on the books and records of the Company on the Applicable Closing Date.

- (ii) <u>Application of Pre-Delivery Shares</u>; <u>Delivery Shares</u>. At any time the Company is required to deliver shares of Common Stock to the Holder hereunder (other than Pre-Delivery Shares or Released Pre-Delivery Shares)(each such share, a "**Delivery Share**"), whether upon conversion or otherwise, and the Holder (or its designee) holds one or more Pre-Delivery Shares, solely to the extent such Pre-Delivery Shares are free of any restricted legends and/or eligible to be resold by the Holder without restriction, the Holder shall apply (each, a "**Delivery Share Application**") such Pre-Delivery Share, on a share for share basis, as available, against each share of Common Stock required to then be delivered hereunder, at which point in time, such applied Pre-Delivery Share shall cease to be a Pre-Delivery Share hereunder and shall become a Delivery Share hereunder and, consequently, the Company shall be deemed to have satisfied its delivery obligations hereunder with respect to such Delivery Share pursuant to this Note.
- (n) Independent Investigation. At the request of the Holder either (x) at any time when an Event of Default has occurred and is continuing, (y) upon the occurrence of an event that with the passage of time or giving of notice would constitute an Event of Default or (z) at any time the Holder reasonably believes an Event of Default may have occurred or be continuing, the Company shall hire an independent, reputable investment bank selected by the Company and approved by the Holder to investigate as to whether any breach of this Note has occurred (the "Independent Investigator"). If the Independent Investigator determines that such breach of this Note has occurred, the Independent Investigator shall notify the Company of such breach and the Company shall deliver written notice to each holder of a Note of such breach. In connection with such investigation, the Independent Investigator may, during normal business hours, inspect all contracts, books, records, personnel, offices and other facilities and properties of the Company and its Subsidiaries and, to the extent available to the Company after the Company uses reasonable efforts to obtain them, the records of its legal advisors and accountants (including the accountants' work papers) and any books of account, records, reports and other papers not contractually required of the Company to be confidential or secret, or subject to attorney-client or other evidentiary privilege, and the Independent Investigator may make such copies and inspections thereof as the Independent Investigator may reasonably request. The Company shall furnish the Independent Investigator with such financial and operating data and other information with respect to the business and properties of the Company as the Independent Investigator with such financial and operating data and other information with respect to the business and properties of the Company with, and to make proposals and furnish advice with respect thereto to, the Company's officers, directors, key employees and independent p
- (o) <u>Maintenance of Insurance</u>. The Company shall maintain, and cause each of its Subsidiaries to maintain, insurance with responsible and reputable insurance companies or associations (including, without limitation, comprehensive general liability, hazard, rent and business interruption insurance) with respect to its properties (including all real properties leased or owned by it) and business, in such amounts and covering such risks as is required by any governmental authority having jurisdiction with respect thereto or as is carried generally in accordance with sound business practice by companies in similar businesses similarly situated (including, without limitation, and for the avoidance of doubt, at least \$10,000,000 in director's and officer's insurance).

# 13. [Intentionally Omitted]

14. <u>DISTRIBUTION OF ASSETS</u>. In addition to any adjustments pursuant to Sections 6(a) or 7, if the Company shall declare or make any dividend or other distributions of its assets (or rights to acquire its assets) to any or all holders of shares of Common Stock, by way of return of capital or otherwise (including without limitation, any distribution of cash, stock or other securities, property or options by way of a dividend, spin off, reclassification, corporate rearrangement, scheme of arrangement or other similar transaction) (the "Distributions"), then the Holder will be entitled to such Distributions as if the Holder had held the number of shares of Common Stock acquirable upon complete conversion of this Note (without taking into account any limitations or restrictions on the convertibility of this Note) immediately prior to the date on which a record is taken for such Distribution or, if no such record is taken, the date as of which the record holders of Common Stock are to be determined for such Distributions (provided, however, that to the extent that the Holder's right to participate in any such Distribution would result in the Holder and the other Attribution Parties exceeding the Maximum Percentage, then the Holder shall not be entitled to participate in such Distribution to the extent of the Maximum Percentage (and shall not be entitled to beneficial ownership) to the extent of any such excess) and the portion of such Distribution shall be held in abeyance for the benefit of the Holder until such time or times, if ever, as its right thereto would not result in the Holder and the other Attribution Parties exceeding the Maximum Percentage, at which time or times the Holder shall be granted such Distribution (and any Distributions declared or made on such initial Distribution or on any subsequent Distribution held similarly in abeyance) to the same extent as if there had been no such limitation).

- 15. <u>AMENDING THE TERMS OF THIS NOTE</u>. Except for Section 3(d) and this Section 15, which may not be amended, modified or waived by the parties hereto, the prior written consent of the Holder shall be required for any change, waiver or amendment to this Note.
- 16. <u>TRANSFER</u>. This Note and any shares of Common Stock issued upon conversion of this Note may be offered, sold, assigned or transferred by the Holder without the consent of the Company, subject only to the provisions of Section 2(g) of the Securities Purchase Agreement.

# 17. REISSUANCE OF THIS NOTE.

- (a) <u>Transfer</u>. If this Note is to be transferred, the Holder shall surrender this Note to the Company, whereupon the Company will forthwith issue and deliver upon the order of the Holder a new Note (in accordance with Section 17(d)), registered as the Holder may request, representing the outstanding Principal being transferred by the Holder and, if less than the entire outstanding Principal is being transferred, a new Note (in accordance with Section 17(d)) to the Holder representing the outstanding Principal not being transferred. The Holder and any assignee, by acceptance of this Note, acknowledge and agree that, by reason of the provisions of Section 3(c)(iii) following conversion or redemption of any portion of this Note, the outstanding Principal represented by this Note may be less than the Principal stated on the face of this Note.
- (b) <u>Lost, Stolen or Mutilated Note</u>. Upon receipt by the Company of evidence reasonably satisfactory to the Company of the loss, theft, destruction or mutilation of this Note (as to which a written certification and the indemnification contemplated below shall suffice as such evidence), and, in the case of loss, theft or destruction, of any indemnification undertaking by the Holder to the Company in customary and reasonable form and, in the case of mutilation, upon surrender and cancellation of this Note, the Company shall execute and deliver to the Holder a new Note (in accordance with Section 17(d)) representing the outstanding Principal.
- (c) <u>Note Exchangeable for Different Denominations</u>. This Note is exchangeable, upon the surrender hereof by the Holder at the principal office of the Company, for a new Note or Notes (in accordance with Section 17(d) and in principal amounts of at least \$1,000) representing in the aggregate the outstanding Principal of this Note, and each such new Note will represent such portion of such outstanding Principal as is designated by the Holder at the time of such surrender.
- (d) <u>Issuance of New Notes</u>. Whenever the Company is required to issue a new Note pursuant to the terms of this Note, such new Note (i) shall be of like tenor with this Note, (ii) shall represent, as indicated on the face of such new Note, the Principal remaining outstanding (or in the case of a new Note being issued pursuant to Section 17(a) or Section 17(c), the Principal designated by the Holder which, when added to the principal represented by the other new Notes issued in connection with such issuance, does not exceed the Principal remaining outstanding under this Note immediately prior to such issuance of new Notes), (iii) shall have an issuance date, as indicated on the face of such new Note, which is the same as the Issuance Date of this Note, (iv) shall have the same rights and conditions as this Note, and (v) shall represent accrued and unpaid Interest and Late Charges on the Principal and Interest of this Note, from the Issuance Date.

- 18. REMEDIES, CHARACTERIZATIONS, OTHER OBLIGATIONS, BREACHES AND INJUNCTIVE RELIEF. The remedies provided in this Note shall be cumulative and in addition to all other remedies available under this Note and any of the other Transaction Documents at law or in equity (including a decree of specific performance and/or other injunctive relief), and nothing herein shall limit the Holder's right to pursue actual and consequential damages for any failure by the Company to comply with the terms of this Note. No failure on the part of the Holder to exercise, and no delay in exercising, any right, power or remedy hereunder shall operate as a waiver thereof; nor shall any single or partial exercise by the Holder of any right, power or remedy preclude any other or further exercise thereof or the exercise of any other right, power or remedy. In addition, the exercise of any right or remedy of the Holder at law or equity or under this Note or any of the documents shall not be deemed to be an election of Holder's rights or remedies under such documents or at law or equity. The Company covenants to the Holder that there shall be no characterization concerning this instrument other than as expressly provided herein. Amounts set forth or provided for herein with respect to payments, conversion and the like (and the computation thereof) shall be the amounts to be received by the Holder and shall not, except as expressly provided herein, be subject to any other obligation of the Company (or the performance thereof). The Company acknowledges that a breach by it of its obligations hereunder will cause irreparable harm to the Holder and that the remedy at law for any such breach may be inadequate. The Company therefore agrees that, in the event of any such breach or threatened breach, the Holder shall be entitled, in addition to all other available remedies, to specific performance and/or temporary, preliminary and permanent injunctive or other equitable relief from any court of competent jurisdiction in any such case without the nec
- 19. <u>PAYMENT OF COLLECTION</u>, <u>ENFORCEMENT AND OTHER COSTS</u>. If (a) this Note is placed in the hands of an attorney for collection or enforcement or is collected or enforced through any legal proceeding or the Holder otherwise takes action to collect amounts due under this Note or to enforce the provisions of this Note or (b) there occurs any bankruptcy, reorganization, receivership of the Company or other proceedings affecting Company creditors' rights and involving a claim under this Note, then the Company shall pay the costs incurred by the Holder for such collection, enforcement or action or in connection with such bankruptcy, reorganization, receivership or other proceeding, including, without limitation, attorneys' fees and disbursements. The Company expressly acknowledges and agrees that no amounts due under this Note shall be affected, or limited, by the fact that the purchase price paid for this Note was less than the original Principal amount hereof.
- 20. <u>CONSTRUCTION</u>; <u>HEADINGS</u>. This Note shall be deemed to be jointly drafted by the Company and the initial Holder and shall not be construed against any such Person as the drafter hereof. The headings of this Note are for convenience of reference and shall not form part of, or affect the interpretation of, this Note. Unless the context clearly indicates otherwise, each pronoun herein shall be deemed to include the masculine, feminine, neuter, singular and plural forms thereof. The terms "including," "includes," "include" and words of like import shall be construed broadly as if followed by the words "without limitation." The terms "herein," "hereof" and words of like import refer to this entire Note instead of just the provision in which they are found. Unless expressly indicated otherwise, all section references are to sections of this Note. Terms used in this Note and not otherwise defined herein, but defined in the other Transaction Documents, shall have the meanings ascribed to such terms on the Initial Closing Date in such other Transaction Documents unless otherwise consented to in writing by the Holder.
- 21. <u>FAILURE OR INDULGENCE NOT WAIVER</u>. No failure or delay on the part of the Holder in the exercise of any power, right or privilege hereunder shall operate as a waiver thereof, nor shall any single or partial exercise of any such power, right or privilege preclude other or further exercise thereof or of any other right, power or privilege. No waiver shall be effective unless it is in writing and signed by an authorized representative of the waiving party. Notwithstanding the foregoing, nothing contained in this Section 21 shall permit any waiver of any provision of Section 3(d).

#### 22. DISPUTE RESOLUTION.

#### (a) Submission to Dispute Resolution.

- (i) In the case of a dispute relating to a Closing Bid Price, a Closing Sale Price, a Conversion Price, a Black-Scholes Consideration Value, a VWAP or a fair market value or the arithmetic calculation of a Conversion Rate, or the applicable Redemption Price (as the case may be) (including, without limitation, a dispute relating to the determination of any of the foregoing), the Company or the Holder (as the case may be) shall submit the dispute to the other party via electronic mail (A) if by the Company, within two (2) Business Days after the occurrence of the circumstances giving rise to such dispute or (B) if by the Holder at any time after the Holder learned of the circumstances giving rise to such dispute. If the Holder and the Company are unable to promptly resolve such dispute relating to such Closing Bid Price, such Closing Sale Price, such Conversion Price, such Black-Scholes Consideration Value, such VWAP or such fair market value, or the arithmetic calculation of such Conversion Rate or such applicable Redemption Price (as the case may be), at any time after the second (2<sup>nd</sup>) Business Day following such initial notice by the Company or the Holder (as the case may be) of such dispute to the Company or the Holder (as the case may be), then the Holder may, at its sole option, select an independent, reputable investment bank to resolve such dispute.
- (ii) The Holder and the Company shall each deliver to such investment bank (A) a copy of the initial dispute submission so delivered in accordance with the first sentence of this Section 22 and (B) written documentation supporting its position with respect to such dispute, in each case, no later than 5:00 p.m. (New York time) by the fifth (5<sup>th</sup>) Business Day immediately following the date on which the Holder selected such investment bank (the "Dispute Submission Deadline") (the documents referred to in the immediately preceding clauses (A) and (B) are collectively referred to herein as the "Required Dispute Documentation") (it being understood and agreed that if either the Holder or the Company fails to so deliver all of the Required Dispute Documentation by the Dispute Submission Deadline, then the party who fails to so submit all of the Required Dispute Documentation shall no longer be entitled to (and hereby waives its right to) deliver or submit any written documentation or other support to such investment bank with respect to such dispute and such investment bank shall resolve such dispute based solely on the Required Dispute Documentation that was delivered to such investment bank prior to the Dispute Submission Deadline). Unless otherwise agreed to in writing by both the Company and the Holder or otherwise requested by such investment bank, neither the Company nor the Holder shall be entitled to deliver or submit any written documentation or other support to such investment bank in connection with such dispute (other than the Required Dispute Documentation).
- (iii) The Company and the Holder shall cause such investment bank to determine the resolution of such dispute and notify the Company and the Holder of such resolution no later than ten (10) Business Days immediately following the Dispute Submission Deadline. The fees and expenses of such investment bank shall be borne solely by the Company, and such investment bank's resolution of such dispute shall be final and binding upon all parties absent manifest error.

(b) Miscellaneous. The Company expressly acknowledges and agrees that (i) this Section 22 constitutes an agreement to arbitrate between the Company and the Holder (and constitutes an arbitration agreement) under § 7501, et seq. of the New York Civil Practice Law and Rules ("CPLR") and that the Holder is authorized to apply for an order to compel arbitration pursuant to CPLR § 7503(a) in order to compel compliance with this Section 22, (ii) a dispute relating to a Conversion Price includes, without limitation, disputes as to (A) whether an issuance or sale or deemed issuance or sale of Common Stock occurred under Section 7(a), (B) the consideration per share at which an issuance or deemed issuance of Common Stock occurred, (C) whether any issuance or sale or deemed issuance or sale of Common Stock was an issuance or sale or deemed issuance or sale of Excluded Securities, (D) whether an agreement, instrument, security or the like constitutes and Option or Convertible Security and (E) whether a Dilutive Issuance occurred, (iii) the terms of this Note and each other applicable Transaction Document shall serve as the basis for the selected investment bank's resolution of the applicable dispute, such investment bank shall be entitled (and is hereby expressly authorized) to make all findings, determinations and the like that such investment bank determines are required to be made by such investment bank in connection with its resolution of such dispute and in resolving such dispute such investment bank shall apply such findings, determinations and the like to the terms of this Note and any other applicable Transaction Documents, (iv) the Holder (and only the Holder), in its sole discretion, shall have the right to submit any dispute described in this Section 22 to any state or federal court sitting in The City of New York, Borough of Manhattan in lieu of utilizing the procedures set forth in this Section 22 and (v) nothing in this Section 22 shall limit the Holder from obtaining any injunctive relief or other equitabl

# 23. NOTICES; CURRENCY; PAYMENTS.

- (a) Notices. Whenever notice is required to be given under this Note, unless otherwise provided herein, such notice shall be given in accordance with Section 9(f) of the Securities Purchase Agreement. The Company shall provide the Holder with prompt written notice of all actions taken pursuant to this Note, including in reasonable detail a description of such action and the reason therefore. Without limiting the generality of the foregoing, the Company will give written notice to the Holder (i) immediately upon any adjustment of the Conversion Price, setting forth in reasonable detail, and certifying, the calculation of such adjustment and (ii) at least fifteen (15) days prior to the date on which the Company closes its books or takes a record (A) with respect to any dividend or distribution upon the Common Stock, (B) with respect to any grant, issuances, or sales of any Options, Convertible Securities or rights to purchase stock, warrants, securities or other property to holders of shares of Common Stock or (C) for determining rights to vote with respect to any Fundamental Transaction, dissolution or liquidation, provided in each case that such information shall be made known to the public prior to or in conjunction with such notice being provided to the Holder.
- (b) <u>Currency.</u> All dollar amounts referred to in this Note are in United States Dollars ("U.S. Dollars"), and all amounts owing under this Note shall be paid in U.S. Dollars. All amounts denominated in other currencies (if any) shall be converted into the U.S. Dollar equivalent amount in accordance with the Exchange Rate on the date of calculation. "Exchange Rate" means, in relation to any amount of currency to be converted into U.S. Dollars pursuant to this Note, the U.S. Dollar exchange rate as published in the Wall Street Journal on the relevant date of calculation (it being understood and agreed that where an amount is calculated with reference to, or over, a period of time, the date of calculation shall be the final date of such period of time).
- (c) <u>Payments</u>. Whenever any payment of cash is to be made by the Company to any Person pursuant to this Note, unless otherwise expressly set forth herein, such payment shall be made in lawful money of the United States of America by a certified check drawn on the account of the Company and sent via overnight courier service to such Person at such address as previously provided to the Company in writing (which address, in the case of each of the Buyers, shall initially be as set forth on the Schedule of Buyers attached to the Securities Purchase Agreement), provided that the Holder may elect to receive a payment of cash via wire transfer of immediately available funds by providing the Company with prior written notice setting out such request and the Holder's wire transfer instructions. Whenever any amount expressed to be due by the terms of this Note is due on any day which is not a Business Day, the same shall instead be due on the next succeeding day which is a Business Day. Any amount of Principal or other amounts due under the Transaction Documents which is not paid when due shall result in a late charge being incurred and payable by the Company in an amount equal to interest on such amount at the rate of eighteen percent (18%) per annum from the date such amount was due until the same is paid in full ("Late Charge").

- 24. <u>CANCELLATION</u>. After all Principal, accrued Interest, Late Charges and other amounts at any time owed on this Note have been paid in full, this Note shall automatically be deemed canceled, shall be surrendered to the Company for cancellation and shall not be reissued.
- 25. <u>WAIVER OF NOTICE</u>. To the extent permitted by law, the Company hereby irrevocably waives demand, notice, presentment, protest and all other demands and notices in connection with the delivery, acceptance, performance, default or enforcement of this Note and the Securities Purchase Agreement.
- 26. GOVERNING LAW. This Note shall be construed and enforced in accordance with, and all questions concerning the construction, validity, interpretation and performance of this Note shall be governed by, the internal laws of the State of New York, without giving effect to any provision or rule (whether of the State of New York or any other jurisdictions) that would cause the application of the laws of any jurisdictions other than the State of New York. Except as otherwise required by Section 22 above, the Company hereby irrevocably submits to the exclusive jurisdiction of the state and federal courts sitting in New York, Borough of Manhattan, for the adjudication of any dispute hereunder or in connection herewith or with any transaction contemplated hereby or discussed herein, and hereby irrevocably waives, and agrees not to assert in any suit, action or proceeding, any claim that it is not personally subject to the jurisdiction of any such court, that such suit, action or proceeding is brought in an inconvenient forum or that the venue of such suit, action or proceeding is improper. Nothing contained herein shall be deemed to limit in any way any right to serve process in any manner permitted by law. Nothing contained herein shall be deemed to limit in any way any right to serve process in any manner permitted by law. Nothing contained herein (i) shall be deemed or operate to preclude the Holder from bringing suit or taking other legal action against the Company in any other jurisdiction to collect on the Company's obligations to the Holder, to realize on any collateral or any other security for such obligations, or to enforce a judgment or other court ruling in favor of the Holder or (ii) shall limit, or shall be deemed or construed to limit, any provision of Section 22. THE COMPANY HEREBY IRREVOCABLY WAIVES ANY RIGHT IT MAY HAVE TO, AND AGREES NOT TO REQUEST, A JURY TRIAL FOR THE ADJUDICATION OF ANY DISPUTE HEREUNDER OR IN CONNECTION WITH OR ARISING OUT OF THIS NOTE OR ANY TRANSACTION CONTEMPLATED HEREBY.

#### 27. JUDGMENT CURRENCY.

- (a) If for the purpose of obtaining or enforcing judgment against the Company in any court in any jurisdiction it becomes necessary to convert into any other currency (such other currency being hereinafter in this Section 27 referred to as the "Judgment Currency") an amount due in U.S. dollars under this Note, the conversion shall be made at the Exchange Rate prevailing on the Trading Day immediately preceding:
  - (i) the date actual payment of the amount due, in the case of any proceeding in the courts of New York or in the courts of any other jurisdiction that will give effect to such conversion being made on such date: or
  - (ii) the date on which the foreign court determines, in the case of any proceeding in the courts of any other jurisdiction (the date as of which such conversion is made pursuant to this Section 27(a)(ii) being hereinafter referred to as the "Judgment Conversion Date").
- (b) If in the case of any proceeding in the court of any jurisdiction referred to in Section 27(a)(ii) above, there is a change in the Exchange Rate prevailing between the Judgment Conversion Date and the date of actual payment of the amount due, the applicable party shall pay such adjusted amount as may be necessary to ensure that the amount paid in the Judgment Currency, when converted at the Exchange Rate prevailing on the date of payment, will produce the amount of US dollars which could have been purchased with the amount of Judgment Currency stipulated in the judgment or judicial order at the Exchange Rate prevailing on the Judgment Conversion Date.
- (c) Any amount due from the Company under this provision shall be due as a separate debt and shall not be affected by judgment being obtained for any other amounts due under or in respect of this Note.

- 28. <u>SEVERABILITY</u>. If any provision of this Note is prohibited by law or otherwise determined to be invalid or unenforceable by a court of competent jurisdiction, the provision that would otherwise be prohibited, invalid or unenforceable shall be deemed amended to apply to the broadest extent that it would be valid and enforceable, and the invalidity or unenforceability of such provision shall not affect the validity of the remaining provisions of this Note so long as this Note as so modified continues to express, without material change, the original intentions of the parties as to the subject matter hereof and the prohibited nature, invalidity or unenforceability of the provision(s) in question does not substantially impair the respective expectations or reciprocal obligations of the parties or the practical realization of the benefits that would otherwise be conferred upon the parties. The parties will endeavor in good faith negotiations to replace the prohibited, invalid or unenforceable provision(s) with a valid provision(s), the effect of which comes as close as possible to that of the prohibited, invalid or unenforceable provision(s).
- 29. <u>MAXIMUM PAYMENTS</u>. Without limiting Section 9(d) of the Securities Purchase Agreement, nothing contained herein shall be deemed to establish or require the payment of a rate of interest or other charges in excess of the maximum permitted by applicable law. In the event that the rate of interest required to be paid or other charges hereunder exceed the maximum permitted by such law, any payments in excess of such maximum shall be credited against amounts owed by the Company to the Holder and thus refunded to the Company.
  - 30. CERTAIN DEFINITIONS. For purposes of this Note, the following terms shall have the following meanings:
    - (a) "1933 Act" means the Securities Act of 1933, as amended, and the rules and regulations thereunder.
    - (b) "1934 Act" means the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended, and the rules and regulations thereunder.
  - (c) "Adjustment Right" means any right granted with respect to any securities issued in connection with, or with respect to, any issuance or sale (or deemed issuance or sale in accordance with Section 7) of shares of Common Stock (other than rights of the type described in Section 6(a) hereof) that could result in a decrease in the net consideration received by the Company in connection with, or with respect to, such securities (including, without limitation, any cash settlement rights, cash adjustment or other similar rights).
  - (d) "Affiliate" means, with respect to any Person, any other Person that directly or indirectly controls, is controlled by, or is under common control with, such Person, it being understood for purposes of this definition that "control" of a Person means the power directly or indirectly either to vote 10% or more of the stock having ordinary voting power for the election of directors of such Person or direct or cause the direction of the management and policies of such Person whether by contract or otherwise.
    - (e) "Applicable Closing Date" means the applicable Closing Date (as defined in the Securities Purchase Agreement) in which this Note was initially issued.
  - (f) "Approved Stock Plan" means any employee benefit plan which has been approved by the board of directors of the Company prior to or subsequent to the Subscription Date pursuant to which shares of Common Stock and standard options to purchase Common Stock may be issued to any employee, officer or director for services provided to the Company in their capacity as such.
  - (g) "Attribution Parties" means, collectively, the following Persons and entities: (i) any investment vehicle, including, any funds, feeder funds or managed accounts, currently, or from time to time after the Issuance Date, directly or indirectly managed or advised by the Holder's investment manager or any of its Affiliates or principals, (ii) any direct or indirect Affiliates of the Holder or any of the foregoing, (iii) any Person acting or who could be deemed to be acting as a Group together with the Holder or any of the foregoing and (iv) any other Persons whose beneficial ownership of the Company's Common Stock would or could be aggregated with the Holder's and the other Attribution Parties for purposes of Section 13(d) of the 1934 Act. For clarity, the purpose of the foregoing is to subject collectively the Holder and all other Attribution Parties to the Maximum Percentage.

- (h) "Available Cash" means, with respect to any date of determination, an amount equal to the aggregate amount of the unrestricted Cash of the Company and its Subsidiaries as of such date of determination held in bank accounts of financial banking institutions in the United States of America.
  - (i) "Bitcoin" means one unit of the digital currency traded under the ticker symbol "BTC".
- (j) "Black Scholes Consideration Value" means the value of the applicable Option, Convertible Security or Adjustment Right (as the case may be) as of the date of issuance thereof calculated using the Black Scholes Option Pricing Model obtained from the "OV" function on Bloomberg utilizing (i) an underlying price per share equal to the Closing Sale Price of the Common Stock on the Trading Day immediately preceding the public announcement of the execution of definitive documents with respect to the issuance of such Option, Convertible Security or Adjustment Right (as the case may be), (ii) a risk-free interest rate corresponding to the U.S. Treasury rate for a period equal to the remaining term of such Option, Convertible Security or Adjustment Right (as the case may be) as of the date of issuance of such Option, Convertible Security or Adjustment Right (as the case may be), (iii) a zero cost of borrow and (iv) an expected volatility equal to the greater of 100% and the 100 day volatility obtained from the "HVT" function on Bloomberg (determined utilizing a 365 day annualization factor) as of the Trading Day immediately following the date of issuance of such Option, Convertible Security or Adjustment Right (as the case may be).
  - (k) "Bloomberg" means Bloomberg, L.P.
- (1) "Business Day" means any day other than Saturday, Sunday or other day on which commercial banks in The City of New York are authorized or required by law to remain closed; provided, however, for clarification, commercial banks shall not be deemed to be authorized or required by law to remain closed due to "stay at home", "shelter-in-place", "non-essential employee" or any other similar orders or restrictions or the closure of any physical branch locations at the direction of any governmental authority so long as the electronic funds transfer systems (including for wire transfers) of commercial banks in The City of New York generally are open for use by customers on such day.
- (m) "Cash" of the Company and its Subsidiaries on any date shall be determined from such Persons' books maintained in accordance with GAAP, and means, without duplication, the cash, cash equivalents and Eligible Marketable Securities accrued by the Company and its wholly owned Subsidiaries on a consolidated basis on such date.
- (n) "Change of Control" means any Fundamental Transaction other than (i) any merger of the Company or any of its, direct or indirect, wholly-owned Subsidiaries with or into any of the foregoing Persons, (ii) any reorganization, recapitalization or reclassification of the shares of Common Stock in which holders of the Company's voting power immediately prior to such reorganization, recapitalization or reclassification continue after such reorganization, recapitalization or reclassification to hold publicly traded securities and, directly or indirectly, are, in all material respects, the holders of the voting power of the surviving entity (or entities with the authority or voting power to elect the members of the board of directors (or their equivalent if other than a corporation) of such entity or entities) after such reorganization, recapitalization or reclassification, or (iii) pursuant to a migratory merger effected solely for the purpose of changing the jurisdiction of incorporation of the Company or any of its Subsidiaries. For the avoidance of doubt, the following transactions shall not constitute a Change of Control, (i) the Bio Sub Spinout and (ii) the conversion of Company preferred stock to common stock in accordance with Merger Agreement (as defined in the Securities Purchase Agreement).
  - (o) "Change of Control Redemption Premium" means 115%.

- (p) "Closing Bid Price" and "Closing Sale Price" means, for any security as of any date, the last closing bid price and last closing trade price, respectively, for such security on the Principal Market, as reported by Bloomberg, or, if the Principal Market begins to operate on an extended hours basis and does not designate the closing bid price or the closing trade price (as the case may be) then the last bid price or last trade price, respectively, of such security prior to 4:00:00 p.m., New York time, as reported by Bloomberg, or, if the Principal Market is not the principal securities exchange or trading market for such security, the last closing bid price or last trade price, respectively, of such security on the principal securities exchange or trading market where such security is listed or traded as reported by Bloomberg, or if the foregoing do not apply, the last closing bid price or last trade price, respectively, of such security is the over-the-counter market on the electronic bulletin board for such security as reported by Bloomberg, the average of the bid prices, or the ask prices, respectively, of any market makers for such security as reported in The Pink Open Market (or a similar organization or agency succeeding to its functions of reporting prices). If the Closing Bid Price or the Closing Sale Price cannot be calculated for a security on a particular date on any of the foregoing bases, the Closing Bid Price or the Closing Sale Price (as the case may be) of such security on such date shall be the fair market value as mutually determined by the Company and the Holder. If the Company and the Holder are unable to agree upon the fair market value of such security, then such dispute shall be resolved in accordance with the procedures in Section 22. All such determinations shall be appropriately adjusted for any stock splits, stock dividends, stock combinations, recapitalizations or other similar transactions during such period.
- (q) "Common Stock" means (i) the Company's shares of common stock, \$0.01 par value per share, and (ii) any capital stock into which such common stock shall have been changed or any share capital resulting from a reclassification of such common stock.
- (r) "Convertible Securities" means any stock or other security (other than Options) that is at any time and under any circumstances, directly or indirectly, convertible into, exercisable or exchangeable for, or which otherwise entitles the holder thereof to acquire, any shares of Common Stock.
- (s) "Current Subsidiary" means any Person in which the Company on the Subscription Date, directly or indirectly, (i) owns any of the outstanding capital stock or holds any equity or similar interest of such Person or (ii) controls or operates all or any part of the business, operations or administration of such Person, and all of the foregoing, collectively, "Current Subsidiaries".
- (t) "Eligible Market" means The New York Stock Exchange, the NYSE American, the Nasdaq Capital Market, the Nasdaq Global Select Market, the Nasdaq Global Market or the Principal Market.
- (u) "Eligible Marketable Securities" as of any date means marketable securities which would be reflected on a consolidated balance sheet of the Company and its Subsidiaries prepared as of such date in accordance with GAAP, and which are permitted under the Company's investment policies as in effect on the Issuance Date or approved thereafter by the Company's Board of Directors.
- (v) "Excluded Securities" means (i) shares of Common Stock or standard options to purchase Common Stock issued to directors, officers or employees of the Company for services rendered to the Company in their capacity as such pursuant to an Approved Stock Plan (as defined above), provided that (A) all such issuances (taking into account the shares of Common Stock issuable upon exercise of such options) after the Subscription Date pursuant to this clause (i) do not, in the aggregate, exceed more than 5% of the Common Stock issued and outstanding immediately prior to the Subscription Date and (B) the exercise price of any such options is not lowered, none of such options are amended to increase the number of shares issuable thereunder and none of the terms or conditions of any such options are otherwise materially changed in any manner that adversely affects any of the Buyers; (ii) shares of Common Stock issued upon the conversion or exercise of Convertible Securities or Options (other than standard options to purchase Common Stock issued pursuant to an Approved Stock Plan that are covered by clause (i) above) is not lowered, none of such Convertible Securities or Options (other than standard options to purchase Common Stock issued pursuant to an Approved Stock Plan that are covered by clause (i) above) is not lowered, none of such Convertible Securities or Options (other than standard options to purchase Common Stock issued pursuant to an Approved Stock Plan that are covered by clause (i) above) are amended to increase the number of shares issuable thereunder and none of the terms or conditions of any such Convertible Securities or Options (other than standard options to purchase Common Stock issued pursuant to an Approved Stock Plan that are covered by clause (i) above) are otherwise materially changed in any manner that adversely affects any of the Buyers; and (iii) the shares of Common Stock issuable upon conversion of the Notes or otherwise pursuant to the terms of the Notes; provided, that the terms of the S

- (w) "Fundamental Transaction" means (A) that the Company shall, directly or indirectly, including through subsidiaries, Affiliates or otherwise, in one or more related transactions, (i) consolidate or merge with or into (whether or not the Company is the surviving corporation) another Subject Entity, or (ii) sell, assign, transfer, convey or otherwise dispose of all or substantially all of the properties or assets of the Company or any of its "significant subsidiaries" (as defined in Rule 1-02 of Regulation S-X) to one or more Subject Entities, or (iii) make, or allow one or more Subject Entities to make, or allow the Company to be subject to or have its Common Stock be subject to or party to one or more Subject Entities making, a purchase, tender or exchange offer that is accepted by the holders of at least either (x) 50% of the outstanding shares of Common Stock, (y) 50% of the outstanding shares of Common Stock calculated as if any shares of Common Stock held by all Subject Entities making or party to, or Affiliated with any Subject Entities making or party to, such purchase, tender or exchange offer were not outstanding; or (z) such number of shares of Common Stock such that all Subject Entities making or party to, or Affiliated with any Subject Entity making or party to, such purchase, tender or exchange offer, become collectively the beneficial owners (as defined in Rule 13d-3 under the 1934 Act) of at least 50% of the outstanding shares of Common Stock, or (iv) consummate a stock or share purchase agreement or other business combination (including, without limitation, a reorganization, recapitalization, spin-off or scheme of arrangement) with one or more Subject Entities whereby all such Subject Entities, individually or in the aggregate, acquire in any transaction or series or related transactions, either (x) at least 50% of the outstanding shares of Common Stock, (y) at least 50% of the outstanding shares of Common Stock calculated as if any shares of Common Stock held by all the Subject Entities making or party to, or Affiliated with any Subject Entity making or party to, such stock purchase agreement or other business combination were not outstanding; or (z) such number of shares of Common Stock such that the Subject Entities become collectively the beneficial owners (as defined in Rule 13d-3 under the 1934 Act) of at least 50% of the outstanding shares of Common Stock, or (v) reorganize, recapitalize or reclassify its Common Stock, (B) that the Company shall, directly or indirectly, including through subsidiaries, Affiliates or otherwise, in one or more related transactions, allow any Subject Entity individually or the Subject Entities in the aggregate to be or become the "beneficial owner" (as defined in Rule 13d-3 under the 1934 Act), directly or indirectly, whether through acquisition, purchase, assignment, conveyance, tender, tender offer, exchange, reduction in outstanding shares of Common Stock, merger, consolidation, business combination, reorganization, recapitalization, spin-off, scheme of arrangement, reorganization, recapitalization or reclassification or otherwise in any manner whatsoever, of either (x) at least 50% of the aggregate ordinary voting power represented by issued and outstanding Common Stock, (y) at least 50% of the aggregate ordinary voting power represented by issued and outstanding Common Stock not held by all such Subject Entities as of the date of this Note calculated as if any shares of Common Stock held by all such Subject Entities were not outstanding, or (z) a percentage of the aggregate ordinary voting power represented by issued and outstanding shares of Common Stock or other equity securities of the Company sufficient to allow such Subject Entities to effect a statutory short form merger or other transaction requiring other stockholders of the Company to surrender their shares of Common Stock without approval of the stockholders of the Company or (C) directly or indirectly, including through subsidiaries, Affiliates or otherwise, in one or more related transactions, the issuance of or the entering into any other instrument or transaction structured in a manner to circumvent, or that circumvents, the intent of this definition in which case this definition shall be construed and implemented in a manner otherwise than in strict conformity with the terms of this definition to the extent necessary to correct this definition or any portion of this definition which may be defective or inconsistent with the intended treatment of such instrument or transaction.
  - (x) "GAAP" means United States generally accepted accounting principles, consistently applied.
  - (y) "Group" means a "group" as that term is used in Section 13(d) of the 1934 Act and as defined in Rule 13d-5 thereunder.
- (z) "Holder Pro Rata Amount" means a fraction (i) the numerator of which is the original Principal amount of this Note on the Closing Date and (ii) the denominator of which is the aggregate original principal amount of all Notes issued to the initial purchasers pursuant to the Securities Purchase Agreement on the Closing Date.
  - (aa) "Indebtedness" shall have the meaning ascribed to such term in the Securities Purchase Agreement.

- (bb) "Initial Closing Date" shall have the meaning set forth in the Securities Purchase Agreement, which date is the date the Company initially issued Notes pursuant to the terms of the Securities Purchase Agreement.
- (cc) "Investment" means any beneficial ownership (including stock, partnership or limited liability company interests) of or in any Person, or any loan, advance or capital contribution to any Person or the acquisition of all, or substantially all, of the assets of another Person or the purchase of any assets of another Person for greater than the fair market value of such assets.
- (dd) "Maturity Date" shall mean [ ]¹; provided, however, the Maturity Date may be extended at the option of the Holder (i) in the event that, and for so long as, an Event of Default shall have occurred and be continuing or any event shall have occurred and be continuing that with the passage of time and the failure to cure would result in an Event of Default or (ii) through the date that is twenty (20) Business Days after the consummation of a Fundamental Transaction in the event that a Fundamental Transaction is publicly announced or a Change of Control Notice is delivered prior to the Maturity Date, provided further that if a Holder elects to convert some or all of this Note pursuant to Section 3 hereof, and the Conversion Amount would be limited pursuant to Section 3(d) hereunder, the Maturity Date shall automatically be extended until such time as such provision shall not limit the conversion of this Note.
- (ee) "New Subsidiary" means, as of any date of determination, any Person in which the Company after the Subscription Date, directly or indirectly, (i) owns or acquires any of the outstanding capital stock or holds any equity or similar interest of such Person or (ii) controls or operates all or any part of the business, operations or administration of such Person, and all of the foregoing, collectively, "New Subsidiaries".
  - (ff) "Options" means any rights, warrants or options to subscribe for or purchase shares of Common Stock or Convertible Securities.
- (gg) "Parent Entity" of a Person means an entity that, directly or indirectly, controls the applicable Person and whose common stock or equivalent equity security is quoted or listed on an Eligible Market, or, if there is more than one such Person or Parent Entity, the Person or Parent Entity with the largest public market capitalization as of the date of consummation of the Fundamental Transaction.
- (hh) "Permitted Indebtedness" means (i) Indebtedness evidenced by this Note and the Other Notes, (ii) Indebtedness set forth on Schedule 3(s) to the Securities Purchase Agreement, as in effect as of the Subscription Date, (iii) Indebtedness secured by Permitted Liens or unsecured but as described in clauses (iv) and (v) of the definition of Permitted Liens and (iv) Permitted Subordinated Indebtedness.
- (ii) "Permitted Subordinated Indebtedness" means Indebtedness incurred by the Company that is made expressly subordinate in right of payment to the Indebtedness evidenced by this Note and all Other Notes, as reflected in a written agreement acceptable to the Holder, and which Indebtedness does not provide at any time for (1) the payment, prepayment, repayment, repurchase or defeasance, directly or indirectly, of any principal or premium, if any, thereon until at least ninety-one (91) days after the latest Maturity Date of such Notes.

Insert twelve month anniversary of the applicable Issuance Date.

- (jj) "Permitted Liens" means (i) any Lien for taxes not yet due or delinquent or being contested in good faith by appropriate proceedings for which adequate reserves have been established in accordance with GAAP, (ii) any statutory Lien arising in the ordinary course of business by operation of law with respect to a liability that is not yet due or delinquent, (iii) any Lien created by operation of law, such as materialmen's liens, mechanics' liens and other similar liens, arising in the ordinary course of business with respect to a liability that is not yet due or delinquent or that are being contested in good faith by appropriate proceedings, (iv) Liens (A) upon or in any equipment acquired or held by the Company or any of its Subsidiaries to secure the purchase price of such equipment or Indebtedness incurred solely for the purpose of financing the acquisition or lease of such equipment, or (B) existing on such equipment at the time of its acquisition, provided that the Lien is confined solely to the property so acquired and improvements thereon, and the proceeds of such equipment, in either case, with respect to Indebtedness in an aggregate amount not to exceed \$250,000, (v) Liens incurred in connection with the extension, renewal or refinancing of the Indebtedness secured by Liens of the type described in clause (iv) above, provided that any extension, renewal or replacement Lien shall be limited to the property encumbered by the existing Lien and the principal amount of the Indebtedness being extended, renewed or refinanced does not increase, (vi) Liens in favor of customs and revenue authorities arising as a matter of law to secure payments of custom duties in connection with the importation of goods, and (vii) Liens arising from judgments, decrees or attachments in circumstances not constituting an Event of Default under Section 4(a)(xii).
- (kk) "Person" means an individual, a limited liability company, a partnership, a joint venture, a corporation, a trust, an unincorporated organization, any other entity or a government or any department or agency thereof.
  - (II) "Principal Market" means the NYSE American LLC.
- (mm) "Redemption Notices" means, collectively, the Event of Default Redemption Notices, and the Change of Control Redemption Notices, and each of the foregoing, individually, a "Redemption Notice."
  - (nn) "Redemption Premium" means 120%.
- (oo) "Redemption Prices" means, collectively, Event of Default Redemption Prices, the Change of Control Redemption Prices, , and each of the foregoing, individually, a "Redemption Price."
- (pp) "Registration Rights Agreement" means that certain registration rights agreement, dated as of the Closing Date, by and among the Company and the initial holders of the Notes relating to, among other things, the registration of the resale of the Common Stock issuable upon conversion of the Notes or otherwise pursuant to the terms of the Notes, as may be amended from time to time.
  - (qq) "SEC" means the United States Securities and Exchange Commission or the successor thereto.
- (rr) "Securities Purchase Agreement" means that certain securities purchase agreement, dated as of the Subscription Date, by and among the Company and the initial holders of the Notes pursuant to which the Company issued the Notes, as may be amended from time to time.
  - (ss) "Subject Entity" means any Person, Persons or Group or any Affiliate or associate of any such Person, Persons or Group.
  - (tt) "Subscription Date" means December 1, 2025.
- (uu) "Subsidiaries" means, as of any date of determination, collectively, all Current Subsidiaries and all New Subsidiaries, and each of the foregoing, individually, a "Subsidiary."
- (vv) "Successor Entity" means the Person (or, if so elected by the Holder, the Parent Entity) formed by, resulting from or surviving any Fundamental Transaction or the Person (or, if so elected by the Holder, the Parent Entity) with which such Fundamental Transaction shall have been entered into.

- (ww) "Trading Day" means, as applicable, (x) with respect to all price or trading volume determinations relating to the Common Stock, any day on which the Common Stock is traded on the Principal Market, or, if the Principal Market is not the principal trading market for the Common Stock, then on the principal securities exchange or securities market on which the Common Stock is then traded, provided that "Trading Day" shall not include any day on which the Common Stock is scheduled to trade on such exchange or market for less than 4.5 hours or any day that the Common Stock is suspended from trading during the final hour of trading on such exchange or market (or if such exchange or market does not designate in advance the closing time of trading on such exchange or market, then during the hour ending at 4:00:00 p.m., New York time) unless such day is otherwise designated as a Trading Day in writing by the Holder or (y) with respect to all determinations other than price determinations relating to the Common Stock, any day on which The New York Stock Exchange (or any successor thereto) is open for trading of securities.
- (xx) "VWAP" means, for any security as of any date, the dollar volume-weighted average price for such security on the Principal Market (or, if the Principal Market is not the principal trading market for such security, then on the principal securities exchange or securities market on which such security is then traded), during the period beginning at 9:30 a.m., New York time, and ending at 4:00 p.m., New York time, as reported by Bloomberg through its "VAP" function (set to 09:30 start time and 16:00 end time) or, if the foregoing does not apply, the dollar volume-weighted average price of such security in the over-the-counter market on the electronic bulletin board for such security during the period beginning at 9:30 a.m., New York time, and ending at 4:00 p.m., New York time, as reported by Bloomberg, or, if no dollar volume-weighted average price is reported for such security by Bloomberg for such hours, the average of the highest closing bid price and the lowest closing ask price of any of the market makers for such security as reported in The Pink Open Market (or a similar organization or agency succeeding to its functions of reporting prices). If the VWAP cannot be calculated for such security on such date on any of the foregoing bases, the VWAP of such security on such date shall be the fair market value as mutually determined by the Company and the Holder. If the Company and the Holder are unable to agree upon the fair market value of such security, then such dispute shall be resolved in accordance with the procedures in Section 22. All such determinations shall be appropriately adjusted for any stock dividend, stock split, stock combination, recapitalization or other similar transaction during such period.
- 31. <u>DISCLOSURE</u>. Upon delivery by the Company to the Holder (or receipt by the Company from the Holder) of any notice in accordance with the terms of this Note, unless the Company has in good faith determined that the matters relating to such notice do not constitute material, non-public information relating to the Company or any of its Subsidiaries, the Company shall on or prior to 9:00 am, New York city time on the Business Day immediately following such notice delivery date, publicly disclose such material, non-public information on a Current Report on Form 8-K or otherwise. In the event that the Company believes that a notice contains material, non-public information relating to the Company or any of its Subsidiaries, the Company so shall indicate to the Holder explicitly in writing in such notice (or immediately upon receipt of notice from the Holder, as applicable), and in the absence of any such written indication in such notice (or notification from the Company immediately upon receipt of notice from the Holder, the Holder shall be entitled to presume that information contained in the notice does not constitute material, non-public information relating to the Company or any of its Subsidiaries. Nothing contained in this Section 31 shall limit any obligations of the Company, or any rights of the Holder, under Section [4(i)] of the Securities Purchase Agreement.
- 32. <u>ABSENCE OF TRADING AND DISCLOSURE RESTRICTIONS</u>. The Company acknowledges and agrees that the Holder is not a fiduciary or agent of the Company and that the Holder shall have no obligation to (a) maintain the confidentiality of any information provided by the Company or (b) refrain from trading any securities while in possession of such information in the absence of a written non-disclosure agreement signed by an officer of the Holder that explicitly provides for such confidentiality and trading restrictions. In the absence of such an executed, written non-disclosure agreement, the Company acknowledges that the Holder may freely trade in any securities issued by the Company, may possess and use any information provided by the Company in connection with such trading activity, and may disclose any such information to any third party.

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IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the Company has caused this Note to be duly executed as of the Issuance Date set out above.

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# **EXHIBIT I**

# APIMEDS PHARMACEUTICALS US, INC. CONVERSION NOTICE

Reference is made to the Senior Convertible Note (the "Note") issued to the undersigned by Apimeds Pharmaceuticals US, Inc., a Delaware corporation (the "Company"). In accordance with and pursuant to the Note, the undersigned hereby elects to convert the Conversion Amount (as defined in the Note) of the Note indicated below into shares of Common Stock, \$0.01 par value per share (the "Common Stock"), of the Company, as of the date specified below. Capitalized terms not defined herein shall have the meaning as set forth in the Note.

Date of Conversion:	
Aggregate Principal to be converted:	
Aggregate accrued and unpaid Interest and accrued and unpaid Late Charges with respect to such portion of the Aggregate Principal and such Aggregate Interest to be converted:	
AGGREGATE CONVERSION AMOUNT TO BE CONVERTED:	
Please confirm the following information:	
Conversion Price:	
Number of shares of Common Stock to be issued:	
Less: Number of Pre-Delivery Shares held by Holder to be applied against shares of Common Stock otherwise required to be issued:	
NUMBER OF SHARES OF COMMON STOCK TO BE ISSUED (AFTER REDUCTION FOR SUCH PRE-DELIVERY SHARES):	

Please i	ssue the C	Common Stock into which the Note is being converted to Holder, or for its benefit, as follows:
		Check here if requesting delivery as a certificate to the following name and to the following address:
	Issue to:	
		Check here if requesting delivery by Deposit/Withdrawal at Custodian as follows:
	DTC Par	rticipant:
	DTC Nu	umber:
	Account	Number:
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# Exhibit II

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resold by the Holder either (i) pursuant to Rule 144 (subject to the Holder's e.	certifies that the above indicated number of shares of Common Stock [are][are not] eligible to be execution and delivery to the Company of a customary 144 representation letter) or (ii) an effective to issue the above indicated number of shares of Common Stock in accordance with the
Transfer Agent Instructions dated, 20 from the Company a	
	APIMEDS PHARMACEUTICALS US, INC.
	Ву:
	Name: Title:

NEITHER THIS SECURITY NOR THE SECURITIES FOR WHICH THIS SECURITY IS EXERCISABLE HAVE BEEN REGISTERED WITH THE SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION OR THE SECURITIES COMMISSION OF ANY STATE IN RELIANCE UPON AN EXEMPTION FROM REGISTRATION UNDER THE SECURITIES ACT OF 1933, AS AMENDED (THE "SECURITIES ACT"), AND, ACCORDINGLY, MAY NOT BE OFFERED OR SOLD EXCEPT PURSUANT TO AN EFFECTIVE REGISTRATION STATEMENT UNDER THE SECURITIES ACT OR PURSUANT TO AN AVAILABLE EXEMPTION FROM, OR IN A TRANSACTION NOT SUBJECT TO, THE REGISTRATION REQUIREMENTS OF THE SECURITIES ACT AND IN ACCORDANCE WITH APPLICABLE STATE SECURITIES LAWS.

# WARRANT TO PURCHASE COMMON STOCK

#### APIMEDS PHARMACEUTICALS US, INC.

Warrant Shares: 712,880 Initial Exercise Date: December 1, 2025

THIS WARRANT TO PURCHASE COMMON STOCK (the "Warrant") certifies that, for value received, E.F. Hutton & Co. LLC or its assigns (the "Holder") is entitled, upon the terms and subject to the limitations on exercise and the conditions hereinafter set forth, at any time on or after December 1, 2025 (the "Initial Exercise Date") and prior to at 5:00 p.m. (New York time) on December 1, 2030 (the "Termination Date") but not thereafter, to subscribe for and purchase from Apimeds Pharmaceuticals US, Inc., a Delaware corporation (the "Company"), up to 712,880 shares (the "Warrant Shares") of Common Stock, par value \$0.01 per share, of the Company (the "Common Stock"), as subject to adjustment hereunder. The purchase price of one share of Common Stock under this Warrant shall be equal to the Exercise Price, as defined in Section 2(b).

Section 1. Definitions. In addition to the terms defined elsewhere in this Agreement, the following terms have the meanings indicated in this Section 1:

"Affiliate" means any Person that, directly or indirectly through one or more intermediaries, controls or is controlled by or is under common control with a Person, as such terms are used in and construed under Rule 405 under the Securities Act.

"Business Day" means any day except any Saturday, any Sunday, any day which is a federal legal holiday in the United States or any day on which banking institutions in the State of New York are authorized or required by law or other governmental action to close.

"Commission" means the United States Securities and Exchange Commission.

"Common Stock Equivalents" means any securities of the Company or its subsidiaries which would entitle the holder thereof to acquire at any time Common Stock, including, without limitation, any debt, preferred stock, right, option, warrant or other instrument that is at any time convertible into or exercisable or exchangeable for, or otherwise entitles the holder thereof to receive, Common Stock.

"Exchange Act" means the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended, and the rules and regulations promulgated thereunder.

"Person" means an individual or corporation, partnership, trust, incorporated or unincorporated association, joint venture, limited liability company, joint stock company, government (or an agency or subdivision thereof) or other entity of any kind.

"Rule 144" means Rule 144 promulgated by the Commission pursuant to the Securities Act, as such Rule may be amended or interpreted from time to time, or any similar rule or regulation hereafter adopted by the Commission having substantially the same purpose and effect as such Rule.

"Securities Act" means the Securities Act of 1933, as amended, and the rules and regulations promulgated thereunder.

"Trading Day" means a day on which the New York Stock Exchange is open for trading.

"Trading Market" means any of the following markets or exchanges on which the Common Stock is listed or quoted for trading on the date in question: the NYSE American, the Nasdaq Capital Market, the Nasdaq Global Market, the Nasdaq Global Select Market, or the New York Stock Exchange (or any successors to any of the foregoing).

"VWAP" means, for any date, the price determined by the first of the following clauses that applies: (a) if the Common Stock then listed or quoted on a Trading Market, the daily volume weighted average price of the Common Stock for such date (or the nearest preceding date) on the Trading Market on which the Common Stock is then listed or quoted as reported by Bloomberg L.P. (based on a Trading Day from 9:30 a.m. (New York City time) to 4:02 p.m. (New York City time)), (b) if OTCQB or OTCQX is not a Trading Market, the volume weighted average price of a share of Common Stock for such date (or the nearest preceding date) on the OTCQB or OTCQX as applicable, (c) if Common Stock is not then listed or quoted for trading on the OTCQB or OTCQX and if prices for Common Stock are then reported in the "Pink Sheets" published by OTC Markets Group, Inc. (or a similar organization or agency succeeding to its functions of reporting prices), the most recent bid price per share of Common Stock so reported or (d) in all other cases, the fair market value of the Common Stock as determined by an independent appraiser selected in good faith by the Holder and reasonably acceptable to the Company, the fees and expenses of which shall be paid by the Company.

#### Section 2. Exercise.

- a) Exercise of the purchase rights represented by this Warrant may be made, in whole or in part, at any time or times on or after the Initial Exercise Date and on or before the Termination Date by delivery to the Company (or such other office or agency of the Company as it may designate by notice in writing to the registered Holder at the address of the Holder appearing on the books of the Company) of a duly executed facsimile copy (or e-mail attachment) of the Notice of Exercise Form annexed hereto. Within two (2) Trading Days following the date of exercise as aforesaid, the Holder shall deliver the aggregate Exercise Price for the shares specified in the applicable Notice of Exercise by wire transfer or cashier's check drawn on a United States bank unless the cashless exercise procedure specified in Section 2(c) below is specified in the applicable Notice of Exercise. No ink-original Notice of Exercise shall be required, nor shall any medallion guarantee (or other type of guarantee or notarization) of any Notice of Exercise form be required. Notwithstanding anything herein to the contrary, the Holder shall not be required to physically surrender this Warrant to the Company until the Holder has purchased all of the Warrant Shares available hereunder and the Warrant has been exercised in full, in which case, the Holder shall surrender this Warrant to the Company for cancellation within five (5) Trading Days of the date the final Notice of Exercise is delivered to the Company. Partial exercises of this Warrant resulting in purchases of a portion of the total number of Warrant Shares available hereunder shall have the effect of lowering the outstanding number of Warrant Shares purchased in an amount equal to the applicable number of Warrant Shares purchased. The Holder and applicable number of Warrant Shares purchased. The Holder and agree that, by reason of the provisions of this paragraph, following the purchase of a portion of the Warrant Shares hereunder, the number of Warrant Shares hereunder at any given ti
- b) <u>Exercise Price</u>. The exercise price per share of the Common Stock under this Warrant shall be \$1.8372, subject to adjustment hereunder (the "<u>Exercise Price</u>").
- c) <u>Cashless Exercise</u>. In lieu of exercising this Warrant by delivering the aggregate Exercise Price by wire transfer or cashier's check, at the election of the Holder this Warrant may also be exercised, in whole or in part, at such time by means of a "cashless exercise" in which the Holder shall be entitled to receive the number of Warrant Shares equal to the quotient obtained by dividing [(A-B) (X)] by (A), where:
  - (A) = as applicable: (i) the VWAP on the Trading Day immediately preceding the date of the applicable Notice of Exercise if such Notice of Exercise is (1) both executed and delivered pursuant to Section 2(a) hereof on a day that is not a Trading Day or (2) both executed and delivered pursuant to Section 2(a) hereof on a Trading Day prior to the opening of "regular trading hours" (as defined in Rule 600(b)(64) of Regulation NMS promulgated under the federal securities laws) on such Trading Day, (ii) the VWAP on the Trading Day immediately preceding the date of the applicable Notice of Exercise if such Notice of Exercise is executed during "regular trading hours" on a Trading Day and is delivered within two (2) hours thereafter (including until two (2) hours after the close of "regular trading hours" on a Trading Day) pursuant to Section 2(a) hereof or (iii) the VWAP on the date of the applicable Notice of Exercise if the date of such Notice of Exercise is a Trading Day and such Notice of Exercise is both executed and delivered pursuant to Section 2(a) hereof after the close of "regular trading hours" on such Trading Day;

- (B) = the Exercise Price of this Warrant, as adjusted hereunder; and
- (X) = the number of Warrant Shares that would be issuable upon exercise of this Warrant in accordance with the terms of this Warrant if such exercise were by means of a cash exercise rather than a cashless exercise.

If Warrant Shares are issued in such a "cashless exercise," the parties acknowledge and agree that in accordance with Section 3(a)(9) of the Securities Act, the Warrant Shares shall take on the registered characteristics of the Warrants being exercised, and the holding period of the Warrants being exercised may be tacked on to the holding period of the Warrant Shares. The Company agrees not to take any position contrary to this Section 2(c).

Notwithstanding anything herein to the contrary, on the Termination Date, this Warrant shall be automatically exercised via cashless exercise pursuant to this Section 2(c).

# d) Mechanics of Exercise.

i. Delivery of Warrant Shares Upon Exercise. The Company shall cause the Warrant Shares purchased hereunder to be transmitted by its transfer agent to the Holder by crediting the account of the Holder's or its designee's balance account with The Depository Trust Company through its Deposit or Withdrawal at Custodian system ("DWAC") if the Company is then a participant in such system and either (A) there is an effective registration statement permitting the issuance of the Warrant Shares to or resale of the Warrant Shares by Holder, or (B) the Warrant Shares are eligible for resale by the Holder without volume or manner-of-sale limitations pursuant to Rule 144 and, in either case, the Warrant Shares have been sold by the Holder prior to the Warrant Share Delivery Date (as defined below), and otherwise by physical delivery of a certificate, registered in the Company's share register in the name of the Holder or its designee, for the number of Warrant Shares to which the Holder is entitled pursuant to such exercise to the address specified by the Holder in the Notice of Exercise by the date that is two (2) Trading Days after the delivery to the Company of the Notice of Exercise (such date, the "Warrant Share Delivery Date"). If the Warrant Shares can be delivered via DWAC, the transfer agent shall have received from the Company, at the expense of the Company, any legal opinions or other documentation required by it to deliver such Warrant Shares without legend (subject to receipt by the Company of reasonable back up documentation from the Holder, including with respect to affiliate status) and, if applicable and requested by the Company prior to the Warrant Share Delivery Date, the transfer agent shall have received from the Holder a confirmation of sale of the Warrant Shares (provided the requirement of the Holder to provide a confirmation as to the sale of Warrant Shares shall not be applicable to the issuance of unlegended Warrant Shares upon a cashless exercise of this Warrant if the Warrant Shares are then eligible for resale pursuant to Rule 144(b)(1)). The Warrant Shares shall be deemed to have been issued, and Holder or any other person so designated to be named therein shall be deemed to have become a holder of record of such shares for all purposes, as of the date the Warrant has been exercised, with payment to the Company of the Exercise Price (or by cashless exercise, if permitted) and all taxes required to be paid by the Holder, if any, pursuant to Section 2(d)(vi) prior to the issuance of such shares, having been paid. If the Company fails for any reason to deliver to the Holder the Warrant Shares subject to a Notice of Exercise by the second Trading Day following the Warrant Share Delivery Date, the Company shall pay to the Holder, in cash, as liquidated damages and not as a penalty, for each \$1,000 of Warrant Shares subject to such exercise (based on the VWAP of the Common Stock on the date of the applicable Notice of Exercise), \$10 per Trading Day (increasing to \$20 per Trading Day on the fifth Trading Day after such liquidated damages begin to accrue) for each Trading Day after the second Trading Day following such Warrant Share Delivery Date until such Warrant Shares are delivered or Holder rescinds such exercise.

- ii. <u>Delivery of New Warrants Upon Exercise</u>. If this Warrant shall have been exercised in part, the Company shall, at the request of a Holder and upon surrender of this Warrant certificate, at the time of delivery of the Warrant Shares, deliver to the Holder a new Warrant evidencing the rights of the Holder to purchase the unpurchased Warrant Shares called for by this Warrant, which new Warrant shall in all other respects be identical with this Warrant
- iii. Rescission Rights. If the Company fails to cause its transfer agent to deliver to the Holder the Warrant Shares pursuant to Section 2(d)(i) by the Warrant Share Delivery Date, then the Holder will have the right to rescind such exercise; provided, however, that the Holder shall be required to return any Warrant Shares or Common Stock subject to any such rescinded exercise notice concurrently with the return to Holder of the aggregate Exercise Price paid to the Company for such Warrant Shares and the restoration of Holder's right to acquire such Warrant Shares pursuant to this Warrant (including, issuance of a replacement warrant certificate evidencing such restored right).
- iv. Compensation for Buy-In on Failure to Timely Deliver Warrant Shares Upon Exercise. In addition to any other rights available to the Holder, if the Company fails to cause its transfer agent to transmit to the Holder the Warrant Shares pursuant to an exercise on or before the Warrant Share Delivery Date, and if after such date the Holder is required by its broker to purchase (in an open market transaction or otherwise) or the Holder's brokerage firm otherwise purchases, shares of Common Stock to deliver in satisfaction of a sale by the Holder of the Warrant Shares which the Holder anticipated receiving upon such exercise (a "Buy-In"), then the Company shall (A) pay in cash to the Holder the amount, if any, by which (x) the Holder's total purchase price (including brokerage commissions, if any) for the shares of Common Stock so purchased exceeds (y) the amount obtained by multiplying (1) the number of Warrant Shares that the Company was required to deliver to the Holder in connection with the exercise at issue times (2) the price at which the sell order giving rise to such purchase obligation was executed, and (B) at the option of the Holder, either reinstate the portion of the Warrant and equivalent number of Warrant Shares for which such exercise was not honored (in which case such exercise shall be deemed rescinded) or deliver to the Holder the number of shares of Common Stock that would have been issued had the Company timely complied with its exercise and delivery obligations hereunder. For example, if the Holder purchases Common Stock having a total purchase price of \$11,000 to cover a Buy-In with respect to an attempted exercise of shares of Common Stock with an aggregate sale price giving rise to such purchase obligation of \$10,000, under clause (A) of the immediately preceding sentence the Company shall be required to pay the Holder \$1,000. The Holder shall provide the Company written notice indicating the amounts payable to the Holder in respect of the Buy-In and, upon request of the Company, evidence of the amount of such loss. Nothing herein shall limit a Holder's right to pursue any other remedies available to it hereunder, at law or in equity including, without limitation, a decree of specific performance and/or injunctive relief with respect to the Company's failure to timely deliver shares of Common Stock upon exercise of the Warrant as required pursuant to the terms hereof.

- v. <u>No Fractional Shares or Scrip</u>. No fractional shares or scrip representing fractional shares shall be issued upon the exercise of this Warrant. As to any fraction of a share which the Holder would otherwise be entitled to purchase upon such exercise, the Company shall, at its election, either pay a cash adjustment in respect of such final fraction in an amount equal to such fraction multiplied by the Exercise Price or round up to the next whole share
- vi. <u>Charges, Taxes and Expenses</u>. Issuance of Warrant Shares shall be made without charge to the Holder for any issue or transfer tax or other incidental expense in respect of the issuance of such Warrant Shares, all of which taxes and expenses shall be paid by the Company, and such Warrant Shares shall be issued in the name of the Holder or in such name or names as may be directed by the Holder; <u>provided, however</u>, that in the event that Warrant Shares are to be issued in a name other than the name of the Holder, this Warrant when surrendered for exercise shall be accompanied by the Assignment Form attached hereto duly executed by the Holder and the Company may require, as a condition thereto, the payment of a sum sufficient to reimburse it for any transfer tax incidental thereto. The Company shall pay all transfer agent fees required for sameday processing of any Notice of Exercise and all fees to the Depository Trust Company (or another established clearing corporation performing similar functions) required for same-day electronic delivery of the Warrant Shares.
- vii. <u>Closing of Books</u>. The Company will not close its stockholder books or records in any manner which prevents the timely exercise of this Warrant, pursuant to the terms hereof.
- viii. <u>Signature</u>. This Section 2 and the exercise form attached hereto set forth the totality of the procedures required of the Holder in order to exercise this Purchase Warrant. Without limiting the preceding sentences, no ink-original exercise form shall be required, nor shall any medallion guarantee (or other type of guarantee or notarization) of any exercise form be required in order to exercise this Purchase Warrant. No additional legal opinion, other information or instructions shall be required of the Holder to exercise this Purchase Warrant. The Company shall honor exercises of this Purchase Warrant and shall deliver Warrant Shares underlying this Purchase Warrant in accordance with the terms, conditions and time periods set forth herein.

e) Holder's Exercise Limitations. The Company shall not effect any exercise of this Warrant, and a Holder shall not have the right to exercise any portion of this Warrant, pursuant to Section 2 or otherwise, to the extent that after giving effect to such issuance after exercise as set forth on the applicable Notice of Exercise, the Holder (together with the Holder's Affiliates, and any other Persons acting as a group together with the Holder or any of the Holder's Affiliates), would beneficially own in excess of the Beneficial Ownership Limitation (as defined below). For purposes of the foregoing sentence, the number of shares of Common Stock beneficially owned by the Holder and its Affiliates shall include the number of shares of Common Stock issuable upon exercise of this Warrant with respect to which such determination is being made, but shall exclude the number of shares of Common Stock which would be issuable upon (i) exercise of the remaining, nonexercised portion of this Warrant beneficially owned by the Holder or any of its Affiliates and (ii) exercise or conversion of the unexercised or nonconverted portion of any other securities of the Company (including, without limitation, any other Common Stock Equivalents) subject to a limitation on conversion or exercise analogous to the limitation contained herein beneficially owned by the Holder or any of its Affiliates. Except as set forth in the preceding sentence, for purposes of this Section 2(e), beneficial ownership shall be calculated in accordance with Section 13(d) of the Exchange Act and the rules and regulations promulgated thereunder, it being acknowledged by the Holder that the Company is not representing to the Holder that such calculation is in compliance with Section 13(d) of the Exchange Act and the Holder is solely responsible for any schedules required to be filed in accordance therewith. To the extent that the limitation contained in this Section 2(e) applies, the determination of whether this Warrant is exercisable (in relation to other securities owned by the Holder together with any Affiliates) and of which portion of this Warrant is exercisable shall be in the sole discretion of the Holder, and the submission of a Notice of Exercise shall be deemed to be the Holder's determination of whether this Warrant is exercisable (in relation to other securities owned by the Holder together with any Affiliates) and of which portion of this Warrant is exercisable, in each case subject to the Beneficial Ownership Limitation, and the Company shall have no obligation to verify or confirm the accuracy of such determination. In addition, a determination as to any group status as contemplated above shall be determined in accordance with Section 13(d) of the Exchange Act and the rules and regulations promulgated thereunder. For purposes of this Section 2(e), in determining the number of outstanding shares of Common Stock, a Holder may rely on the number of outstanding shares of Common Stock as reflected in (A) the Company's most recent periodic or annual report filed with the Commission, as the case may be, (B) a more recent public announcement by the Company or (C) a more recent written notice by the Company or the Company's transfer agent setting forth the number of shares of Common Stock outstanding. Upon the written or oral request of a Holder, the Company shall within two Trading Days confirm orally and in writing to the Holder the number of shares of Common Stock then outstanding. In any case, the number of outstanding shares of Common Stock shall be determined after giving effect to the conversion or exercise of securities of the Company, including this Warrant, by the Holder or its Affiliates since the date as of which such number of outstanding shares of Common Stock was reported. The "Beneficial Ownership Limitation" shall be 9.99% of the number of shares of the Common Stock outstanding immediately after giving effect to the issuance of shares of Common Stock issuable upon exercise of this Warrant. The Holder, upon notice to the Company, may increase or decrease the Beneficial Ownership Limitation provisions of this Section 2(e), provided that the Beneficial Ownership Limitation in no event exceeds 9.99% of the number of shares of the Common Stock outstanding immediately after giving effect to the issuance of shares of Common Stock upon exercise of this Warrant held by the Holder and the provisions of this Section 2(e) shall continue to apply. Any increase in the Beneficial Ownership Limitation will not be effective until the 61st day after such notice is delivered to the Company. The provisions of this paragraph shall be construed and implemented in a manner otherwise than in strict conformity with the terms of this Section 2(e) to correct this paragraph (or any portion hereof) which may be defective or inconsistent with the intended Beneficial Ownership Limitation herein contained or to make changes or supplements necessary or desirable to properly give effect to such limitation. The limitations contained in this paragraph shall apply to a successor holder of this Warrant.

#### Section 3. Certain Adjustments.

a) Stock Dividends and Splits. If the Company, at any time while this Warrant is outstanding: (i) pays a stock dividend or otherwise makes a distribution or distributions on shares of its Common Stock or any other equity or equity equivalent securities payable in shares of Common Stock (which, for avoidance of doubt, shall not include any shares of Common Stock issued by the Company upon exercise of this Warrant), (ii) subdivides outstanding shares of Common Stock into a larger number of shares, (iii) combines (including by way of reverse stock split) outstanding shares of Common Stock into a smaller number of shares, or (iv) issues by reclassification of shares of the Common Stock any shares of capital stock of the Company, then in each case the Exercise Price shall be multiplied by a fraction of which the number of shares of Common Stock (excluding treasury shares, if any) outstanding immediately before such event and of which the denominator shall be the number of shares of Common Stock outstanding immediately after such event, and the number of shares issuable upon exercise of this Warrant shall be proportionately adjusted such that the aggregate Exercise Price of this Warrant shall remain unchanged. Any adjustment made pursuant to this Section 3(a) shall become effective immediately after the record date for the determination of stockholders entitled to receive such dividend or distribution and shall become effective immediately after the effective date in the case of a subdivision, combination or re-classification. For the purposes of clarification, the Exercise Price of this Warrant will not be adjusted in the event that the Company or any subsidiary thereof, as applicable, sells or grants any option to purchase, or sell or grant any right to reprice, or otherwise dispose of or issue (or announce any offer, sale, grant or any option to purchase or other disposition) any Common Stock or Common Stock Equivalents, at an effective price per share less than the Exercise Price then in effect.

# b) [RESERVED]

c) <u>Subsequent Rights Offerings</u>. In addition to any adjustments pursuant to Section 3(a) above, if at any time the Company grants, issues or sells any Common Stock Equivalents or rights to purchase stock, warrants, securities or other property pro rata to the record holders of any class of shares of Common Stock (the "<u>Purchase Rights</u>"), then the Holder will be entitled to acquire, upon the terms applicable to such Purchase Rights, the aggregate Purchase Rights which the Holder could have acquired if the Holder had held the number of shares of Common Stock acquirable upon complete exercise of this Warrant (without regard to any limitations on exercise hereof, including without limitation, the Beneficial Ownership Limitation) immediately before the date on which a record is taken for the grant, issue or sale of such Purchase Rights, or, if no such record is taken, the date as of which the record holders of shares of Common Stock are to be determined for the grant, issue or sale of such Purchase Rights (provided, however, to the extent that the Holder's right to participate in any such Purchase Right would result in the Holder exceeding the Beneficial Ownership Limitation, then the Holder shall not be entitled to participate in such Purchase Right to such extent (or beneficial ownership of such shares of Common Stock as a result of such Purchase Right to such extent shall be held in abeyance for the Holder until such time, if ever, as its right thereto would not result in the Holder exceeding the Beneficial Ownership Limitation).

- d) Pro Rata Distributions. During such time as this Warrant is outstanding, if the Company shall declare or make any dividend (other than cash dividends) or other distribution of its assets (or rights to acquire its assets) to holders of shares of Common Stock, by way of return of capital or otherwise (including, without limitation, any distribution of shares or other securities, property or options by way of a dividend, spin off, reclassification, corporate rearrangement, scheme of arrangement or other similar transaction) (a "Distribution"), at any time after the issuance of this Warrant, then, in each such case, the Holder shall be entitled to participate in such Distribution to the same extent that the Holder would have participated therein if the Holder had held the number of shares of Common Stock acquirable upon complete exercise of this Warrant (without regard to any limitations on exercise hereof, including without limitation, the Beneficial Ownership Limitation) immediately before the date of which a record is taken for such Distribution, or, if no such record is taken, the date as of which the record holders of shares of Common Stock are to be determined for the participation in such Distribution (provided, however, to the extent that the Holder's right to participate in any such Distribution would result in the Holder exceeding the Beneficial Ownership Limitation, then the Holder shall not be entitled to participate in such Distribution to such extent) and the portion of such Distribution shall be held in abeyance for the benefit of the Holder until such time, if ever, as its right thereto would not result in the Holder exceeding the Beneficial Ownership Limitation). To the extent that this Warrant has not been partially or completely exercised at the time of such Distribution, such portion of the Distribution shall be held in abeyance for the Benefit of the Holder until the Holder has exercised this Warrant.
- e) Fundamental Transaction. If, at any time while this Warrant is outstanding, (i) the Company, directly or indirectly, in one or more related transactions effects any merger or consolidation of the Company with or into another Person, (ii) the Company, directly or indirectly, effects any sale, lease, license, assignment, transfer, conveyance or other disposition of all or substantially all of its assets in one or a series of related transactions, (iii) any, direct or indirect, purchase offer, tender offer or exchange offer (whether by the Company or another Person) is completed pursuant to which holders of Common Stock are permitted to sell, tender or exchange their shares for other securities, cash or property and has been accepted by the holders of 50% or more of the outstanding Common Stock, (iv) the Company, directly or indirectly, in one or more related transactions effects any reclassification, reorganization or recapitalization of the Common Stock or any compulsory share exchange pursuant to which the Common Stock is effectively converted into or exchanged for other securities, cash or property, or (v) the Company, directly or indirectly, in one or more related transactions consummates a stock or share purchase agreement or other business combination (including, without limitation, a reorganization, recapitalization, spin-off or scheme of arrangement) with another Person or group of Persons whereby such other Person or group acquires more than 50% of the outstanding shares of Common Stock (not including any shares of Common Stock held by the other Person or other Persons making or party to, or associated or affiliated with the other Persons making or party to, such stock or share purchase agreement or other business combination) (each a "Fundamental Transaction"), then, upon any subsequent exercise of this Warrant, the Holder shall have the right to receive, for each Warrant Share that would have been issuable upon such exercise immediately prior to the occurrence of such Fundamental Transaction, at the option of the Holder (without regard to any limitation in Section 2(e) on the exercise of this Warrant), the number of shares of Common Stock of the successor or acquiring corporation or of the Company, if it is the surviving corporation, and any additional consideration (the "Alternate Consideration") receivable by holders of Common Stock as a result of such Fundamental Transaction for each share of Common Stock for which this Warrant is exercisable immediately prior to such Fundamental Transaction (without regard to any limitation in Section 2(e) on the exercise of this Warrant). For purposes of any such exercise, the determination of the Exercise Price shall be appropriately adjusted to apply to such Alternate Consideration based on the amount of Alternate Consideration issuable in respect of one share of Common Stock in such Fundamental Transaction, and the Company shall apportion the Exercise Price among the Alternate Consideration in a reasonable manner reflecting the relative value of any different components of the Alternate Consideration. If holders of Common Stock are given any choice as to the securities, cash or property to be received in a Fundamental Transaction, then the Holder shall be given the same choice as to the Alternate Consideration it receives upon any exercise of this Warrant following such Fundamental Transaction. The Company shall cause any successor entity in a Fundamental Transaction in which the Company is not the survivor (the "Successor Entity") to assume in writing all of the obligations of the Company under this Warrant in accordance with the provisions of this Section 3(e) pursuant to written agreements in form and substance reasonably satisfactory to the Holder and approved by the Holder (without unreasonable delay) prior to such Fundamental Transaction and shall, at the option of the Holder, deliver to the Holder in exchange for this Warrant a security of the Successor Entity evidenced by a written instrument substantially similar in form and substance to this Warrant which is exercisable for a corresponding number of shares of capital stock of such Successor Entity (or its parent entity) equivalent to the shares of Common Stock acquirable and receivable upon exercise of this Warrant (without regard to any limitations on the exercise of this Warrant) prior to such Fundamental Transaction, and with an exercise price which applies the exercise price hereunder to such shares of capital stock (but taking into account the relative value of the shares of Common Stock pursuant to such Fundamental Transaction and the value of such shares of capital stock, such number of shares of capital stock and such exercise price being for the purpose of protecting the economic value of this Warrant immediately prior to the consummation of such Fundamental Transaction), and which is reasonably satisfactory in form and substance to the Holder. Upon the occurrence of any such Fundamental Transaction, the Successor Entity shall succeed to, and be substituted for (so that from and after the date of such Fundamental Transaction, the provisions of this Warrant referring to the "Company" shall refer instead to the Successor Entity), and may exercise every right and power of the Company and shall assume all of the obligations of the Company under this Warrant with the same effect as if such Successor Entity had been named as the Company herein.

f) <u>Calculations</u>. All calculations under this Section 3 shall be made to the nearest cent or the nearest 1/100th of a share, as the case may be. For purposes of this Section 3, the number of shares of Common Stock deemed to be issued and outstanding as of a given date shall be the sum of the number of shares of Common Stock (excluding treasury shares, if any) issued and outstanding.

# g) Notice to Holder.

- i. <u>Adjustment to Exercise Price</u>. Whenever the Exercise Price is adjusted pursuant to any provision of this Section 3, the Company shall promptly mail to the Holder a notice setting forth the Exercise Price after such adjustment and any resulting adjustment to the number of Warrant Shares and setting forth a brief statement of the facts requiring such adjustment.
- ii. Notice to Allow Exercise by Holder. If (A) the Company shall declare a dividend (or any other distribution in whatever form) on the Common Stock, (B) the Company shall declare a special nonrecurring cash dividend on or a redemption of the Common Stock, (C) the Company shall authorize the granting to all holders of the Common Stock rights or warrants to subscribe for or purchase any shares of capital stock of any class or of any rights, (D) the approval of any stockholders of the Company shall be required in connection with any reclassification of the Common Stock, any consolidation or merger to which the Company is a party, any sale or transfer of all or substantially all of the assets of the Company, or any compulsory share exchange whereby the Common Stock is converted into other securities, cash or property, or (E) the Company shall authorize the voluntary or involuntary dissolution, liquidation or winding up of the affairs of the Company, then, in each case, the Company shall cause to be mailed a notice to the Holder at its last address as it shall appear upon the Warrant Register of the Company, at least 20 calendar days prior to the applicable record or effective date hereinafter specified, stating (x) the date on which a record is to be taken for the purpose of such dividend, distribution, redemption, rights or warrants, or if a record is not to be taken, the date as of which the holders of the Common Stock of record to be entitled to such dividend, distributions, redemption, rights or warrants are to be determined or (y) the date on which such reclassification, consolidation, merger, sale, transfer or share exchange is expected to become effective or close, and the date as of which it is expected that holders of the Common Stock of record shall be entitled to exchange their shares of the Common Stock for securities, cash or other property deliverable upon such reclassification, consolidation, merger, sale, transfer or share exchange; provided that the failure to provide such notice or any defect therein shall not affect the validity of the corporate action required to be specified in such notice. To the extent that any notice provided hereunder constitutes, or contains, material, non-public information regarding the Company or any of its subsidiaries, the Company shall simultaneously file such notice with the Commission pursuant to a Current Report on Form 8-K. The Holder shall remain entitled to exercise this Warrant during the period commencing on the date of such notice to the effective date of the event triggering such notice except as may otherwise be expressly set forth

#### Section 4. Transfer of Warrant.

- a) <u>Transferability</u>. Pursuant to FINRA Rule 5110(e)(1), neither this Warrant nor any Warrant Shares issued upon exercise of this Warrant shall be sold, transferred, assigned, pledged, or hypothecated, or be the subject of any hedging, short sale, derivative, put, or call transaction that would result in the effective economic disposition of the securities by any person for a period of 180 days immediately following the date of effectiveness or commencement of sales of the offering pursuant to which this Warrant is being issued, except the transfer of any security:
  - i. by operation of law or by reason of reorganization of the Company;
  - ii. to any FINRA member firm participating in the offering and the officers or partners thereof, if all securities so transferred remain subject to the lock-up restriction in this Section 4(a) for the remainder of the time period;
  - iii. if the aggregate amount of securities of the Company held by the Holder or related person do not exceed 1% of the securities being offered;
  - iv. that is beneficially owned on a pro-rata basis by all equity owners of an investment fund, provided that no participating member manages or otherwise directs investments by the fund, and participating members in the aggregate do not own more than 10% of the equity in the fund; or
  - v. the exercise or conversion of any security, if all securities received remain subject to the lock-up restriction in this Section 4(a) for the remainder of the time period.

Subject to the foregoing restriction, any applicable securities laws and the conditions set forth in Section 4(d), this Warrant and all rights hereunder (including, without limitation, any registration rights) are transferable, in whole or in part, upon surrender of this Warrant at the principal office of the Company or its designated agent, together with a written assignment of this Warrant substantially in the form attached hereto duly executed by the Holder or its agent or attorney and funds sufficient to pay any transfer taxes payable upon the making of such transfer. Upon such surrender and, if required, such payment, the Company shall execute and deliver a new Warrant or Warrants in the name of the assignee or assignees, as applicable, and in the denomination or denominations specified in such instrument of assignment, and shall issue to the assignor a new Warrant evidencing the portion of this Warrant not so assigned, and this Warrant shall promptly be cancelled. Notwithstanding anything herein to the contrary, the Holder shall not be required to physically surrender this Warrant to the Company unless the Holder has assigned this Warrant in full, in which case, the Holder shall surrender this Warrant to the Company within three (3) Trading Days of the date the Holder delivers an assignment form to the Company assigning this Warrant full. The Warrant, if properly assigned in accordance herewith, may be exercised by a new holder for the purchase of Warrant Shares without having a new Warrant issued.

- b) New Warrants. This Warrant may be divided or combined with other Warrants upon presentation hereof at the aforesaid office of the Company, together with a written notice specifying the names and denominations in which new Warrants are to be issued, signed by the Holder or its agent or attorney. Subject to compliance with Section 4(a), as to any transfer which may be involved in such division or combination, the Company shall execute and deliver a new Warrant or Warrants in exchange for the Warrant or Warrants to be divided or combined in accordance with such notice. All Warrants issued on transfers or exchanges shall be dated the initial issuance date of this Warrant and shall be identical with this Warrant except as to the number of Warrant Shares issuable pursuant thereto.
- c) <u>Warrant Register</u>. The Company shall register this Warrant, upon records to be maintained by the Company for that purpose (the "<u>Warrant Register</u>"), in the name of the record Holder hereof from time to time. The Company may deem and treat the registered Holder of this Warrant as the absolute owner hereof for the purpose of any exercise hereof or any distribution to the Holder, and for all other purposes, absent actual notice to the contrary.
- d) Representation by the Holder. The Holder, by the acceptance hereof, represents and warrants that it is acquiring this Warrant and, upon any exercise hereof, will acquire the Warrant Shares issuable upon such exercise, for its own account and not with a view to or for distributing or reselling such Warrant Shares or any part thereof in violation of the Securities Act or any applicable state securities law, except pursuant to sales registered or exempted under the Securities Act.

# Section 5. Registration Rights.

# 5.1. Demand Registration.

- 5.1.1 Grant of Right. The Company, upon written demand (a "<u>Demand Notice</u>") of the Holder(s) of at least 51% of the Warrants and/or the underlying Warrant Shares ("<u>Majority Holders</u>"), agrees to register, on one occasion, all or any portion of the Warrant Shares underlying the Warrants (collectively, the "<u>Registrable Securities</u>"). On such occasion, the Company will file a registration statement with the Commission covering the Registrable Securities within sixty (60) days after receipt of a Demand Notice and use its reasonable best efforts to have the registration statement declared effective promptly thereafter, subject to compliance with review by the Commission; provided, however, that the Company shall not be required to comply with a Demand Notice if the Company has filed a registration statement with respect to which the Holder is entitled to piggyback registration rights pursuant to Section 5.2 hereof and either: (i) the Holder has elected to participate in the offering covered by such registration statement or (ii) if such registration statement relates to an underwritten primary offering of securities of the Company, until the offering covered by such registration statement has been withdrawn or until thirty (30) days after such offering is consummated. The demand for registration may be made at any time beginning on the Initial Exercise Date and expiring on the Termination Date. The Company covenants and agrees to give written notice of its receipt of any Demand Notice by any Holder(s) to all other registered Holders of the Warrants and/or the Registrable Securities within ten (10) days after the date of the receipt of any such Demand Notice.
- 5.1.2 Terms. The Company shall bear all fees and expenses attendant to the registration of the Registrable Securities pursuant to Section 5.1.1, but the Holders shall pay any and all underwriting commissions and the expenses of any legal counsel selected by the Holders to represent them in connection with the sale of the Registrable Securities. The Company agrees to use its commercially reasonable efforts to cause the filing required herein to become effective promptly and to qualify or register the Registrable Securities in such States as are reasonably requested by the Holder(s); provided, however, that in no event shall the Company be required to register the Registrable Securities in a State in which such registration would cause: (i) the Company to be obligated to register or license to do business in such State or submit to general service of process in such State, or (ii) the principal stockholders of the Company to be obligated to escrow their shares of capital stock of the Company. The Company shall cause any registration statement filed pursuant to the demand right granted under Section 5.1.1 to remain effective for a period of at least twelve (12) consecutive months after the date that the Holders of the Registrable Securities covered by such registration statement are first given the opportunity to sell all of such securities. The Holders shall only use the prospectuses provided by the Company to sell the Warrant Shares covered by such registration statement, and will immediately cease to use any prospectus furnished by the Company if the Company advises the Holder that such prospectus may no longer be used due to a material misstatement or omission. Notwithstanding the provisions of this Section 5.1.2, the Holder shall be entitled to a demand registration under this Section 5.1.2 on only one (1) occasion and such demand registration right shall terminate on the Termination Date.

#### 5.2 "Piggy-Back" Registration.

- 5.2.1 Grant of Right. In addition to the demand right of registration described in Section 5.1 hereof, the Holder shall have the right, for a period of no more than seven (7) years from the Initial Exercise Date, to include the Registrable Securities as part of any other registration of securities filed by the Company (other than in connection with a transaction contemplated by Rule 145(a) promulgated under the Securities Act or pursuant to Form S-8 or any equivalent form); provided, however, that if, solely in connection with any primary underwritten public offering for the account of the Company, the managing underwriter(s) thereof shall, in its reasonable discretion, impose a limitation on the number of Warrant Shares which may be included in the Registration Statement because, in such underwriter(s)' judgment, marketing or other factors dictate such limitation is necessary to facilitate public distribution, then the Company shall be obligated to include in such Registration Statement only such limited portion of the Registrable Securities with respect to which the Holder requested inclusion hereunder as the underwriter shall reasonably permit. Any exclusion of Registrable Securities shall be made pro rata among the Holders seeking to include Registrable Securities in proportion to the number of Registrable Securities sought to be included by such Holders; provided, however, that the Company shall not exclude any Registration Statement or are not entitled to pro rata inclusion with the Registration Statement or are not entitled to pro rata inclusion with the Registration Statement or are not entitled to pro rata inclusion with the Registration Statement or are not entitled to pro rata inclusion with the Registration Statement or are not entitled to pro rata inclusion with the Registration Statement or are not entitled to pro rata inclusion with the Registration Statement or are not entitled to pro rata inclusion with the Registration Statement or are not entitled to pro rata inclusion with the Registration S
- 5.2.2 Terms. The Company shall bear all fees and expenses attendant to registering the Registrable Securities pursuant to Section 5.2.1 hereof, but the Holders shall pay any and all underwriting commissions and the expenses of any legal counsel selected by the Holders to represent them in connection with the sale of the Registrable Securities. In the event of such a proposed registration, the Company shall furnish the then Holders of outstanding Registrable Securities with not less than thirty (30) days written notice prior to the proposed date of filing of such registration statement. Such notice to the Holders shall continue to be given for each registration statement filed by the Company during the seven (7) year period following the Initial Exercise Date until such time as all of the Registrable Securities have been sold by the Holder. The holders of the Registrable Securities shall exercise the "piggy-back" rights provided for herein by giving written notice within ten (10) days of the receipt of the Company's notice of its intention to file a registration statement. Except as otherwise provided in this Warrant, there shall be no limit on the number of times the Holder may request registration under this Section 5.2.2; provided, however, that such registration rights shall terminate on the second anniversary of the Termination Date.

#### 5.3 General Terms

5.3.1 Indemnification. The Company shall indemnify the Holder(s) of the Registrable Securities to be sold pursuant to any registration statement hereunder and each person, if any, who controls such Holders within the meaning of Section 15 of the Securities Act or Section 20(a) of the Exchange Act against all loss, claim, damage, expense or liability (including all reasonable attorneys' fees and other expenses reasonably incurred in investigating, preparing or defending against any claim whatsoever) to which any of them may become subject under the Securities Act, the Exchange Act or otherwise, arising from such registration statement. The Holder(s) of the Registrable Securities to be sold pursuant to such registration statement, and their successors and assigns, shall severally, and not jointly, indemnify the Company, against all loss, claim, damage, expense or liability (including all reasonable attorneys' fees and other expenses reasonably incurred in investigating, preparing or defending against any claim whatsoever) to which they may become subject under the Securities Act, the Exchange Act or otherwise, arising from information furnished by or on behalf of such Holders, or their successors or assigns, in writing, for specific inclusion in such registration statement.

- 5.3.2 Exercise of Warrants. Nothing contained in this Warrant shall be construed as requiring the Holder(s) to exercise their Warrants prior to or after the initial filing of any registration statement or the effectiveness thereof.
- 5.3.3 Documents Delivered to Holders. The Company shall furnish to each Holder participating in any of the foregoing offerings and to each underwriter of any such offering, if any, a signed counterpart, addressed to such Holder or underwriter, of: (i) an opinion of counsel to the Company, dated the effective date of such registration statement (and, if such registration includes an underwritten public offering, an opinion dated the date of the closing under any underwritten public offering, a letter dated the date of the closing under the underwritting agreement) signed by the independent registered public accounting firm which has issued a report on the Company's financial statements included in such registration statement, in each case covering substantially the same matters with respect to such registration statement (and the prospectus included therein) and, in the case of such accountants' letter, with respect to events subsequent to the date of such financial statements, as are customarily covered in opinions of issuer's counsel and in accountants' letters delivered to underwriters in underwritten public offerings of securities. The Company shall also deliver promptly to each Holder participating in the offering requesting the correspondence and memoranda described below and to the managing underwriter, if any, copies of all correspondence between the Commission and the Company, its counsel or auditors and all memoranda relating to discussions with the Commission or its staff with respect to the registration statement and permit each Holder and underwriter to do such investigation, upon reasonable advance notice, with respect to information contained in or omitted from the registration statement as it deems reasonably necessary to comply with applicable securities laws or rules of FINRA. Such investigation shall include access to books, records and properties and opportunities to discuss the business of the Company with its officers and independent auditors, all to such reasonable extent and at such reaso
- 5.3.4 Underwriting Agreement. The Company shall enter into an underwriting agreement with the managing underwriter(s), if any, selected by any Holders whose Registrable Securities are being registered pursuant to this Section 5, which managing underwriter shall be reasonably satisfactory to the Company. Such agreement shall be reasonably satisfactory in form and substance to the Company, each Holder and such managing underwriters, and shall contain such representations, warranties and covenants by the Company and such other terms as are customarily contained in agreements of that type used by the managing underwriter. The Holders shall be parties to any underwriting agreement relating to an underwritten sale of their Registrable Securities and may, at their option, require that any or all the representations, warranties and covenants of the Company to or for the benefit of such underwriters shall also be made to and for the benefit of such Holders. Such Holders shall not be required to make any representations or warranties to or agreements with the Company or the underwriters except as they may relate to such Holders, their Warrant Shares and their intended methods of distribution.

- 5.3.5 Documents to be Delivered by Holder(s). Each of the Holder(s) participating in any of the foregoing offerings shall furnish to the Company a completed and executed questionnaire provided by the Company requesting information customarily sought of selling security holders.
- 5.3.6 Damages. Should the registration or the effectiveness thereof required by Sections 5.1 and 5.2 hereof be delayed by the Company or the Company otherwise fails to comply with such provisions, the Holder(s) shall, in addition to any other legal or other relief available to the Holder(s), be entitled to obtain specific performance or other equitable (including injunctive) relief against the threatened breach of such provisions or the continuation of any such breach, without the necessity of proving actual damages and without the necessity of posting bond or other security.

#### Section 6. Miscellaneous.

- a) No Rights as Stockholder Until Exercise. This Warrant does not entitle the Holder to any voting rights, dividends or other rights as a stockholder of the Company prior to the exercise hereof as set forth in Section 2(d)(i).
- b) Loss, Theft, Destruction or Mutilation of Warrant. The Company covenants that upon receipt by the Company of evidence reasonably satisfactory to it of the loss, theft, destruction or mutilation of this Warrant or any certificate relating to the Warrant Shares, and in case of loss, theft or destruction, of indemnity or security reasonably satisfactory to it (which, in the case of the Warrant, shall not include the posting of any bond), and upon surrender and cancellation of such Warrant or stock certificate, if mutilated, the Company will make and deliver a new Warrant or stock certificate of like tenor and dated as of such cancellation, in lieu of such Warrant or stock certificate.
- c) <u>Saturdays, Sundays, Holidays, etc.</u> If the last or appointed day for the taking of any action or the expiration of any right required or granted herein shall not be a Trading Day, then, such action may be taken or such right may be exercised on the next succeeding Trading Day.

#### d) Authorized Shares.

The Company covenants that, during the period the Warrant is outstanding, it will reserve from its authorized and unissued Common Stock a sufficient number of shares to provide for the issuance of the Warrant Shares upon the exercise of any purchase rights under this Warrant. The Company further covenants that its issuance of this Warrant shall constitute full authority to its officers who are charged with the duty of issuing the necessary Warrant Shares upon the exercise of the purchase rights under this Warrant. The Company will take all such reasonable action as may be necessary to assure that such Warrant Shares may be issued as provided herein without violation of any applicable law or regulation, or of any requirements of the Trading Market upon which the Common Stock may be listed. The Company covenants that all Warrant Shares which may be issued upon the exercise of the purchase rights represented by this Warrant will, upon exercise of the purchase rights represented by this Warrant and payment for such Warrant Shares in accordance herewith, be duly authorized, validly issued, fully paid and nonassessable and free from all taxes, liens and charges created by the Company in respect of the issue thereof (other than taxes in respect of any transfer occurring contemporaneously with such issue).

Except and to the extent as waived or consented to by the Holder, the Company shall not by any action, including, without limitation, amending its certificate of incorporation or through any reorganization, transfer of assets, consolidation, merger, dissolution, issue or sale of securities or any other voluntary action, avoid or seek to avoid the observance or performance of any of the terms of this Warrant, but will at all times in good faith assist in the carrying out of all such terms and in the taking of all such actions as may be necessary or appropriate to protect the rights of Holder as set forth in this Warrant against impairment. Without limiting the generality of the foregoing, the Company will (i) not increase the par value of any Warrant Shares above the amount payable therefor upon such exercise immediately prior to such increase in par value, (ii) take all such action as may be necessary or appropriate in order that the Company may validly and legally issue fully paid and nonassessable Warrant Shares upon the exercise of this Warrant and (iii) use commercially reasonable efforts to obtain all such authorizations, exemptions or consents from any public regulatory body having jurisdiction thereof, as may be, necessary to enable the Company to perform its obligations under this Warrant.

Before taking any action which would result in an adjustment in the number of Warrant Shares for which this Warrant is exercisable or in the Exercise Price, the Company shall obtain all such authorizations or exemptions thereof, or consents thereto, as may be necessary from any public regulatory body or bodies having jurisdiction thereof.

- e) <u>Choice of Law; Jurisdiction</u>. This Warrant and all matters arising out of or relating to this Warrant, whether sounding in contract, tort, or statute shall be governed by and construed under the laws of the State of New York without regard to its choice or conflict of law principles to the extent such principles or rules would require or permit the application of the laws of any jurisdiction other than those of the State of New York. All disputes arising under or relating to this Warrant shall be brought and resolved solely and exclusively in the State of New York.
- f) <u>Restrictions</u>. The Holder acknowledges that the Warrant Shares acquired upon the exercise of this Warrant, if not registered, and the Holder does not utilize cashless exercise, will have restrictions upon resale imposed by state and federal securities laws.
- g) Nonwaiver and Expenses. No course of dealing or any delay or failure to exercise any right hereunder on the part of Holder shall operate as a waiver of such right or otherwise prejudice the Holder's rights, powers or remedies. Without limiting any other provision of this Warrant, if the Company willfully and knowingly fails to comply with any provision of this Warrant, which results in any material damages to the Holder, the Company shall pay to the Holder such amounts as shall be sufficient to cover any costs and expenses including, but not limited to, reasonable attorneys' fees, including those of appellate proceedings, incurred by the Holder in collecting any amounts due pursuant hereto or in otherwise enforcing any of its rights, powers or remedies hereunder.

- h) Notices. Any notices, consents, waivers or other communications required or permitted to be given under the terms of this Warrant must be in writing and will be deemed to have been delivered: (i) upon receipt, when delivered personally; (ii) upon receipt, when sent by electronic mail (provided that such sent email is kept on file (whether electronically or otherwise) by the sending party and the sending party does not receive an automatically generated message from the recipient's email server that such e-mail could not be delivered to such recipient); or (iii) one (1) Business Day after deposit with an overnight courier service with next day delivery specified, in each case, properly addressed to the party to receive the same.
- i) <u>Limitation of Liability</u>. No provision hereof, in the absence of any affirmative action by the Holder to exercise this Warrant to purchase Warrant Shares, and no enumeration herein of the rights or privileges of the Holder, shall give rise to any liability of the Holder for the purchase price of any Common Stock or as a stockholder of the Company, whether such liability is asserted by the Company or by creditors of the Company.
- j) Remedies. The Holder, in addition to being entitled to exercise all rights granted by law, including recovery of damages, will be entitled to specific performance of its rights under this Warrant. The Company agrees that monetary damages would not be adequate compensation for any loss incurred by reason of a breach by it of the provisions of this Warrant and hereby agrees to waive and not to assert the defense in any action for specific performance that a remedy at law would be adequate.
- k) <u>Successors and Assigns</u>. Subject to applicable securities laws, this Warrant and the rights and obligations evidenced hereby shall inure to the benefit of and be binding upon the successors and permitted assigns of the Company and the successors and permitted assigns of Holder. The provisions of this Warrant are intended to be for the benefit of any Holder from time to time of this Warrant and shall be enforceable by the Holder or holder of Warrant Shares.
  - 1) Amendment. This Warrant may be modified or amended or the provisions hereof waived with the written consent of the Company and the Holder.
- m) <u>Severability.</u> Wherever possible, each provision of this Warrant shall be interpreted in such manner as to be effective and valid under applicable law, but if any provision of this Warrant shall be prohibited by or invalid under applicable law, such provision shall be ineffective to the extent of such prohibition or invalidity, without invalidating the remainder of such provisions or the remaining provisions of this Warrant.
  - n) Headings. The headings used in this Warrant are for the convenience of reference only and shall not, for any purpose, be deemed a part of this Warrant.

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(Signature Page Follows)

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the Company has caused this Warrant to be executed by its officer thereunto duly authorized as of the date first above indicated.

# APIMEDS PHARMACEUTICALS US, INC.

By: /s/ Vin Menon

Name: Vin Menon

Title: Chief Executive Officer

# NOTICE OF EXERCISE

TO: APIMEDS PHARMACEUTICALS US, INC.
(1) The undersigned hereby elects to purchase Warrant Shares of the Company pursuant to the terms of the attached Warrant (only if exercise full), and tenders herewith payment of the exercise price in full, together with all applicable transfer taxes, if any.
(2) Payment shall take the form of (check applicable box):
☐ in lawful money of the United States; or
☐ if permitted the cancellation of such number of Warrant Shares as is necessary, in accordance with the formula set forth in subsection 2(c) exercise this Warrant with respect to the maximum number of Warrant Shares purchasable pursuant to the cashless exercise procedure set fort subsection 2(c).
(3) Please register and issue said Warrant Shares in the name of the undersigned or in such other name as is specified below:
The Warrant Shares shall be delivered to the following DWAC Account Number or by physical delivery of a certificate to:
(4) <u>Accredited Investor</u> . If the Warrant is being exercised via cash exercise, the undersigned is an "accredited investor" as defined in Regulation promulgated under the Securities Act of 1933, as amended
[SIGNATURE OF HOLDER]
Name of Investing Entity:
Signature of Authorized Signatory of Investing Entity:
Name of Authorized Signatory:
Title of Authorized Signatory:
Date:

# ASSIGNMENT FORM

(To assign the foregoing warrant, execute this form and supply required information. Do not use this form to exercise the warrant.)

FOR VALUE R	ECEIVED, [] all of or [	shares of the foregoing Warrant and all rights evidenced thereby are hereby assigned to
	whose ad	address is
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Holder's Signature:	Dated:,	
Holder's Address:		_
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e e		with the name as it appears on the face of the Warrant, without alteration or enlargement or any change or other representative capacity should file proper evidence of authority to assign the foregoing Warrant.

#### STOCKHOLDER SUPPORT AGREEMENT AND LOCK-UP AGREEMENT

This **STOCKHOLDER SUPPORT AND LOCK-UP AGREEMENT** (this "Agreement") is entered into by MindWave Innovations Inc, a Delaware corporation (the "Company"), Apimeds Pharmaceuticals US, Inc., a Delaware corporation (the "Acquiror"), and certain stockholders of the Acquiror whose names appear on the signature pages of this Agreement (each, a "Stockholder" and, collectively, the "Stockholders") and is dated December 1, 2025 (the "Signing Date").

### BACKGROUND

- A. Each Stockholder is, as of the Signing Date, the holder of record and the "beneficial owner" (within the meaning of Rule 13d-3 under the Securities Exchange Act of 1934) of the number of shares of common stock of the Acquiror (the "Subject Shares") set forth opposite such Shareholder's name on Exhibit A.
- B. Concurrently with this Agreement, the Acquiror, Apimeds Merger Sub, Inc., a Delaware corporation ("Merger Sub"), the Company, Lokahi Therapeutics, Inc., a Nevada corporation, and Erik Emerson, are entering into an Agreement and Plan of Merger in the form attached as Exhibit B (as amended, supplemented, restated or otherwise modified from time to time, the "Merger Agreement"), under which Merger Sub will merge with and into the Company (the "Merger"), with the Company surviving the Merger as a wholly owned subsidiary of the Acquiror. Capitalized terms used but not otherwise defined herein shall have the meanings ascribed to such terms in the Merger Agreement.
- C. Each of the Stockholders desire to enter into this Agreement to set forth their agreement and commitment to execute and deliver a written consent (the "Written Consent") approving the following matters: (i) the approval of the conversion of the Acquiror Series A convertible preferred stock, par value \$0.01 per share ("Acquiror Preferred Stock"), issued to the Company stockholders in connection with the Merger, into shares of Acquiror common stock ("Acquiror Common Stock"), (ii) the approval of the conversion of the senior convertible notes ("Acquiror Common Stock, iii) the issuance of such shares of Acquiror Common Stock, upon conversion of the shares of Acquiror Preferred Stock and Acquiror Convertible Notes in accordance with the rules of the NYSE American LLC (the "Issuance Proposal"), (iv) the approval of a reverse stock split of the Acquiror Common Stock at a ratio of 1-for-10 (the "Reverse Stock Split Proposal"), (v) the approval of an amendment to the Acquiror's Amended and Restated Certificate of Incorporation to effectuate the Reverse Stock Split Proposal and change the par value of the capital stock from \$0.01 to \$0.001 (the "Charter Amendment Proposal"), (vi) the approval of an amendment to the Apimeds Pharmaceuticals US, Inc. 2024 Equity Incentive Plan to increase the number of shares of Acquiror Common Stock issuable under the 2024 Plan to 2,096,679 (the "2024 Plan Proposal"), and (vii) the approval and adoption of the Apimeds Pharmaceuticals US, Inc. 2025 Equity Incentive Plan (the "Acquiror Equity Incentive Plan Proposal"). The Issuance Proposal, the Reverse Stock Split Proposal, the Charter Amendment Proposal, and the Acquiror Equity Incentive Plan Proposal are collectively referred to as the "Proposals".
- D. In addition to the delivery of the Written Consent, each of the Stockholders also desires to enter into this Agreement to agree to certain restrictions on the transfer of their Acquiror Common Stock during the Interim Period.
- E. As a condition and inducement to the Company's willingness to enter into the Merger Agreement and to consummate the contemplated transactions, the parties desire to agree to certain matters set forth as follows:

#### **AGREEMENT**

Section 1. Representations and Warranties of the Stockholders. Each Stockholder severally and not jointly represents and warrants to the Company as follows:

(a) <u>Organization, Good Standing and Qualification</u>. If such Stockholder is not a natural person, such Stockholder has been duly organized and is validly existing and in good standing under the Laws of its jurisdiction in which it is incorporated, formed, organized or constituted and has requisite corporate power and authority to own and operate its properties and assets, to carry on its business as presently conducted and contemplated to be conducted. If such Stockholder is a natural person, such Stockholder has full legal capacity, right and authority to execute this Agreement and perform his/her obligations, and to consummate the contemplated transactions. Such Stockholder is duly licensed or qualified and in good standing (to the extent such concept is applicable in such Stockholder's jurisdiction or organization) as a foreign or extra-provincial corporation (or other entity, if applicable) in each jurisdiction in which its ownership of property or the character of its activities is such as to require it to be so licensed or qualified or in good standing (to the extent such concept is applicable in such Stockholder's jurisdiction of formation or organization), as applicable, except where the failure to be so licensed or qualified or in good standing would not have a material adverse effect on the ability of such Stockholder to enter into and perform its obligations under this Agreement and to consummate the contemplated transactions.

- (b) <u>Authority.</u> If such Stockholder is not a natural person, such Stockholder has all requisite corporate, limited liability company or organizational power and authority to enter into, execute, deliver and perform its obligations under this Agreement and to consummate the contemplated transactions; and all corporate actions on the part of such Stockholder necessary for the authorization, execution and delivery of this Agreement and the performance of all its obligations (including any board approval) have been taken. If such Stockholder is a natural person, such Stockholder has full legal capacity, right and authority to execute this Agreement and perform their obligations, and to consummate the contemplated transactions. This Agreement is, or when executed by the other parties, will be, a valid and legally binding obligations of such Stockholder, enforceable against it in accordance with its terms, except (i) as limited by applicable bankruptcy, insolvency, reorganization, moratorium, and other applicable laws now or hereafter in effect of general application affecting enforcement of creditors' rights generally, and (ii) as limited by applicable laws relating to the availability of specific performance, injunctive relief, or other equitable remedies. If such Stockholder is a natural person who is married and resides in a community property jurisdiction, then such Stockholder's spouse has executed and delivered to the Company and the Acquiror a spousal consent in the form of Exhibit C concurrently with the execution and delivery. If this Agreement is being executed in a representative or fiduciary capacity, the Person signing this Agreement has full power and authority to enter into this Agreement on behalf of such Stockholder.
- (c) <u>Consents; No Conflicts.</u> Other than any filings to be made under applicable federal or state securities laws, all filings, notifications, notices, submissions, applications, or consents from or with any Governmental Authority or any other Person required in connection with the valid execution, delivery, and performance of this Agreement and the consummation of the contemplated transactions, in each case on the part of such Stockholder, have been duly obtained or completed (as applicable) and are in full force and effect. The execution, delivery, and performance of this Agreement by such Stockholder does not, and the consummation by such Stockholder of the contemplated transactions will not result in any violation of, be in conflict with, or constitute a default under, require any consent under, or give any Person rights of termination, amendment, acceleration (including acceleration of any obligation of such Stockholder) or cancellation under, (x) (i) any Governmental Order, (ii) any provision of the organizational documents of such Stockholder (if such Stockholder is not a natural person), (iii) subject to any filings to be made under applicable federal or state securities laws, any applicable Law, (iv) any Contract to which such Stockholder is a party or by which its assets are bound, or (y) result in the creation of any lien or encumbrance upon any of the properties or assets of such Stockholder other than liens or encumbrances under the Acquiror Organizational Documents, this Agreement, any other ancillary document or applicable federal or state securities laws, except in the case of sub-clauses (i), (iii), and (iv) of clause (x), as has not had, and would not reasonably be expected to have, individually or in the aggregate, a material adverse effect on the ability of any such Stockholder to enter into and perform this Agreement and to consummate the contemplated transactions.
- (d) The Subject Shares. Except as previously disclosed to the Company such Stockholder is the sole record and beneficial owner (as defined in the Securities Act of 1933) of, and has good title to, the Subject Shares set forth opposite such Stockholder's name on Exhibit A, and all such Subject Shares are owned by such Stockholder free and clear of all liens or encumbrances or any other liabilities or restriction (including any restriction on the right to vote, sell or otherwise dispose of the Subject Shares (other than transfer restrictions under the Securities Act)), other than liens or encumbrances under the Acquiror Organizational Documents, this Agreement or applicable federal or state securities laws. Such Stockholder does not own of record or beneficially any shares of Acquiror Common Stock other than the Subject Shares. Such Stockholder has the sole right to vote the Subject Shares, and none of the Subject Shares is subject to any voting trust or other agreement, arrangement or restriction with respect to the voting of the Subject Shares, except as contemplated by this Agreement and the voting and other arrangements under the Acquiror Organizational Documents (as of the Signing Date).

- (e) <u>Merger Agreement</u>. Such Stockholder understands and acknowledges that the Acquiror and the Company are entering into the Merger Agreement in reliance upon the Stockholder's execution and delivery of this Agreement. Such Stockholder has received a copy of the Merger Agreement and is familiar with the provisions of the Merger Agreement.
- (f) <u>Adequate Information</u>. Such Stockholder is a sophisticated stockholder and has adequate information concerning the business and financial condition of the Acquiror and the Company to make an informed decision regarding this Agreement and the transactions contemplated by the Merger Agreement and has independently and without reliance upon the Acquiror or the Company and based on such information as such Stockholder has deemed appropriate, made its own analysis and decision to enter into this Agreement. Such Stockholder acknowledges that the Acquiror and the Company have not made and do not make any representation or warranty, whether express or implied, of any kind or character except as expressly set forth in this Agreement. Such Stockholder acknowledges that the agreements contained in this Agreement with respect to the Subject Shares held by such Stockholder are irrevocable.
  - Section 2. Representations and Warranties of the Company. The Company represents and warrants to the Acquiror and each Stockholder as follows:
- (a) <u>Organization, Good Standing and Qualification</u>. The Company is duly incorporated, validly existing and in good standing under the laws of Singapore and has requisite corporate power and authority to own and operate its properties and assets, to carry on its business as presently conducted and contemplated to be conducted. The Company is duly licensed or qualified and in good standing as a foreign or extra-provincial corporation in each jurisdiction in which its ownership of property or the character of its activities is such as to require it to be so licensed or qualified or in good standing, as applicable, except where the failure to be so licensed or qualified or in good standing would not have a material adverse effect on the ability of the Company to enter into and perform its obligations under this Agreement and to consummate the contemplated transactions.
- (b) <u>Authority.</u> The Company has all requisite corporate power and authority to enter into, execute, deliver and perform its obligations under this Agreement and to consummate the contemplated transactions. All corporate actions on the part of the Company necessary for the authorization, execution and delivery of this Agreement and the performance of all its obligations (including any board approval) have been taken. This Agreement is, or when executed by the other parties, will be, valid and legally binding obligations of the Company, enforceable against it in accordance with its terms, except (i) as limited by applicable bankruptcy, insolvency, reorganization, moratorium, and other applicable laws now or hereafter in effect of general application affecting enforcement of creditors' rights generally, and (ii) as limited by applicable laws relating to the availability of specific performance, injunctive relief, or other equitable remedies.
- (c) Consents; No Conflicts. All filings, notifications, notices, submissions, applications, or consents from or with any Governmental Authority or any other Person required in connection with the valid execution, delivery and performance of this Agreement and the consummation of the contemplated transactions, in each case on the part of the Company, have been duly obtained or completed (as applicable) and are in full force and effect. The execution, delivery and performance of this Agreement by the Company does not, and the consummation by the Company of the contemplated transactions will not result in any violation of, be in conflict with, or constitute a default under, require any consent under, or give any Person rights of termination, amendment, acceleration (including acceleration of any obligation of Investcorp) or cancellation under, (x) (i) any Governmental Order, (ii) any provision of the Organizational Documents of the Company, (iii) any applicable Law, (iv) any Contract to which the Company is a party or by which its assets are bound, or (y) result in the creation of any security interest upon any of the properties or assets of the Company other than any restrictions created by or arising under federal or state securities laws, this Agreement or any other ancillary document, or the Company's organizational documents, except in the case of sub- clauses (i), (iii), and (iv) of clause (x), as has not had, and would not reasonably be expected to have, individually or in the aggregate, a material adverse effect on the ability of the Company to enter into and perform this Agreement and to consummate the contemplated transactions.
  - Section 3. Representations and Warranties of the Acquiror. The Acquiror represents and warrants to the Company and each Stockholder as follows:
- (a) <u>Organization, Good Standing and Qualification</u>. The Acquiror is a company duly organized, validly existing and in good standing under the Laws of Delaware and has requisite corporate power and authority to own and operate its properties and assets, to carry on its business as presently conducted and contemplated to be conducted.

- (b) <u>Authority.</u> The Acquiror has all requisite corporate power and authority to enter into, execute, deliver and perform its obligations under this Agreement and to consummate the contemplated transactions, subject to the Written Consent. Except for the Written Consent, all corporate actions on the part of the Acquiror necessary for the authorization, execution and delivery of this Agreement and the performance of all its obligations (including any board approval) have been taken. This Agreement is, or when executed by the other parties, will be, valid and legally binding obligations of the Acquiror, enforceable against it in accordance with its terms, except (i) as limited by applicable bankruptcy, insolvency, reorganization, moratorium, and other applicable laws now or hereafter in effect of general application affecting enforcement of creditors' rights generally, and (ii) as limited by applicable laws relating to the availability of specific performance, injunctive relief, or other equitable remedies.
- (c) Consents; No Conflicts. Assuming the representations in Sections 1 and 2 are correct, all filings, notifications, notices, submissions, applications, or consents from or with any Governmental Authority or any other Person required in connection with the valid execution, delivery, and performance of this Agreement and the consummation of the contemplated transactions, in each case on the part of the Acquiror, have been duly obtained or completed (as applicable) and are in full force and effect. The execution, delivery, and performance of this Agreement by the Acquiror does not, and the consummation by the Acquiror of the contemplated transactions will not, result in any violation of, be in conflict with, or constitute a default under, require any consent under, or give any Person rights of termination, amendment, acceleration (including acceleration of any obligation of the Company) or cancellation under, (x) (i) any Governmental Order of Governmental Authorities, (ii) any provision of the Acquiror Organizational Documents, (iii) any applicable Law, (iv) any Contract, or (y) result in the creation of any security interest upon any of the properties or assets of the Acquiror other than any restrictions under federal and state securities laws, and the Acquiror Organizational Documents.
- (d) <u>Lock-Up Obligations of Stockholders</u>. The Acquiror has no agreement currently in effect with any stockholder with respect to any lock-up restriction related to the Acquiror Common Stock other than those contained in this Agreement.

Section 4. Agreement to Vote; Certain Other Covenants of the Stockholders. Each Stockholder covenants and agrees during the term of this Agreement as

#### follows:

#### (a) Approval of the Proposals.

- (1) In Favor of the Proposals. At any meeting of the stockholders of the Acquiror called to seek the approval of stockholders, or at any adjournment, or in connection with any written consent of the stockholders of the Acquiror or in any other circumstances upon which a vote, consent or other approval with respect to the Proposals is sought, such Stockholder shall (i), if a meeting is held, appear at such meeting or otherwise cause the Subject Shares to be counted as present at such meeting for purposes of establishing a quorum, and (ii) vote or cause to be voted (including by class vote and/or written consent, if applicable) the Subject Shares in favor of granting the Proposals or, if there are insufficient votes in favor of granting the Proposals, in favor of the adjournment such meeting of the stockholders of the Acquiror to a later date.
- (2) Against Other Transactions. At any meeting of stockholders of the Acquiror or at any adjournment, or in connection with any written consent of the stockholders of the Acquiror or in any other circumstances upon which such Stockholder's vote, consent or other approval is sought, such Stockholder shall vote (or cause to be voted) the Subject Shares (including by withholding class vote and/or written consent, if applicable) against (i) any merger agreement or merger (other than the Merger Agreement and the Merger), scheme of arrangement, business combination, consolidation, combination, sale of substantial assets, reorganization, recapitalization, dissolution, liquidation or winding up of or by the Acquiror or any public offering of any securities of the Acquiror, any of its Subsidiaries, or, in case of a public offering only, a newly-formed holding company of the Acquiror or such Subsidiaries, other than in connection with the transactions, (ii) any acquisition proposal, and (iii) any amendment of the Acquiror Organizational Documents or other proposal or transaction involving the Acquiror or any of its Subsidiaries, which, in each of cases (i) and (iii) of this sentence, would be reasonably likely to in any material respect impede, interfere with, delay or attempt to discourage, frustrate the purposes of, result in a breach by the Acquiror of, prevent or nullify any provision of the Merger Agreement or any other ancillary document thereto, the Merger, or any other transaction or change in any manner the voting rights of any class of Acquiror's share capital.

- (3) <u>Revoke Other Proxies</u>. Such Stockholder represents and warrants that any proxies previously given in respect of the Subject Shares that may still be in effect are not irrevocable, and such proxies have been or are revoked, other than the voting and other arrangements under the Acquiror Organizational Documents (as of the Signing Date).
- (4) <u>Irrevocable Proxy.</u> Such Stockholder unconditionally and irrevocably grants to, and appoints, the Acquiror and any individual designated in writing by the Acquiror, and each of them individually, as such Stockholder's proxy and attorney-in-fact (with full power of substitution), for and in the name, place and stead of such Stockholder, to vote the Subject Shares, or grant a written consent or approval in respect of the Subject Shares in a manner consistent with this <u>Section 4(a)</u>. Such Stockholder understands and acknowledges that the Acquiror is entering into the Merger Agreement in reliance upon such Stockholder's execution and delivery of this Agreement. Such Stockholder affirms that the irrevocable proxy set forth in this <u>Section 4(a)</u> is given in connection with the execution of the Merger Agreement, and that such irrevocable proxy is given to secure the performance of the duties of such Stockholder under this Agreement. Such Stockholder further affirms that the irrevocable proxy is coupled with an interest and may under no circumstances be revoked. Such Stockholder ratifies and confirms all that such irrevocable proxy may lawfully do or cause to be done. The irrevocable proxy granted hereunder shall only terminate upon the termination of this Agreement. Should such Stockholder, any time after this Agreement and until the Closing Date, be requested to issue individual proxies, specific voting instructions or further documents required by the laws applicable to the Acquiror or the notary notarizing the Written Consent, such Shareholder undertakes to promptly implement all steps necessary in order to give effect to such request.
- (b) No Transfer. Other than under this Agreement or upon the consent of the Company, from the date of this Agreement until the date of termination of this Agreement, such Stockholder shall not, directly or indirectly, (i) sell, transfer, tender, grant, pledge, assign or otherwise dispose of (including by gift, tender or exchange offer, merger or operation of law), encumber, hedge or utilize a derivative to transfer the economic interest in, or enter into any Contract, option or other arrangement (including any profit sharing arrangement) with respect to any of the foregoing of, or establish or increase a put equivalent position or liquidate or decrease a call equivalent position within the meaning of Section 16 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, and the promulgated rules or regulations of the SEC, with respect to any Subject Shares to any person(ii) enter into any swap or other arrangement that transfers to another, in whole or in party any of the economic consequences of ownership of the Subject Shares, whether any such transaction is settled by delivery of such securities, in cash or otherwise, (iii) grant any proxies or enter into any voting arrangement, whether by proxy, voting agreement, voting trust, voting deed or otherwise (including under any loan of Subject Shares), or enter into any other agreement, with respect to any Subject Shares, in each case, other than as set forth in this Agreement and the Acquiror Organizational Documents (as of the Signing Date), (iv) publicly announce any intention to effect any transaction specified in clause (i) through (iii) (the actions specified in (i) through (iii), collectively (a "Transfer"), (v) take any action that would make any representation or warranty of such Stockholder untrue or incorrect, or have the effect of preventing or disabling such Stockholder from performing its obligations, or, (vi) commit or agree to take any of the foregoing actions or take any other action or enter into any Contract that would reasonably be expected to make any of its representations or warranties contained in this Agreement untrue or incorrect or would have the effect of preventing or delaying such Stockholder from performing any of its obligations. Notwithstanding the foregoing, the Stockholder may make transfers of the Subject Shares (A) under this Agreement, or (B) upon the consent of the Company and the Acquiror. Any action attempted to be taken in violation of the preceding sentences will be null and void. Such Stockholder agrees with, and covenants to, the Company that such Stockholder shall not request that APUS register the transfer (by book-entry or otherwise) of any certificated or uncertificated interest representing any of the Subject Shares.

(c) New Shares. If before the Closing Date (i) any shares of Acquiror Common Stock or other securities are issued or otherwise distributed to a Stockholder under any stock dividend or distribution, or any change in any of the shares of Acquiror Common Stock by reason of any stock split-up, recapitalization, combination, exchange of shares or the like, (ii) a Stockholder acquires legal or beneficial ownership of any Acquiror Common Stock after the date of this Agreement or (iii) a Stockholder acquires the right to vote or share in the voting of any APUS Common Stock after the date of this Agreement (together the "New Securities"), the terms "Subject Shares" shall be deemed to refer to and include such New Securities (including all such stock dividends and distributions and any securities into which or for which any or all of the Subject Shares may be changed or exchanged into).

Section 5. <u>Stockholder Lock-Up</u>. During the Interim Period, the Stockholders agree that it, he, or she shall not sell, transfer, assign, pledge, or otherwise dispose of any of their shares of Acquiror Common Stock or any securities convertible into or exercisable for such shares of Acquiror Common Stock or enter into any agreement or arrangement to do so.

Section 6. <u>Termination</u>. This Agreement shall terminate upon the Stockholders execution of the Written Consent, <u>provided</u>, <u>however</u>, that <u>Section 5</u> shall survive in accordance with its terms, until the end of the Interim Period, without any further action by the parties.

Section 7. Additional Matters. Each Stockholder shall, from time to time, (i) execute and deliver, or cause to be executed and delivered, such additional or further consents, documents and other instruments as the Acquiror or the Company may reasonably request for the purpose of effectively carrying out the transactions contemplated by this Agreement and the Merger Agreement and (ii) refrain from exercising any veto right, consent right or similar right (whether under the Acquiror Organizational Documents or the Laws of the State of Delaware) which would impede, disrupt, prevent or otherwise adversely affect the consummation of the Merger or any other transaction. Without limiting the generality of the foregoing, each Shareholder agrees by virtue of signing this Agreement that such Stockholder waives any and all individual approval or consent rights such Stockholder may have under the Acquiror Organizational Documents or the Delaware General Corporation Law with respect to the Merger Agreement, to which the Acquiror is or will be a party, the Merger or any other transaction contemplated by any of the foregoing.

(a) The Acquiror and the Company shall not amend or waive any lock-up restriction agreed with the Stockholders, or otherwise approve a transfer, unless they extend such amendment, approval and/or waiver to all Stockholders party, under the same terms and conditions (including, for the avoidance of doubt, the timing of any release from such lock-up restriction) and on a pro rata basis. The Acquiror shall provide at least five business day advance written notice to all Stockholders of any such amendment, approval or waiver.

#### Section 8. General Provisions.

- (a) <u>Capacity as Stockholder</u>. Each Stockholder signs this Agreement solely in such Stockholder's capacity as a stockholder of the Acquiror, and not in such Stockholder's capacity as a director or officer of the Acquiror, if applicable.
- (b) <u>Additional Stockholders</u>. Notwithstanding anything to the contrary in this Agreement, this Agreement may be amended by adding additional Stockholders of the Acquiror ("<u>Additional Stockholders</u>") as parties, upon such Additional Stockholders executing and delivering to the Acquiror and the Company, a Joinder to the Support Agreement substantially in the form of <u>Exhibit D</u>. Thereafter, each such Additional Stockholder shall, for all purposes, be a party to this Agreement and all references to a "Stockholder" or the "Stockholders" shall thereafter also mean and refer to such Additional Stockholder, and such Additional Stockholder shall thereafter have the same rights, duties, liabilities and obligations as a Stockholder party on the Signing Date.
- (c) <u>Notice</u>. All notices and other communications shall be in writing and shall be deemed given if delivered personally or sent by overnight courier (providing proof of delivery) to the Acquiror or the Company in accordance with Section 10.01 of the Merger Agreement and to each Stockholder at its address set forth on Exhibit A (or at such other address for a party as shall be specified by like notice).
- (d) <u>Miscellaneous</u>. The provisions of Article X of the Merger Agreement are incorporated by reference, *mutatis mutandis*, as if set forth in full in this Agreement.

[Signature pages follow]

Each party has duly executed this Agreement as of the date first written above.

For Stockholders which are Entities:

### Inscobee Inc.

By: /s/ In Soo You
Name: In Soo You
Title: Chairman

# Apimeds Inc.

By: /s/ Jakap Koo
Name: Jakap Koo

Title: Chief Executive Officer

For Stockholders who are Natural Persons:

Name: Erik Emerson By: /s/ Erik Emerson

[Signature Page to Stockholder Support and Lock-Up Agreement]

# APIMEDS PHARMACEUTICALS US, INC.

/s/ Erik Emerson

Name: Erik Emerson
Title: Chief Executive Officer

[Signature Page to Stockholder Support and Lock-Up Agreement]

# MINDWAVE INNOVATIONS INC

By: /s/ Dr. Vin Menon
Name: Dr. Vin Menon
Title: Chief Executive Officer

[Signature Page to Stockholder Support and Lock-Up Agreement]

# EXHIBIT A

# $Stockholders\ of\ Record-Number\ of\ Shares$

Stockholder	Subject Shares	Address
Erik Emerson	750,000	6 5-1277 Ki Rd., Kamuela, Hawaii 96743
Inscobee Inc.	2,099,747	Namsung Plaza Suit 613, 130 Digital-ro, Geumcheon-
		gu, Seoul, 08580 Republic of Korea
Apimeds Inc.	4,316,618	25 Edinburg Circle, Matawan,
		New Jersey 07747

# EXHIBIT B

Merger Agreement See Attached

### **EXHIBIT C**

## **Spousal Consent**

The undersigned represents and warrants that the undersigned is the spouse of: [Name of Stockholder] and that the undersigned is familiar with the terms of the Stockholder Support and Lock-Up Agreement (the "Agreement"), dated as of December 1, 2025, MindWave Innovations Inc, a Delaware corporation (the "Company"), Apimeds Pharmaceuticals US, Inc., a Delaware corporation (the "Acquiror"), certain stockholders of the Acquiror whose names appear on the signature pages of this Agreement (each, a "Stockholder" and, collectively, the "Stockholders") and the undersigned spouse, and any other parties signatory thereto and the terms of the Merger Agreement dated as of December 1, 2025 among the Acquiror, Apimeds Merger Sub, Inc., a Delaware corporation ("Merger Sub"), the Company, Lokahi Therapeutics, Inc., a Nevada corporation, and Erik Emerson. The undersigned agrees that the interest of the undersigned's spouse in all property which is the subject of the Agreement shall be irrevocably bound by the terms of the Agreement and by any amendment, modification, waiver or termination signed by the undersigned's spouse. The undersigned further agrees that the undersigned's community property interest or quasi community property which is the subject of the Agreement shall be binding on the executors, administrators, heirs and assigns of the undersigned. The undersigned further authorizes the undersigned's spouse to amend, modify or terminate the Agreement, or waive any rights, and that each such amendment, modification, waiver or termination signed by the undersigned's spouse shall be binding on the community property interest or quasi community property interest of undersigned had signed such amendment, modification, waiver, or termination.

EXECUTED for and on behalf of:

Dated:
December\_\_, 2025

Name:

Witness:

#### **EXHIBIT D**

# JOINDER TO TRANSACTION SUPPORT AGREEMENT

This JOINDER TO STOCKHOLDER SUPPORT AND LOCK-UP AGREEMENT (this "Joinder") between MindWave Innovations Inc, a Delaware corporation (the "Company"), Apimeds Pharmaceuticals US, Inc., a Delaware corporation (the "Acquiror"), and certain stockholders of the Acquiror whose names appear on the signature pages of this Agreement (each, a "Stockholder" and, collectively, the "Stockholders") is dated [\_\_].

### BACKGROUND

- A. The Company, the Acquiror and certain stockholders of the Acquiror have entered into a Stockholder Support and Lock-Up Agreement dated December 1, 2025 (as amended, modified, supplemented, extended or restated from time to time, the "Agreement") regarding the support of the Merger and the other transactions contemplated by the Merger Agreement. Capitalized terms used but not otherwise defined shall have the meanings set forth in the Agreement.
- B. Concurrently with the Agreement, the Acquiror, Apimeds Merger Sub, Inc., a Delaware corporation ("Merger Sub"), the Company, Lokahi Therapeutics, Inc., a Nevada corporation, and Erik Emerson, are entering into an Agreement and Plan of Merger (as amended, supplemented, restated or otherwise modified from time to time, the "Merger Agreement"), under which the Company will merge with and into Merger Sub (the "Merger"), with Merger Sub surviving the Merger as a wholly owned subsidiary of the Acquiror.
- C. To induce the Company to consummate the Merger and other transactions contemplated by the Merger Agreement, [the] [each] Additional Stockholder is willing to become a party to the Agreement and be bound by all terms and conditions.
- D. In consideration of the mutual covenants contained in this Agreement, the receipt and sufficiency of which are acknowledged, the parties to this Joinder agree as follows:

## AGREEMENT

- 1. <u>Agreement to be bound</u>. [Each] [The] Additional Stockholder: (a) acknowledges that he, she or it has received and reviewed a complete copy of the Agreement and understands its terms, (b) has had sufficient opportunity to review and to ask questions and obtain the advice of his, her, or its tax advisors, legal counsel and accountants and other professional advisors before executing this Agreement, and (c) agrees that upon execution of this Joinder, it shall become a "Stockholder" under the Agreement and shall be fully bound by, and subject to, all of the covenants, duties, obligations terms and conditions of the Agreement as though an original party.
- 2. Governing Law. This Joinder and all acts and transactions under this Agreement and the rights and obligations of the parties shall be governed, construed, and interpreted in accordance with the laws of the State of Delaware applicable to contracts executed in and to be performed in that state.
  - 3. Counterparts. This Joinder may be executed in two or more counterparts, each of which shall be an original and all of which together shall constitute one instrument.

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The parties have executed this Agreement as of the date first above written.	
	STOCKHOLDER NAME
	By: Name:
	Title:
	Address:
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	Email:
Shares of Company Common Stock beneficially owned on the date of this Agreement:	

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# APIMEDS PHARMACEUTICALS US, INC.

By:
Name: Erik Emerson

Title: Chief Executive Officer

MINDWAVE INNOVATIONS INC		
By: Name: Title:	_	

#### SECURITIES PURCHASE AGREEMENT

This **SECURITIES PURCHASE AGREEMENT** (the "**Agreement**"), dated as of December 1, 2025, is by and among Apimeds Pharmaceuticals US, Inc., a Delaware corporation with offices located at 100 Matawan Road, Suite 325, New Jersey, NJ 07747 (the "**Company**"), and each of the investors listed on the Schedule of Buyers attached hereto (individually, a "**Buyer**" and collectively, the "**Buyers**").

### RECITALS

- A. On December 1, 2025, the Company entered into that certain Agreement and Plan of Merger (as in effect as of the date hereof, the "Merger Agreement"), with MindWave Innovations Inc, a Delaware corporation (the "Target"), Apimeds Merger Sub, Inc., a Delaware corporation ("Merger Sub"), Lokahi Therapeutics, Inc., a Nevada corporation ("Bio Sub"), and Erik Emerson, solely in his capacity as representative for the Bio Business (the "Bio Business Representative"), pursuant to which, among other things, the Merger Sub shall merge with and into Target (the "Merger" and the other transactions contemplated by the Merger Agreement, the "Transactions") and, at the closing thereof (the "Transaction Closing", and such date, the "Transaction Closing Date"), the Target, as the surviving entity, shall be a wholly-owned subsidiary of the Company.
- B. The Company and each Buyer is executing and delivering this Agreement in reliance upon the exemption from securities registration afforded by Section 4(a)(2) of the Securities Act of 1933, as amended (the "1933 Act"), and Rule 506(b) of Regulation D ("Regulation D") as promulgated by the United States Securities and Exchange Commission (the "SEC") under the 1933 Act.
- C. The Company has authorized a new series of senior convertible notes of the Company, in the aggregate original principal amount of up to \$120,900,000 in aggregate principal amount of senior convertible notes, substantially in the form attached hereto as <a href="Exhibit A">Exhibit A</a> (the "Notes"), which Notes shall be convertible into shares of Common Stock (as defined below) (the shares of Common Stock issuable pursuant to the terms of the Notes, including, without limitation, upon conversion, as Pre-Delivery Shares (as defined in the Notes) or otherwise, collectively, "Conversion Shares"), in accordance with the terms of the Notes.
- D. Each Buyer wishes to purchase, and the Company wishes to sell at the Initial Closing (as defined below), upon the terms and conditions stated in this Agreement, a Note in the aggregate original principal amount as set forth opposite such Buyer's name in column (3) on the Schedule of Buyers (which aggregate principal amount for all Buyers shall not exceed \$10,875,000) (each an "Initial Note", and collectively, the "Initial Notes")(the Conversion Shares issuable pursuant to the terms of the Initial Notes, including, without limitation, upon conversion or otherwise, collectively, the "Initial Conversion Shares").
- E. Subject to the terms and conditions set forth in this Agreement, each Buyer, severally, may require the Company to participate in one or more Additional Optional Closings (as defined below) for the purchase by such Buyer, and the sale by the Company, of one or more Notes with an aggregate original principal amount for all Additional Optional Closings not to exceed the maximum aggregate principal amount as set forth opposite such Buyer's name in column (4) on the Schedule of Buyers (which aggregate principal amount for all Buyers for all Additional Optional Closings shall not exceed \$13,075,000 (or such other amount as the Company and each Buyer shall mutually agree in writing)) (each an "Additional Optional Note", and collectively, the "Additional Optional Notes"); provided, that, subject to the satisfaction of the conditions below, the Company may force each Buyer to purchase the maximum aggregate principal amount of Additional Optional Notes as set forth opposite such Buyer's name in column (5) on the Schedule of Buyers (which aggregate principal amount for all Buyers for all Additional Mandatory Closings (as defined below) shall not exceed \$2,175,000 (or such other amount as the Company and each Buyer shall mutually agree in writing))(each an "Additional Mandatory Note", and collectively, the "Additional Mandatory Notes").

- F. Subject to the terms and conditions set forth in this Agreement, the Company and each Buyer may mutually agree to consummate one or more Additional Mutual Closings (as defined below) for the purchase by such Buyer, and the sale by the Company, of one or more Notes with an aggregate original principal amount for all Additional Mutual Closings not to exceed such maximum aggregate principal amount of Notes as set forth in column (6) of the Schedule of Buyers (which aggregate principal amount for all Buyers for all Additional Mutual Closings shall not exceed \$96,950,000 (or such other amount as the Company and each Buyer shall mutually agree in writing)) (each an "Additional Mutual Note", and collectively, the "Additional Mutual Notes", and together with the Additional Optional Notes and the Additional Mandatory Notes, collectively, the "Additional Notes", and the Conversion Shares issuable pursuant to the terms of the Additional Notes, including, without limitation, upon conversion or otherwise, collectively, the "Additional Conversion Shares").
- G. At the Initial Closing, the parties hereto shall execute and deliver a Registration Rights Agreement, in the form attached hereto as **Exhibit B** (the "**Registration Rights Agreement**"), pursuant to which the Company has agreed to provide certain registration rights with respect to the Registrable Securities (as defined in the Registration Rights Agreement), under the 1933 Act and the rules and regulations promulgated thereunder, and applicable state securities laws.
  - H. The Notes and the Conversion Shares are collectively referred to herein as the "Securities."

# **AGREEMENT**

NOW, THEREFORE, in consideration of the premises and the mutual covenants contained herein and for other good and valuable consideration, the receipt and sufficiency of which are hereby acknowledged, the Company and each Buyer hereby agree as follows:

### 1. PURCHASE AND SALE OF NOTES.

- (a) Purchase of Notes.
- (i) <u>Purchase of Initial Notes</u>. Subject to the satisfaction (or waiver) of the conditions set forth in Sections 6(a) and 7(a) below, the Company shall issue and sell to each Buyer, and each Buyer severally, but not jointly, agrees to purchase from the Company on the Initial Closing Date (as defined below) an Initial Note in the original principal amount as is set forth opposite such Buyer's name in column (3) on the Schedule of Buyers (the "**Initial Closing**").

- (ii) <u>Purchase of Additional Notes</u>. Subject to the satisfaction (or waiver) of the conditions set forth in Sections 1(b)(ii), 6(b) and 7(b) below, the Company shall issue and sell to such Buyer, and such Buyer severally, but not jointly, agrees to purchase from the Company certain Additional Notes on the applicable Additional Closing Date (as defined below) in such aggregate original principal amount as is set forth in such applicable Additional Closing Notice (as defined below) (each such closing of the purchase of such Additional Notes, each, an "Additional Closing").
- (b) <u>Closing</u>. Each of the Initial Closing and any Additional Closings (collectively, the "Closings") of the purchase of the Notes by the Buyers shall occur at the offices of Kelley Drye & Warren LLP, 3 World Trade Center, 175 Greenwich Street, New York, NY 10007 (or at such other time and place as is mutually agreed upon between the parties).
  - (i) <u>Initial Closing</u>. The date and time of the Initial Closing (the "**Initial Closing Date**") shall be 10:00 a.m., New York time, on the first (1st) Business Day on which the conditions to the Initial Closing set forth in Sections 6(a) and 7(a) below are satisfied or waived (or such other date as is mutually agreed to by the Company and each Buyer). As used herein "**Business Day**" means any day other than Saturday, Sunday or other day on which commercial banks in The City of New York are authorized or required by law to remain closed; <u>provided</u>, <u>however</u>, for clarification, commercial banks shall not be deemed to be authorized or required by law to remain closed due to "stay at home", "shelter-in-place", "non-essential employee" or any other similar orders or restrictions or the closure of any physical branch locations at the direction of any governmental authority so long as the electronic funds transfer systems (including for wire transfers) of commercial banks in The City of New York generally are open for use by customers on such day.

### (ii) Additional Closings at the Company's Election.

(1) General. Subject to the satisfaction (or waiver) of the conditions to closing set forth in this Section 1(b) with respect to such applicable Additional Closing and Section 6(b) and Section 7(b) below (Sections 6(b) and 7(b), collectively, the "Additional Closing Conditions"), on or after the first date on which the resale by the Buyers of the Required Registration Amount (as defined in the Registration Rights Agreement) of Registrable Securities underlying the Initial Notes and the Additional Notes issuable pursuant to this Section 1(b)(ii) is registered pursuant to a Registration Statement (as defined in the Registration Rights Agreement) of the Company declared effective by the SEC (and each prospectus contained therein is available for use by each applicable Buyer on such date) (the "Additional Mandatory Closing Eligibility Condition"), the Company shall have the right exercisable by delivery to the Buyers of one or more written notices (each an "Additional Mandatory Closing Notice", and the date of each Additional Mandatory Closing Notice, each, an "Additional Mandatory Closing Notice Date"), executed by the chief executive officer or chief financial officer of the Company, to require each Buyer to purchase at an Additional Closing (the "Additional Mandatory Closing", and such date, the "Additional Mandatory Closing Date"), subject to the satisfaction (or waiver) of the Additional Closing Conditions of an Additional Note in the aggregate original principal amount as set forth opposite such Buyer's name in column (5) on the Schedule of Buyers (which aggregate principal amount for all Buyers shall not exceed \$2,175,000) (subject to reduction, on a dollar for dollar basis to an amount not less than zero (0), for any Additional Optional Notes issued in any Additional Optional Closings prior to such date of determination). Each Additional Mandatory Closing Notice shall (A) certify that the Additional Mandatory Closing Eligibility Condition has been satisfied as of such date of determination and that, other than with respect to deliverables to be delivered to each Buyer at such Additional Mandatory Closing, all of the Additional Closing Conditions have been satisfied in full as of such applicable Additional Mandatory Closing Notice Date, (B) state the aggregate principal amount of the Additional Notes to be purchased by the Buyers (which, with respect to any given Buyer shall not exceed such aggregate principal amount of such Additional Notes as set forth opposite its name in column (4) on the Schedule of Buyers and (C) specify the proposed date of such Additional Mandatory Closing (which shall be no less than two (2) Business Days nor more than five (5) Business Days after such Additional Mandatory Closing Notice Date, subject to the right of each Buyer, by written notice to the Company, to accelerate such applicable Additional Closing Date (each, an "Additional Mandatory Closing Date") to an earlier date, not less than one (1) Trading Day after such applicable Additional Mandatory Closing Notice Date (or such other date as such Buyer and the Company shall mutually agree)), and (E) confirm whether or not such Additional Mandatory Closing Notice constitutes material non-public information. Each Additional Mandatory Closing Notice shall be irrevocable, and the Company may only deliver one Additional Mandatory Closing Notice. For the avoidance of doubt, the Buyers shall not be required to consummate any Additional Closing if on the Additional Closing Date the Company fails to satisfy the Additional Mandatory Closing Notice Eligibility Condition, if an Event of Default exists or if the Company fails to satisfy any of the other conditions to closing herein (unless waived in writing by the applicable Buyer participating in such Additional Mandatory Closing). The Company's right to require a Buyer to purchase Additional Mandatory Notes pursuant to an Additional Mandatory Closing Notice shall automatically expire at 9:00 AM EST on the earlier of (x) such date as all Additional Notes issuable hereunder have been issued hereunder and (y) the tenth (10<sup>th</sup>) Trading Day after the Additional Mandatory Closing Eligibility Condition is initially satisfied.

- (iii) Additional Closings at Buyers Election. Subject to the satisfaction (or waiver) of the Additional Closing Conditions, at any time after the Initial Closing Date, each Buyer, severally, shall have the right, exercisable by e-mail delivery of a written notice to the Company (each, an "Additional Optional Closing Notice", and the date thereof, each an "Additional Closing Notice Date") to purchase, and to require the Company to sell to such Buyer, at one or more Additional Closings (each such Closing, an "Additional Optional Closing", and the date of any such Additional Optional Closing, each, an "Additional Optional Closing Date"), up to such maximum aggregate principal amount of Additional Optional Notes equal to the amount as set forth opposite such Buyer's name in column (5) on the Schedule of Buyers (subject to reduction, on a dollar-for-dollar basis, for the aggregate principal amount of any Additional Mandatory Notes issued in any Additional Mandatory Closing prior to such applicable Additional Mandatory Closing Date)(each, an "Additional Closing Maximum Amount"). Each Additional Optional Closing Notice shall specify (x) the proposed date and time of the applicable Additional Closing (which, if unspecified in such Additional Optional Closing Notice, shall be the first (1st) Trading Day (as defined in the Notes) after such Additional Optional Closing Notice or such other date as is mutually agreed to by the Company and each Buyer) and (y) the aggregate principal amount of Additional Notes to be purchased by each Buyer at such applicable Additional Optional Closing, which shall not exceed the Additional Closing Maximum Amount of such applicable Buyer (or such other amount as the Company and such Buyer shall mutually agree). The Buyers' rights to effect any Additional Optional Closings hereunder shall terminate at 9:00 AM EST on the earlier of (x) such date as all Additional Notes issuable hereunder have been issued hereunder and (y) the 24 month anniversary of the Initial Closing Date (the "Additional Cl
- (iv) Additional Mutual Closings. At any time after the Initial Closing Date, the Company or any Buyer, severally (as applicable, the "Initiating Party") may deliver one or more written notices (each, an "Additional Mutual Closing Notice", and together with each Additional Mandatory Closing Notice, Additional Optional Closing Notice and each Additional Mandatory Closing Notice, each an "Additional Closing Notice Date," and the date of each Additional Mutual Closing Notice Date and each Additional Mandatory Closing Notice Date, each an "Additional Closing Notice Date") to the other party (the "Responding Party"), (A) requesting an Additional Closing (each, an "Additional Mutual Closing", and together with the Additional Optional Closings and the Additional Mandatory Closing, each an "Additional Closing", and the date of any such Additional Mutual Closing, each an "Additional Mutual Closing Date", and together with each Additional Optional Closing Date and Additional Mandatory Closing Date, each an "Additional Closing Date") of such aggregate principal amount of the Additional Notes to be purchased by such applicable Buyer as set forth in such Additional Mutual Closing Notice (which, together with the aggregate principal amount of any Additional Notes issued at any prior Additional Mutual Closings, shall not exceed the maximum aggregate principal amount as set forth opposite such Buyer's name in column (6) on the Schedule of Buyers), and (B) setting forth the proposed Additional Mutual Closing Date. If a Responding Party fails to execute and return such Additional Mutual Closing Notice to the Initiating Party within five (5) Business Days of receipt, such Additional Mutual Closing Notice shall be automatically cancelled. For the avoidance of doubt, no Additional Mutual Closing shall occur hereunder unless both the Company and each such applicable Buyer shall have duly executed and delivered an Additional Mutual Closing Notice with respect thereto and no party shall be under any obligation to execute and deliver an

(c) <u>Purchase Price</u>. The aggregate purchase price for the Initial Notes to be purchased by each Buyer (the "Initial Purchase Price") shall be the amount set forth opposite such Buyer's name in column (7) on the Schedule of Buyers. The aggregate purchase price for the Additional Notes to be purchased by each Buyer at any given Additional Closing (each, an "Additional Purchase Price", and together with the Initial Purchase Price, each, a "Purchase Price") which together with the Additional Purchase Price of each prior Additional Closing, shall not exceed the aggregate amount set forth opposite such Buyer's name in column (8) of the Schedule of Buyers. The aggregate purchase price for the Notes to be purchased by each Buyer at any given Closing shall be \$919.54 for each \$1,000 of aggregate principal amount of Notes.

### (d) Form of Payment.

- (i) Initial Closing. On the Initial Closing Date, (i) each Buyer shall pay its respective Initial Purchase Price (less, in the case of any Buyer, the amounts withheld pursuant to Section 4(g)) to the Company for the Initial Notes to be issued and sold to such Buyer at the Initial Closing, by wire transfer of immediately available funds in accordance with the Initial Flow of Funds Letter (as defined below) and (ii) the Company shall deliver to each Buyer an Initial Note in the aggregate original principal amount as is set forth opposite such Buyer's name in column (3) of the Schedule of Buyers, duly executed on behalf of the Company and registered in the name of such Buyer or its designee.
- (ii) Additional Closing. On each Additional Closing Date, (i) each Buyer shall pay its respective applicable Additional Purchase Price for such Additional Closing (less, in the case of any Buyer, the amounts withheld pursuant to Section 4(g)) to the Company for the Additional Notes to be issued and sold to such Buyer at each Additional Closing, by wire transfer of immediately available funds in accordance with the applicable Additional Flow of Funds Letter (as defined below) and (ii) the Company shall deliver to each Buyer an Additional Note in the aggregate original principal amount as is set forth in the applicable Additional Closing Notice to be issued to such Buyer, duly executed on behalf of the Company and registered in the name of such Buyer or its designee.

#### 2. BUYER'S REPRESENTATIONS AND WARRANTIES.

Each Buyer, severally and not jointly, represents and warrants to the Company with respect to only itself that, as of the date hereof and as of each Closing Date:

- (a) <u>Organization; Authority</u>. Such Buyer is an entity duly organized, validly existing and in good standing under the laws of the jurisdiction of its organization with the requisite power and authority to enter into and to consummate the transactions contemplated by the Transaction Documents (as defined below) to which it is a party and otherwise to carry out its obligations hereunder and thereunder.
- (b) No Public Sale or Distribution. Such Buyer (i) is acquiring its Note, and (ii) upon conversion of its Note will acquire the Conversion Shares issuable upon conversion thereof, in each case, for its own account and not with a view towards, or for resale in connection with, the public sale or distribution thereof in violation of applicable securities laws, except pursuant to sales registered or exempted under the 1933 Act; provided, however, by making the representations herein, such Buyer does not agree, or make any representation or warranty, to hold any of the Securities for any minimum or other specific term and reserves the right to dispose of the Securities at any time in accordance with or pursuant to a registration statement or an exemption from registration under the 1933 Act. Such Buyer does not presently have any agreement or understanding, directly or indirectly, with any Person to distribute any of the Securities in violation of applicable securities laws. For purposes of this Agreement, "Person" means an individual, a limited liability company, a partnership, a joint venture, a corporation, a trust, an unincorporated organization, any other entity and any Governmental Entity (as defined below) or any department or agency thereof.

- (c) Accredited Investor Status. Such Buyer is an "accredited investor" as that term is defined in Rule 501(a) of Regulation D.
- (d) Reliance on Exemptions. Such Buyer understands that the Securities are being offered and sold to it in reliance on specific exemptions from the registration requirements of United States federal and state securities laws and that the Company is relying in part upon the truth and accuracy of, and such Buyer's compliance with, the representations, warranties, agreements, acknowledgments and understandings of such Buyer set forth herein in order to determine the availability of such exemptions and the eligibility of such Buyer to acquire the Securities.
- (e) <u>Information</u>. Such Buyer and its advisors, if any, have been furnished with all materials relating to the business, finances and operations of the Company and materials relating to the offer and sale of the Securities that have been requested by such Buyer. Such Buyer and its advisors, if any, have been afforded the opportunity to ask questions of the Company. Neither such inquiries nor any other due diligence investigations conducted by such Buyer or its advisors, if any, or its representatives shall modify, amend or affect such Buyer's right to rely on the Company's representations and warranties contained herein. Such Buyer understands that its investment in the Securities involves a high degree of risk. Such Buyer has sought such accounting, legal and tax advice as it has considered necessary to make an informed investment decision with respect to its acquisition of the Securities.
- (f) No Governmental Review. Such Buyer understands that no United States federal or state agency or any other government or governmental agency has passed on or made any recommendation or endorsement of the Securities or the fairness or suitability of the investment in the Securities nor have such authorities passed upon or endorsed the merits of the offering of the Securities.
- (g) Transfer or Resale. Such Buyer understands that except as provided in the Registration Rights Agreement and Section 4(h) hereof: (i) the Securities have not been and are not being registered under the 1933 Act or any state securities laws, and may not be offered for sale, sold, assigned or transferred unless (A) subsequently registered thereunder, (B) such Buyer shall have delivered to the Company (if requested by the Company) an opinion of counsel, in a form reasonably acceptable to the Company, to the effect that such Securities to be sold, assigned or transferred pursuant to an exemption from such registration, or (C) such Buyer provides the Company with reasonable assurance that such Securities can be sold, assigned or transferred pursuant to Rule 144 or Rule 144A promulgated under the 1933 Act (or a successor rule thereto) (collectively, "Rule 144"); (ii) any sale of the Securities made in reliance on Rule 144 may be made only in accordance with the terms of Rule 144, and further, if Rule 144 is not applicable, any resale of the Securities under circumstances in which the seller (or the Person through whom the sale is made) may be deemed to be an underwriter (as that term is defined in the 1933 Act) may require compliance with some other exemption under the 1933 Act or the rules and regulations of the SEC promulgated thereunder; and (iii) neither the Company nor any other Person is under any obligation to register the Securities under the 1933 Act or any state securities laws or to comply with the terms and conditions of any exemption thereunder. Notwithstanding the foregoing, the Securities may be pledged in connection with a bona fide margin account or other loan or financing arrangement secured by the Securities and such pledge of Securities shall not be deemed to be a transfer, sale or assignment of the Securities hereunder, and no Buyer effecting a pledge of Securities shall be required to provide the Company with any notice thereof or otherwise make any delivery to the Company pursuant to this Ag

- (h) <u>Validity</u>, <u>Enforcement</u>. This Agreement and the Registration Rights Agreement have been duly and validly authorized, executed and delivered on behalf of such Buyer and shall constitute the legal, valid and binding obligations of such Buyer enforceable against such Buyer in accordance with their respective terms, except as such enforceability may be limited by general principles of equity or to applicable bankruptcy, insolvency, reorganization, moratorium, liquidation and other similar laws relating to, or affecting generally, the enforcement of applicable creditors' rights and remedies.
- (i) No Conflicts. The execution, delivery and performance by such Buyer of this Agreement and the Registration Rights Agreement and the consummation by such Buyer of the transactions contemplated hereby and thereby will not (i) result in a violation of the organizational documents of such Buyer, or (ii) conflict with, or constitute a default (or an event which with notice or lapse of time or both would become a default) under, or give to others any rights of termination, amendment, acceleration or cancellation of, any agreement, indenture or instrument to which such Buyer is a party, or (iii) result in a violation of any law, rule, regulation, order, judgment or decree (including federal and state securities laws) applicable to such Buyer, except in the case of clauses (ii) and (iii) above, for such conflicts, defaults, rights or violations which could not, individually or in the aggregate, reasonably be expected to have a material adverse effect on the ability of such Buyer to perform its obligations hereunder.
  - (j) Residency. Such Buyer is a resident of (or organized under the laws of, as applicable) that jurisdiction specified below its address on the Schedule of Buyers.

#### 3. REPRESENTATIONS AND WARRANTIES OF THE COMPANY.

The Company represents and warrants to each of the Buyers that, as of the date hereof and as of each Closing Date:

(a) Organization and Qualification. Each of the Company and each of its Subsidiaries (as defined below) are entities duly organized and validly existing and in good standing under the laws of the jurisdiction in which they are formed, and have the requisite power and authority to own their properties and to carry on their business as now being conducted and as presently proposed to be conducted. Each of the Company and each of its Subsidiaries is duly qualified as a foreign entity to do business and is in good standing in every jurisdiction in which its ownership of property or the nature of the business conducted by it makes such qualification necessary, except to the extent that the failure to be so qualified or be in good standing would not reasonably be expected to have a Material Adverse Effect (as defined below). As used in this Agreement, "Material Adverse Effect" means any material adverse effect on (i) the business, properties, assets, liabilities, operations (including results thereof), condition (financial or otherwise) or prospects of the Company or any Subsidiary, individually or taken as a whole, (ii) the transactions contemplated hereby or in any of the other Transaction Documents or any other agreements or instruments to be entered into in connection herewith or (iii) the authority or ability of the Company or any of its Subsidiaries to perform any of their respective obligations under any of the Transaction Documents (as defined below). Other than the Persons (as defined below) set forth on Schedule 3(a), the Company has no Subsidiaries. "Subsidiaries" means any Person in which the Company, directly or indirectly, (I) owns any of the outstanding capital stock or holds any equity or similar interest of such Person or (II) controls or operates all or any part of the business, operations or administration of such Person, and each of the foregoing, is individually referred to herein as a "Subsidiary."

- (b) Authorization; Enforcement; Validity. The Company has the requisite power and authority to enter into and perform its obligations under this Agreement and the other Transaction Documents and to issue the Securities in accordance with the terms hereof and thereof. The execution and delivery of this Agreement and the other Transaction Documents by the Company and its Subsidiaries, and the consummation by the Company of the transactions contemplated hereby and thereby (including, without limitation, the issuance of the Notes and the reservation for issuance and issuance of the Conversion Shares issuable upon conversion of the Notes) have been duly authorized by the Company's board of directors or other governing body, as applicable, and (other than the filing of (i) with the SEC of one or more Registration Statements in accordance with the requirements of the Registration Rights Agreement, (ii) a Listing of Additional Shares application with the Principal Market, (iii) the Stockholder Approval (as defined below), (iv) a Form D with the SEC and (v) any other filings as may be required by any state securities agencies (collectively, the "Required Approvals")) no further filing, consent or authorization is required by the Company, its Subsidiaries, their respective boards of directors or their stockholders or other governing body. This Agreement has been, and the other Transaction Documents to which it is a party will be prior to such Closing, duly executed and delivered by the Company, and each constitutes the legal, valid and binding obligations of the Company, enforceable against the Company in accordance with its respective terms, except as such enforceability may be limited by general principles of equity or applicable bankruptcy, insolvency, reorganization, moratorium, liquidation or similar laws relating to, or affecting generally, the enforcement of applicable creditors' rights and remedies and except as rights to indemnification and to contribution may be limited by federal or state securities law. "Tran
- (c) <u>Issuance of Securities</u>. The issuance of the Notes is duly authorized and upon issuance in accordance with the terms of the Transaction Documents shall be validly issued, fully paid and non-assessable and free from all preemptive or similar rights, mortgages, defects, claims, liens, pledges, charges, taxes, rights of first refusal, encumbrances, security interests and other encumbrances (collectively "Liens") with respect to the issuance thereof. As of the Initial Closing, the Company shall have reserved from its duly authorized capital stock not less than the Required Reserve Amount (as defined below). Upon issuance or conversion in accordance with the Notes, the Conversion Shares, when issued, will be validly issued, fully paid and nonassessable and free from all preemptive or similar rights or Liens with respect to the issue thereof, with the holders being entitled to all rights accorded to a holder of Common Stock. Subject to the accuracy of the representations and warranties of the Buyers in this Agreement, the offer and issuance by the Company of the Securities is exempt from registration under the 1933 Act.
- (d) No Conflicts. The execution, delivery and performance of the Transaction Documents by the Company and the consummation by the Company of the transactions contemplated hereby and thereby (including, without limitation, the issuance of the Notes and the Conversion Shares and the reservation for issuance of the Conversion Shares) will not (i) result in a violation of the Certificate of Incorporation (as defined below) (including, without limitation, any certificate of designation contained therein), Bylaws (as defined below), certificate of formation, memorandum of association, articles of association, bylaws or other organizational documents of the Company or any of its Subsidiaries, or any capital stock or other securities of the Company or any of its Subsidiaries, (ii) conflict with, or constitute a default (or an event which with notice or lapse of time or both would become a default) in any respect under, or give to others any rights of termination, amendment, acceleration or cancellation of, any agreement, indenture or instrument to which the Company or any of its Subsidiaries is a party, or (iii) result in a violation of any law, rule, regulation, order, judgment or decree (including, without limitation, foreign, federal and state securities laws and regulations and the rules and regulations of NYSE American LLC (the "Principal Market") and including all applicable foreign, federal and state laws, rules and regulations) applicable to the Company or any of its Subsidiaries is bound or affected

- (e) Consents. Neither the Company nor any Subsidiary is required to obtain any consent from, authorization or order of, or make any filing or registration with (other than the Required Approvals), any Governmental Entity (as defined below) or any regulatory or self-regulatory agency or any other Person in order for it to execute, deliver or perform any of its respective obligations under or contemplated by the Transaction Documents, in each case, in accordance with the terms hereof or thereof. All consents, authorizations, orders, filings and registrations which the Company or any Subsidiary is required to obtain pursuant to the preceding sentence have been or will be obtained or effected on or prior to the applicable Closing Date, and neither the Company nor any of its Subsidiaries are aware of any facts or circumstances which might prevent the Company or any of its Subsidiaries from obtaining or effecting any of the registration, application or filings contemplated by the Transaction Documents. The Company is not in violation of the requirements of the Principal Market and has no knowledge of any facts or circumstances which could reasonably lead to delisting or suspension of the Common Stock in the foreseeable future. "Governmental Entity" means any nation, state, county, city, town, village, district, or other political jurisdiction of any nature, federal, state, local, municipal, foreign, or other governmental or quasi-governmental authority of any nature (including any governmental agency, branch, department, official, or entity and any court or other tribunal), multi-national organization or body; or body exercising, or entitled to exercise, any administrative, executive, judicial, legislative, police, regulatory, or taxing authority or power of any nature or instrumentality of any of the foregoing, including any entity or enterprise owned or controlled by a government or a public international organization or any of the foregoing.
- (f) <u>Acknowledgment Regarding Buyer's Purchase of Securities</u>. The Company acknowledges and agrees that each Buyer is acting solely in the capacity of an arm's length purchaser with respect to the Transaction Documents and the transactions contemplated hereby and thereby and that no Buyer is (i) an officer or director of the Company or any of its Subsidiaries, (ii) an "affiliate" (as defined in Rule 144) of the Company or any of its Subsidiaries or (iii) to its knowledge, a "beneficial owner" of more than 10% of the shares of Common Stock (as defined for purposes of Rule 13d-3 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended (the "1934 Act")). The Company further acknowledges that no Buyer is acting as a financial advisor or fiduciary of the Company or any of its Subsidiaries (or in any similar capacity) with respect to the Transaction Documents and the transactions contemplated hereby and thereby, and any advice given by a Buyer or any of its representatives or agents in connection with the Transaction Documents and the transactions contemplated hereby and thereby is merely incidental to such Buyer's purchase of the Securities. The Company further represents to each Buyer that the Company's and each Subsidiarry's decision to enter into the Transaction Documents to which it is a party has been based solely on the independent evaluation by the Company, each Subsidiarry and their respective representatives.
- (g) No General Solicitation; Placement Agent's Fees. Neither the Company, nor any of its Subsidiaries or affiliates, nor any Person acting on its or their behalf, has engaged in any form of general solicitation or general advertising (within the meaning of Regulation D) in connection with the offer or sale of the Securities. The Company shall be responsible for the payment of any placement agent's fees, financial advisory fees, or brokers' commissions (other than for Persons engaged by any Buyer or its investment advisor) relating to or arising out of the transactions contemplated hereby, including, without limitation, placement agent fees payable to E.F. Hutton & Co. LLC, as placement agent (the "Placement Agent") in connection with the sale of the Securities. The fees and expenses of the Placement Agent to be paid by the Company or any of its Subsidiaries are as set forth on Schedule 3(g) attached hereto. The Company shall pay, and hold each Buyer harmless against, any liability, loss or expense (including, without limitation, attorney's fees and out-of-pocket expenses) arising in connection with any such claim. The Company acknowledges that it has engaged the Placement Agent in connection with the sale of the Securities. Other than the Placement Agent, neither the Company nor any of its Subsidiaries has engaged any placement agent or other agent in connection with the offer or sale of the Securities.
- (h) No Integrated Offering. None of the Company, its Subsidiaries or any of their affiliates, nor any Person acting on their behalf has, directly or indirectly, made any offers or sales of any security or solicited any offers to buy any security, under circumstances that would require registration of the issuance of any of the Securities under the 1933 Act, whether through integration with prior offerings or otherwise, or cause this offering of the Securities to require approval of stockholders of the Company for purposes of the 1933 Act or under any applicable stockholder approval provisions, including, without limitation, under the rules and regulations of the Principal Market or any other exchange or automated quotation system on which any of the securities of the Company are listed or designated for quotation. None of the Company, its Subsidiaries, their affiliates nor any Person acting on their behalf will take any action or steps that would require registration of the issuance of any of the Securities under the 1933 Act or cause the offering of any of the Securities to be integrated with other offerings of securities of the Company.

- (i) <u>Dilutive Effect</u>. The Company understands and acknowledges that the number of Conversion Shares will increase in certain circumstances. The Company further acknowledges that its obligation to issue the Conversion Shares pursuant to the terms of the Notes in accordance with this Agreement and the Notes are, in each case, absolute and unconditional regardless of the dilutive effect that such issuance may have on the ownership interests of other stockholders of the Company.
- (j) <u>Application of Takeover Protections; Rights Agreement.</u> The Company and its board of directors have taken all necessary action, if any, in order to render inapplicable any control share acquisition, interested stockholder, business combination, poison pill (including, without limitation, any distribution under a rights agreement), stockholder rights plan or other similar anti-takeover provision under the Certificate of Incorporation, Bylaws or other organizational documents or the laws of the jurisdiction of its incorporation or otherwise which is or could become applicable to any Buyer as a result of the transactions contemplated by this Agreement, including, without limitation, the Company's issuance of the Securities and any Buyer's ownership of the Securities. The Company and its board of directors have taken all necessary action, if any, in order to render inapplicable any stockholder rights plan or similar arrangement relating to accumulations of beneficial ownership of shares of Common Stock or a change in control of the Company or any of its Subsidiaries.
- (k) SEC Documents; Financial Statements. During the two (2) years prior to the date hereof (or such shorter time that the Company has been required to file such reports), the Company has timely filed all reports, schedules, forms, proxy statements, statements and other documents required to be filed by it with the SEC pursuant to the reporting requirements of the 1934 Act (all of the foregoing filed prior to the date hereof and all exhibits and appendices included therein and financial statements, notes and schedules thereto and documents incorporated by reference therein being hereinafter referred to as the "SEC Documents"). The Company has delivered or has made available to the Buyers or their respective representatives true, correct and complete copies of each of the SEC Documents not available on the EDGAR system. As of their respective dates, the SEC Documents complied in all material respects with the requirements of the 1934 Act and the rules and regulations of the SEC promulgated thereunder applicable to the SEC Documents, and none of the SEC Documents, at the time they were filed with the SEC, contained any untrue statement of a material fact or omitted to state a material fact required to be stated therein or necessary in order to make the statements therein, in the light of the circumstances under which they were made, not misleading. As of their respective dates, the financial statements of the Company included in the SEC Documents complied in all material respects with applicable accounting requirements and the published rules and regulations of the SEC with respect thereto as in effect as of the time of filing. Such financial statements have been prepared in accordance with generally accepted accounting principles ("GAAP"), consistently applied, during the periods involved (except (i) as may be otherwise indicated in such financial statements or the notes thereto, or (ii) in the case of unaudited interim statements, to the extent they may exclude footnotes or may be condensed or summary statements) and fairly present in all material respects the financial position of the Company as of the dates thereof and the results of its operations and cash flows for the periods then ended (subject, in the case of unaudited statements, to normal year-end audit adjustments which will not be material, either individually or in the aggregate). The reserves, if any, established by the Company or the lack of reserves, if applicable, are reasonable based upon facts and circumstances known by the Company on the date hereof and there are no loss contingencies that are required to be accrued by the Statement of Financial Accounting Standard No. 5 of the Financial Accounting Standards Board which are not provided for by the Company in its financial statements or otherwise. No other information provided by or on behalf of the Company to any of the Buyers which is not included in the SEC Documents (including, without limitation, information referred to in Section 2(e) of this Agreement or in the disclosure schedules to this Agreement) contains any untrue statement of a material fact or omits to state any material fact necessary in order to make the statements therein not misleading, in the light of the circumstance under which they are or were made. The Company is not currently contemplating to amend or restate any of the financial statements (including, without limitation, any notes or any letter of the independent accountants of the Company with respect thereto) included in the SEC Documents (the "Financial Statements"), nor is the Company currently aware of facts or circumstances which would require the Company to amend or restate any of the Financial Statements, in each case, in order for any of the Financial Statements to be in compliance with GAAP and the rules and regulations of the SEC. The Company has not been informed by its independent accountants that they recommend that the Company amend or restate any of the Financial Statements or that there is any need for the Company to amend or restate any of the Financial Statements.

- (1) Absence of Certain Changes. Since the date of the Company's most recent audited financial statements contained in a Form 10-K, there has been no material adverse change and no material adverse development in the business, assets, liabilities, properties, operations (including results thereof), condition (financial or otherwise) or prospects of the Company or any of its Subsidiaries other than the Transactions. Since the date of the Company's most recent audited financial statements contained in a Form 10-K, neither the Company nor any of its Subsidiaries has (i) declared or paid any dividends, (ii) sold any assets, individually or in the aggregate, outside of the ordinary course of business or (iii) made any capital expenditures, individually or in the aggregate, outside of the ordinary course of business. Neither the Company nor any of its Subsidiaries has taken any steps to seek protection pursuant to any law or statute relating to bankruptcy, insolvency, reorganization, receivership, liquidation or winding up, nor does the Company or any Subsidiary have any knowledge or reason to believe that any of their respective creditors intend to initiate involuntary bankruptcy proceedings or any actual knowledge of any fact which would reasonably lead a creditor to do so. The Company and its Subsidiaries, individually and on a consolidated basis, are not as of the date hereof, and after giving effect to the transactions contemplated hereby to occur at such Closing, will not be Insolvent (as defined below). For purposes of this Section 3(I), "Insolvent" means, (i) with respect to the Company and its Subsidiaries, on a consolidated basis, (A) the present fair saleable value of the Company's and its Subsidiaries' assets is less than the amount required to pay the Company's and its Subsidiaries' total Indebtedness (as defined below), (B) the Company and its Subsidiaries are unable to pay their debts and liabilities, subordinated, contingent or otherwise, as such debts and liabilities become absolute and matured or (C) the Company and its Subsidiaries intend to incur or believe that they will incur debts that would be beyond their ability to pay as such debts mature; and (ii) with respect to the Company and each Subsidiary, individually, (A) the present fair saleable value of the Company's or such Subsidiary's (as the case may be) assets is less than the amount required to pay its respective total Indebtedness, (B) the Company or such Subsidiary (as the case may be) is unable to pay its respective debts and liabilities, subordinated, contingent or otherwise, as such debts and liabilities become absolute and matured or (C) the Company or such Subsidiary (as the case may be) intends to incur or believes that it will incur debts that would be beyond its respective ability to pay as such debts mature. Neither the Company nor any of its Subsidiaries has engaged in any business or in any transaction, and is not about to engage in any business or in any transaction, for which the Company's or such Subsidiary's remaining assets constitute unreasonably small capital with which to conduct the business in which it is engaged as such business is now conducted and is proposed to be conducted.
- (m) No Undisclosed Events, Liabilities, Developments or Circumstances. No event, liability, development or circumstance has occurred or exists, or is reasonably expected to exist or occur with respect to the Company, any of its Subsidiaries or any of their respective businesses, properties, liabilities, prospects, operations (including results thereof) or condition (financial or otherwise), that (i) would be required to be disclosed by the Company under applicable securities laws on a registration statement on Form S-1 filed with the SEC relating to an issuance and sale by the Company of its Common Stock and which has not been publicly announced, (ii) could have a material adverse effect on any Buyer's investment hereunder or (iii) could have a Material Adverse Effect.
- (n) Conduct of Business; Regulatory Permits. Neither the Company nor any of its Subsidiaries is in violation of any term of or in default under its Certificate of Incorporation, any certificate of designation, preferences or rights of any other outstanding series of preferred stock of the Company or any of its Subsidiaries or Bylaws or their organizational charter, certificate of formation, memorandum of association, articles of association, Certificate of Incorporation or certificate of incorporation or bylaws, respectively. Neither the Company nor any of its Subsidiaries is in violation of any judgment, decree or order or any statute, ordinance, rule or regulation applicable to the Company or any of its Subsidiaries, and neither the Company nor any of its Subsidiaries will conduct its business in violation of any of the foregoing, except in all cases for possible violations which could not, individually or in the aggregate, have a Material Adverse Effect. Without limiting the generality of the foregoing, the Company is not in violation of any of the rules, regulations or requirements of the Principal Market and has no knowledge of any facts or circumstances that could reasonably lead to delisting or suspension of the Common Stock by the Principal Market in the foreseeable future. During the two years prior to the date hereof (or such shorter time as may be applicable), (i) the Common Stock has been listed or designated for quotation on the Principal Market, (ii) trading in the Common Stock has not been suspended by the SEC or the Principal Market and (iii) the Company has received no communication, written or oral, from the SEC or the Principal Market regarding the suspension or delisting of the Common Stock from the Principal Market. The Company and each of its Subsidiaries possess all certificates, authorizations and permits issued by the appropriate regulatory authorities necessary to conduct their respective businesses, except where the failure to possess such certificates, authorizations or permits would not have, individually or in the aggregate, a Material Adverse Effect, and neither the Company nor any such Subsidiary has received any notice of proceedings relating to the revocation or modification of any such certificate, authorization or permit. There is no agreement, commitment, judgment, injunction, order or decree binding upon the Company or any of its Subsidiaries or to which the Company or any of its Subsidiaries is a party which has or would reasonably be expected to have the effect of prohibiting or materially impairing any business practice of the Company or any of its Subsidiaries, any acquisition of property by the Company or any of its Subsidiaries or the conduct of business by the Company or any of its Subsidiaries as currently conducted other than such effects, individually or in the aggregate, which have not had and would not reasonably be expected to have a Material Adverse Effect on the Company or any of its Subsidiaries.

- (o) <u>Foreign Corrupt Practices</u>. Neither the Company, the Company's subsidiary or any director, officer, agent, employee, nor any other person acting for or on behalf of the foregoing (individually and collectively, a "**Company Affiliate**") have violated the U.S. Foreign Corrupt Practices Act (the "FCPA") or any other applicable anti-bribery or anti-corruption laws, nor has any Company Affiliate offered, paid, promised to pay, or authorized the payment of any money, or offered, given, promised to give, or authorized the giving of anything of value, to any officer, employee or any other person acting in an official capacity for any Governmental Entity to any political party or official thereof or to any candidate for political office (individually and collectively, a "**Government Official**") or to any person under circumstances where such Company Affiliate knew or was aware of a high probability that all or a portion of such money or thing of value would be offered, given or promised, directly or indirectly, to any Government Official, for the purpose of:
  - (i) (A) influencing any act or decision of such Government Official in his/her official capacity, (B) inducing such Government Official to do or omit to do any act in violation of his/her lawful duty, (C) securing any improper advantage, or (D) inducing such Government Official to influence or affect any act or decision of any Governmental Entity, or
    - (ii) assisting the Company or its Subsidiaries in obtaining or retaining business for or with, or directing business to, the Company or its Subsidiaries.
- (p) <u>Sarbanes-Oxley Act</u>. The Company and each Subsidiary is in compliance with any and all applicable requirements of the Sarbanes-Oxley Act of 2002, as amended, and any and all applicable rules and regulations promulgated by the SEC thereunder.
- (q) Transactions With Affiliates. Except as disclosed in the SEC Documents, no current or former employee, partner, director, officer or stockholder (direct or indirect) of the Company or its Subsidiaries, or any associate, or, to the knowledge of the Company, any affiliate of any thereof, or any relative with a relationship no more remote than first cousin of any of the foregoing, is presently, or has ever been, (i) a party to any transaction with the Company or its Subsidiaries (including any contract, agreement or other arrangement providing for the furnishing of services by, or rental of real or personal property from, or otherwise requiring payments to, any such director, officer or stockholder or such associate or affiliate or relative Subsidiaries (other than for ordinary course services as employees, officers or directors of the Company or any of its Subsidiaries)) or (ii) the direct or indirect owner of an interest in any corporation, firm, association or business organization which is a competitor, supplier or customer of the Company or its Subsidiaries (except for a passive investment (direct or indirect) in less than 5% of the common stock of a company whose securities are traded on or quoted through an Eligible Market (as defined below)), nor does any such Person receive income from any source other than the Company or its Subsidiaries which relates to the business of the Company or its Subsidiaries or should properly accrue to the Company or its Subsidiaries. No employee, officer, stockholder or director of the Company or any of its Subsidiaries indebted (or committed to make loans or extend or guarantee credit) to any of them, other than (i) for payment of salary for services rendered, (ii) reimbursement for reasonable expenses incurred on behalf of the Company, and (iii) for other standard employee benefits made generally available to all employees or executives (including stock option agreements outstanding under any stock option plan approved by the Board of Directors of the Company).

#### (r) Equity Capitalization.

### (i) Definitions:

- (A) "Common Stock" means (x) the Company's shares of common stock, \$0.01 par value per share, and (y) any capital stock into which such common stock shall have been changed or any share capital resulting from a reclassification of such common stock.
- (B) "**Preferred Stock**" means (x) the Company's blank check preferred stock, \$0.01 par value per share, the terms of which may be designated by the board of directors of the Company in a certificate of designations and (y) any capital stock into which such preferred stock shall have been changed or any share capital resulting from a reclassification of such preferred stock (other than a conversion of such preferred stock into Common Stock in accordance with the terms of such certificate of designations).
- (ii) <u>Authorized and Outstanding Capital Stock.</u> As of the date hereof, the authorized capital stock of the Company consists of (A) 100,000,000 shares of Common Stock, of which, 16,839,007 are issued and outstanding and 2,394,501 shares are reserved for issuance pursuant to Common Stock Equivalents (as defined below) (other than the Notes) exercisable or exchangeable for, or convertible into, shares of Common Stock and (B) 6,907,817 shares of Preferred Stock, all of which are issued and outstanding. No shares of Common Stock are held in the treasury of the Company. "Common Stock Equivalents" means any capital stock or other security of the Company or any of its Subsidiaries that is at any time and under any circumstances directly or indirectly convertible into, exercisable or exchangeable for, or which otherwise entitles the holder thereof to acquire, any capital stock or other security of the Company (including, without limitation, Common Stock) or any of its Subsidiaries. After giving effect to the Transaction Closing (including without limitation the consummation of any reverse stock split contemplated thereby), the Company will have at least 100,000,000 shares of Common Stock authorized.
- (iii) Valid Issuance; Available Shares; Affiliates. All of such outstanding shares are duly authorized and have been, or upon issuance will be, validly issued and are fully paid and nonassessable. Schedule 3(r)(iii) sets forth the number of shares of Common Stock that are (A) reserved for issuance pursuant to Common Stock Equivalents (other than the Notes) and (B) that are, as of the date hereof, owned by Persons who are "affiliates" (as defined in Rule 405 of the 1933 Act and calculated based on the assumption that only officers, directors and holders of at least 10% of the Company's issued and outstanding Common Stock are "affiliates" without conceding that any such Persons are "affiliates" for purposes of federal securities laws) of the Company or any of its Subsidiaries. Except as set forth on Schedule 3(r) (iii), no the Company's knowledge, no Person owns 10% or more of the Company's issued and outstanding shares of Common Stock (calculated based on the assumption that all Common Stock Equivalents (as defined below), whether or not presently exercisable or convertible, have been fully exercised or converted (as the case may be) taking account of any limitations on exercise or conversion (including "blockers") contained therein without conceding that such identified Person is a 10% stockholder for purposes of federal securities laws).

- (iv) Existing Securities; Obligations. Except as disclosed in the SEC Documents: (A) none of the Company's or any Subsidiary's assets. shares, interests or capital stock is subject to preemptive rights or any other similar rights or Liens suffered or permitted by the Company or any Subsidiary; (B) there are no outstanding options, warrants, scrip, rights to subscribe to, calls or commitments of any character whatsoever relating to, or securities or rights convertible into, or exercisable or exchangeable for, any shares, interests or capital stock of the Company or any of its Subsidiaries is or may become bound to issue additional shares, interests or capital stock of the Company or any of its Subsidiaries or options, warrants, scrip, rights to subscribe to, calls or commitments of any character whatsoever relating to, or securities or rights convertible into, or exercisable or exchangeable for, any shares, interests or capital stock of the Company or any of its Subsidiaries or options, warrants, scrip, rights to subscribe to, calls or commitments of any character whatsoever relating to, or securities or rights convertible into, or exercisable or exchangeable for, any shares, interests or capital stock of the Company or any of its Subsidiaries; (C) there are no agreements under which the Company or any of its Subsidiaries is obligated to register the sale of any of their securities under the 1933 Act (except pursuant to the Registration Rights Agreement); (D) there are no outstanding securities or instruments of the Company or any of its Subsidiaries which contain any redemption or similar provisions, and there are no contracts, commitments, understandings or arrangements by which the Company or any of its Subsidiaries is or may become bound to redeem a security of the Company or any of its Subsidiaries; (E) there are no securities or instruments containing anti-dilution or similar provisions that will be triggered by the issuance of the Securities; and (F) neither the Company nor any subsidiary has any stock ap
- (v) Organizational Documents. The Company has furnished to the Buyers true, correct and complete copies of the Company's Amended and Restated Certificate of Incorporation, as amended and as in effect on the date hereof (the "Certificate of Incorporation"), and the Company's Amended and Restated Bylaws, as amended and as in effect on the date hereof (the "Bylaws"), and the terms of all Common Stock Equivalents and the material rights of the holders thereof in respect thereto.
- (s) <u>Indebtedness and Other Contracts</u>. Neither the Company nor any of its Subsidiaries, (i) except as disclosed on <u>Schedule 3(s)</u>, (i) has any outstanding debt securities, notes, credit agreements, credit facilities or other agreements, documents or instruments evidencing Indebtedness of the Company or any of its Subsidiaries or by which the Company or any of its Subsidiaries is or may become bound, (ii) is a party to any contract, agreement or instrument, the violation of which, or default under which, by the other party(ies) to such contract, agreement or instrument could reasonably be expected to result in a Material Adverse Effect, (iii) has any financing statements securing obligations in any amounts filed in connection with the Company or any of its Subsidiaries; (iv) is in violation of any term of, or in default under, any contract, agreement or instrument relating to any Indebtedness, except where such violations and defaults would not result, individually or in the aggregate, in a Material Adverse Effect, or (v) is a party to any contract, agreement or instrument relating to any Indebtedness, the performance of which, in the judgment of the Company's officers, has or is expected to have a Material Adverse Effect. Neither the Company nor any of its Subsidiaries have any liabilities or obligations required to be disclosed in the SEC Documents which are not so disclosed in the SEC Documents, other than those incurred in the ordinary course of the Company's or its Subsidiaries' respective businesses and which, individually or in the aggregate, do not or could not have a Material Adverse Effect. For purposes of this Agreement: (x) "Indebtedness" of any Person means, without duplication (A) all indebtedness for borrowed money, (B) all obligations issued, undertaken or assumed as the deferred purchase price of property or services (including, without limitation, "capital leases" in accordance with GAAP) (other than trade payables entered into in the ordinary course of business consistent with past practice), (C) all reimbursement or payment obligations with respect to letters of credit, surety bonds and other similar instruments, (D) all obligations evidenced by notes, bonds, debentures or similar instruments, including obligations so evidenced incurred in connection with the acquisition of property, assets or businesses, (E) all indebtedness created or arising under any conditional sale or other title retention agreement, or incurred as financing, in either case with respect to any property or assets acquired with the proceeds of such indebtedness (even though the rights and remedies of the seller or bank under such agreement in the event of default are limited to repossession or sale of such property), (F) all monetary obligations under any leasing or similar arrangement which, in connection with GAAP, consistently applied for the periods covered thereby, is classified as a capital lease, (G) all indebtedness referred to in clauses (A) through (F) above secured by (or for which the holder of such Indebtedness has an existing right, contingent or otherwise, to be secured by) any Lien upon or in any property or assets (including accounts and contract rights) owned by any Person, even though the Person which owns such assets or property has not assumed or become liable for the payment of such indebtedness, and (H) all Contingent Obligations in respect of indebtedness or obligations of others of the kinds referred to in clauses (A) through (G) above; and (y) "Contingent Obligation" means, as to any Person, any direct or indirect liability, contingent or otherwise, of that Person with respect to any Indebtedness, lease, dividend or other obligation of another Person if the primary purpose or intent of the Person incurring such liability, or the primary effect thereof, is to provide assurance to the obligee of such liability that such liability will be paid or discharged, or that any agreements relating thereto will be complied with, or that the holders of such liability will be protected (in whole or in part) against loss with respect thereto.

- (t) <u>Litigation</u>. There is no action, suit, arbitration, proceeding, inquiry or investigation before or by the Principal Market, any court, public board, other Governmental Entity, self-regulatory organization or body pending or, to the knowledge of the Company, threatened against or affecting the Company or any of its Subsidiaries, the Common Stock or any of the Company's or its Subsidiaries' officers or directors, whether of a civil or criminal nature or otherwise, in their capacities as such. No director, officer or employee of the Company or any of its subsidiaries has willfully violated 18 U.S.C. §1519 or engaged in spoliation in reasonable anticipation of litigation. Without limitation of the foregoing, there has not been, and to the knowledge of the Company, there is not pending or contemplated, any investigation by the SEC involving the Company, any of its Subsidiaries or any current or former director or officer of the Company or any of its Subsidiaries. The SEC has not issued any stop order or other order suspending the effectiveness of any registration statement filed by the Company under the 1933 Act or the 1934 Act. After reasonable inquiry of its employees, the Company is not aware of any fact which might result in or form the basis for any such action, suit, arbitration, investigation, inquiry or other proceeding. Neither the Company nor any of its Subsidiaries is subject to any order, writ, judgment, injunction, decree, determination or award of any Governmental Entity.
- (u) <u>Insurance</u>. The Company and each of its Subsidiaries are insured by insurers of recognized financial responsibility against such losses and risks and in such amounts as management of the Company believes to be prudent and customary in the businesses in which the Company and its Subsidiaries are engaged. Neither the Company nor any such Subsidiary has been refused any insurance coverage sought or applied for, and neither the Company nor any such Subsidiary has any reason to believe that it will be unable to renew its existing insurance coverage as and when such coverage expires or to obtain similar coverage from similar insurers as may be necessary to continue its business at a cost that would not have a Material Adverse Effect.
- (v) Employee Relations. Neither the Company nor any of its Subsidiaries is a party to any collective bargaining agreement or employs any member of a union. The Company and its Subsidiaries believe that their relations with their employees are good. No current (or former) executive officer (as defined in Rule 501(f) promulgated under the 1933 Act) or other key employee of the Company or any of its Subsidiaries has notified the Company or any such Subsidiary that such officer intends to leave the Company or any such Subsidiary or otherwise terminate such officer's employment with the Company or any such Subsidiary. No current (or former) executive officer or other key employee of the Company or any of its Subsidiaries is, or is now expected to be, in violation of any material term of any employment contract, confidentiality, disclosure or proprietary information agreement, non-competition agreement, or any other contract or agreement or any restrictive covenant, and the continued employment of each such executive officer or other key employee (as the case may be) does not subject the Company or any of its Subsidiaries to any liability with respect to any of the foregoing matters. The Company and its Subsidiaries are in compliance with all federal, state, local and foreign laws and regulations respecting labor, employment and employment practices and benefits, terms and conditions of employment and wages and hours, except where failure to be in compliance would not, either individually or in the aggregate, reasonably be expected to result in a Material Adverse Effect.

### (w) Title.

(i) Real Property. Each of the Company and its Subsidiaries holds good title to all real property, leases in real property, facilities or other interests in real property owned or held by the Company or any of its Subsidiaries (the "Real Property") owned by the Company or any of its Subsidiaries (as applicable). The Real Property is free and clear of all Liens and is not subject to any rights of way, building use restrictions, exceptions, variances, reservations, or limitations of any nature except for (a) Liens for current taxes not yet due and (b) zoning laws and other land use restrictions that do not impair the present or anticipated use of the property subject thereto. Any Real Property held under lease by the Company or any of its Subsidiaries are held by them under valid, subsisting and enforceable leases with such exceptions as are not material and do not interfere with the use made and proposed to be made of such property and buildings by the Company or any of its Subsidiaries.

- (ii) <u>Fixtures and Equipment</u>. Each of the Company and its Subsidiaries (as applicable) has good title to, or a valid leasehold interest in, the tangible personal property, equipment, improvements, fixtures, and other personal property and appurtenances that are used by the Company or its Subsidiary in connection with the conduct of its business (the "**Fixtures and Equipment**"). The Fixtures and Equipment are structurally sound, are in good operating condition and repair, are adequate for the uses to which they are being put, are not in need of maintenance or repairs except for ordinary, routine maintenance and repairs and are sufficient for the conduct of the Company's and/or its Subsidiaries' businesses (as applicable) in the manner as conducted prior to such Closing. Each of the Company and its Subsidiaries owns all of its Fixtures and Equipment free and clear of all Liens except for (a) liens for current taxes not yet due and (b) zoning laws and other land use restrictions that do not impair the present or anticipated use of the property subject thereto.
- (iii) <u>Bitcoin Holdings Ownership</u>. The Company owns and holds 1000 Bitcoin (as defined below) as of the date hereof and such applicable Closing Date (the "**Bitcoin Holdings**"), which is held in its digital wallet with the bank or other financial institution set forth on Schedule 3(w)(iii) attached hereto. The Company is the lawful owner of the Bitcoin Holdings with good and marketable title thereto, free and clear of any and all Liens and the Company has the absolute right to sell, assign, convey, transfer and deliver the Bitcoin Holdings without restriction. The Bitcoin Holdings was acquired by the Company in an arms-length transaction (or mined by the Company or any of its Subsidiaries in the ordinary course of business) complying with all applicable laws, rules and/or regulations with respect thereto and neither the Company nor any of its Subsidiaries is aware of any illicit activity with respect thereto and/or the origin thereof. The purchase price for the Bitcoin Holdings, if any, has been fully paid by the Company. Neither the Company nor any of its Subsidiaries has, directly or indirectly, entered into any written or oral agreement to sell, assign, convey or transfer the Bitcoin Holdings. "**Bitcoin**" means one unit of the digital currency traded under the ticker symbol "BTC".
- (x) Intellectual Property Rights. The Company and its Subsidiaries own or possess adequate rights or licenses to use all trademarks, trade names, service marks, service mark registrations, service names, original works of authorship, patents, patent rights, copyrights, inventions, licenses, approvals, governmental authorizations, trade secrets and other intellectual property rights and all applications and registrations therefor ("Intellectual Property Rights") necessary to conduct their respective businesses as now conducted and presently proposed to be conducted. Each of the patents owned by the Company or any of its Subsidiaries is listed on Schedule 3(x)(ii). Except as set forth in Schedule 3(x)(iii), none of the Company's Intellectual Property Rights have expired or terminated or have been abandoned or are expected to expire or terminate or are expected to be abandoned, within three years from the date of this Agreement. The Company does not have any knowledge of any infringement by the Company or its Subsidiaries of Intellectual Property Rights of others. There is no claim, action or proceeding being made or brought, or to the knowledge of the Company or any of its Subsidiaries, being threatened, against the Company or any of its Subsidiaries regarding its Intellectual Property Rights. Neither the Company nor any of its Subsidiaries have taken reasonable security measures to protect the secrecy, confidentiality and value of all of their Intellectual Property Rights.

(y) Environmental Laws(i). (i) The Company and its Subsidiaries (A) are in compliance with any and all Environmental Laws (as defined below), (B) have received all permits, licenses or other approvals required of them under applicable Environmental Laws to conduct their respective businesses and (C) are in compliance with all terms and conditions of any such permit, license or approval where, in each of the foregoing clauses (A), (B) and (C), the failure to so comply could be reasonably expected to have, individually or in the aggregate, a Material Adverse Effect. The term "Environmental Laws" means all federal, state, local or foreign laws relating to pollution or protection of human health or the environment (including, without limitation, ambient air, surface water, groundwater, land surface or subsurface strata), including, without limitation, laws relating to emissions, discharges, releases or threatened releases of chemicals, pollutants, contaminants, or toxic or hazardous substances or wastes (collectively, "Hazardous Materials") into the environment, or otherwise relating to the manufacture, processing, distribution, use, treatment, storage, disposal, transport or handling of Hazardous Materials, as well as all authorizations, codes, decrees, demands or demand letters, injunctions, judgments, licenses, notices or notice letters, orders, permits, plans or regulations issued, entered, promulgated or approved thereunder.

## (ii) No Hazardous Materials:

- (A) have been disposed of or otherwise released from any Real Property of the Company or any of its Subsidiaries in violation of any Environmental Laws; or
- (B) are present on, over, beneath, in or upon any Real Property or any portion thereof in quantities that would constitute a violation of any Environmental Laws. No prior use by the Company or any of its Subsidiaries of any Real Property has occurred that violates any Environmental Laws, which violation would have a material adverse effect on the business of the Company or any of its Subsidiaries.
- (iii) Neither the Company nor any of its Subsidiaries knows of any other person who or entity which has stored, treated, recycled, disposed of or otherwise located on any Real Property any Hazardous Materials, including, without limitation, such substances as asbestos and polychlorinated biphenyls.
- (iv) None of the Real Properties are on any federal or state "Superfund" list or Liability Information System ("CERCLIS") list or any state environmental agency list of sites under consideration for CERCLIS, nor subject to any environmental related Liens.

- (z) <u>Subsidiary Rights</u>. The Company or one of its Subsidiaries has the unrestricted right to vote, and (subject to limitations imposed by applicable law) to receive dividends and distributions on, all capital securities of its Subsidiaries as owned by the Company or such Subsidiary.
- (aa) Tax Status. The Company and each of its Subsidiaries (i) has timely made or filed all foreign, federal and state income and all other tax returns, reports and declarations required by any jurisdiction to which it is subject, (ii) has timely paid all taxes and other governmental assessments and charges that are material in amount, shown or determined to be due on such returns, reports and declarations, except those being contested in good faith and (iii) has set aside on its books provision reasonably adequate for the payment of all taxes for periods subsequent to the periods to which such returns, reports or declarations apply. There are no unpaid taxes in any material amount claimed to be due by the taxing authority of any jurisdiction, and the officers of the Company and its Subsidiaries know of no basis for any such claim. The Company is not operated in such a manner as to qualify as a passive foreign investment company, as defined in Section 1297 of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986, as amended (the "Code"). The net operating loss carryforwards ("NOLs") for United States federal income tax purposes of the consolidated group of which the Company is the common parent, if any, shall not be adversely effected by the transactions contemplated hereby. The transactions contemplated hereby do not constitute an "ownership change" within the meaning of Section 382 of the Code, thereby preserving the Company's ability to utilize such NOLs.
- (bb) Internal Accounting and Disclosure Controls. The Company and each of its Subsidiaries maintains internal control over financial reporting (as such term is defined in Rule 13a-15(f) under the 1934 Act) that is effective to provide reasonable assurance regarding the reliability of financial reporting and the preparation of financial statements for external purposes in accordance with generally accepted accounting principles, including that (i) transactions are executed in accordance with management's general or specific authorizations, (ii) transactions are recorded as necessary to permit preparation of financial statements in conformity with GAAP and to maintain asset and liability accountability, (iii) access to assets or incurrence of liabilities is permitted only in accordance with management's general or specific authorization and (iv) the recorded accountability for assets and liabilities is compared with the existing assets and liabilities at reasonable intervals and appropriate action is taken with respect to any difference. The Company maintains disclosure controls and procedures (as such term is defined in Rule 13a-15(e) under the 1934 Act) that are effective in ensuring that information required to be disclosed by the Company in the reports that it files or submits under the 1934 Act is recorded, processed, summarized and reported, within the time periods specified in the rules and forms of the SEC, including, without limitation, controls and procedures designed to ensure that information required to be disclosed by the Company in the reports that it files or submits under the 1934 Act is accumulated and communicated to the Company's management, including its principal executive officer or officers and its principal financial officer or officers, as appropriate, to allow timely decisions regarding required disclosure. Neither the Company nor any of its Subsidiaries has received any notice or correspondence from any accountant, Governmental Entity or other Person relating to any potential material

- (cc) Off Balance Sheet Arrangements. There is no transaction, arrangement, or other relationship between the Company or any of its Subsidiaries and an unconsolidated or other off balance sheet entity that is required to be disclosed by the Company in its 1934 Act filings and is not so disclosed or that otherwise could be reasonably likely to have a Material Adverse Effect.
- (dd) <u>Investment Company Status</u>. The Company is not, and upon consummation of the sale of the Securities will not be, an "investment company," an affiliate of an "investment company," a company controlled by an "investment company" or an "affiliated person" of, or "promoter" or "principal underwriter" for, an "investment company" as such terms are defined in the Investment Company Act of 1940, as amended.
- (ee) Acknowledgement Regarding Buyers' Trading Activity. Subject to Section 4(z) below, it is understood and acknowledged by the Company that (i) following the public disclosure of the transactions contemplated by the Transaction Documents, in accordance with the terms thereof, none of the Buyers have been asked by the Company or any of its Subsidiaries to agree, nor has any Buyer agreed with the Company or any of its Subsidiaries, to desist from effecting any transactions in or with respect to (including, without limitation, purchasing or selling, long and/or short) any securities of the Company, or "derivative" securities based on securities issued by the Company or to hold any of the Securities for any specified term; (ii) any Buyer, and counterparties in "derivative" transactions to which any such Buyer is a party, directly or indirectly, presently may have a "short" position in the Common Stock which was established prior to such Buyer's knowledge of the transactions contemplated by the Transaction Documents; (iii) each Buyer shall not be deemed to have any affiliation with or control over any arm's length counterparty in any "derivative" transaction, and (iv) each Buyer may rely on the Company's obligation to timely deliver shares of Common Stock upon conversion or exchange, as applicable, of the Securities as and when required pursuant to the Transaction Documents for purposes of effecting trading in the Common Stock of the Company. The Company further understands and acknowledges that following the public disclosure of the transactions contemplated by the Transaction Documents pursuant to the Initial 8-K Filing (as defined below), subject to Section 4(z) below, one or more Buyers may engage in hedging and/or trading activities (including, without limitation, the location and/or reservation of borrowable shares of Common Stock) at various times during the period that the Securities are outstanding, including, without limitation, during the periods that the value and/or number of the Conversion Shares deliverable with respect to the Securities are being determined and such hedging and/or trading activities (including, without limitation, the location and/or reservation of borrowable shares of Common Stock), if any, can reduce the value of the existing stockholders' equity interest in the Company both at and after the time the hedging and/or trading activities are being conducted. The Company acknowledges that such aforementioned hedging and/or trading activities do not constitute a breach of this Agreement, the Notes or any other Transaction Document or any of the documents executed in connection herewith or therewith, subject to Section 4(z) below.
- (ff) Manipulation of Price. Neither the Company nor any of its Subsidiaries has, and, to the knowledge of the Company, no Person acting on their behalf has, directly or indirectly, (i) taken any action designed to cause or to result in the stabilization or manipulation of the price of any security of the Company or any of its Subsidiaries to facilitate the sale or resale of any of the Securities, (ii) sold, bid for, purchased, or paid any compensation for soliciting purchases of, any of the Securities (other than the Placement Agent), (iii) paid or agreed to pay to any Person any compensation for soliciting another to purchase any other securities of the Company or any of its Subsidiaries or (iv) paid or agreed to pay any Person for research services with respect to any securities of the Company or any of its Subsidiaries.

- (gg) <u>U.S. Real Property Holding Corporation</u>. Neither the Company nor any of its Subsidiaries is, or has ever been, and so long as any of the Securities are held by any of the Buyers, shall become, a U.S. real property holding corporation within the meaning of Section 897 of the Code, and the Company and each Subsidiary shall so certify upon any Buyer's request.
- (hh) Registration Eligibility. The Company is eligible to register the Registrable Securities (defined in the Registration Rights Agreement) for resale by the Buyers using Form S-1 promulgated under the 1933 Act.
- (ii) <u>Transfer Taxes</u>. On each Closing Date, all stock transfer or other taxes (other than income or similar taxes) which are required to be paid in connection with the issuance, sale and transfer of the Securities to be sold to each Buyer hereunder will be, or will have been, fully paid or provided for by the Company, and all laws imposing such taxes will be or will have been complied with.

## (jj) Bank Holding Company Act; Regulation U or X.

- (i) Neither the Company nor any of its Subsidiaries is subject to the Bank Holding Company Act of 1956, as amended (the "BHCA") and to regulation by the Board of Governors of the Federal Reserve System of the United States (the "Federal Reserve"). Neither the Company nor any of its Subsidiaries or affiliates owns or controls, directly or indirectly, five percent (5%) or more of the outstanding shares of any class of voting securities or twenty-five percent (25%) or more of the total equity of a bank or any entity that is subject to the BHCA and to regulation by the Federal Reserve. Neither the Company nor any of its Subsidiaries or affiliates exercises a controlling influence over the management or policies of a bank or any entity that is subject to the BHCA and to regulation by the Federal Reserve.
- (ii) The sale of the Notes, the use of proceeds thereof and the other transactions contemplated thereby or by the other Transaction Documents, will not violate or be inconsistent with the provisions of Regulation U or X of the Board of Governors of the Federal Reserve.
- (kk) Illegal or Unauthorized Payments; Political Contributions. Neither the Company nor any of its Subsidiaries nor, to the best of the Company's knowledge (after reasonable inquiry of its officers and directors), any of the officers, directors, employees, agents or other representatives of the Company or any of its Subsidiaries or any other business entity or enterprise with which the Company or any Subsidiary is or has been affiliated or associated, has, directly or indirectly, made or authorized any payment, contribution or gift of money, property, or services, whether or not in contravention of applicable law, (i) as a kickback or bribe to any Person or (ii) to any political organization, or the holder of or any aspirant to any elective or appointive public office except for personal political contributions not involving the direct or indirect use of funds of the Company or any of its Subsidiaries.

- (II) Money Laundering. The Company and its Subsidiaries are in compliance with, and have not previously violated, the USA Patriot Act of 2001 and all other applicable U.S. and non-U.S. anti-money laundering laws and regulations, including, without limitation, the laws, regulations and Executive Orders and sanctions programs administered by the U.S. Office of Foreign Assets Control, including, but not limited, to (i) Executive Order 13224 of September 23, 2001 entitled, "Blocking Property and Prohibiting Transactions With Persons Who Commit, Threaten to Commit, or Support Terrorism" (66 Fed. Reg. 49079 (2001)); and (ii) any regulations contained in 31 CFR, Subtitle B, Chapter V.
- (mm) <u>Management</u>. Except as set forth in <u>Schedule 3(mm)</u> hereto, during the past five year period, no current or former officer or director or, to the knowledge of the Company, no current ten percent (10%) or greater stockholder of the Company or any of its Subsidiaries has been the subject of:
  - (i) a petition under bankruptcy laws or any other insolvency or moratorium law or the appointment by a court of a receiver, fiscal agent or similar officer for such Person, or any partnership in which such person was a general partner at or within two years before the filing of such petition or such appointment, or any corporation or business association of which such person was an executive officer at or within two years before the time of the filing of such petition or such appointment;
  - (ii) a conviction in a criminal proceeding or a named subject of a pending criminal proceeding (excluding traffic violations that do not relate to driving while intoxicated or driving under the influence);
  - (iii) any order, judgment or decree, not subsequently reversed, suspended or vacated, of any court of competent jurisdiction, permanently or temporarily enjoining any such person from, or otherwise limiting, the following activities:
    - (1) Acting as a futures commission merchant, introducing broker, commodity trading advisor, commodity pool operator, floor broker, leverage transaction merchant, any other person regulated by the United States Commodity Futures Trading Commission or an associated person of any of the foregoing, or as an investment adviser, underwriter, broker or dealer in securities, or as an affiliated person, director or employee of any investment company, bank, savings and loan association or insurance company, or engaging in or continuing any conduct or practice in connection with such activity;
      - (2) Engaging in any particular type of business practice; or
    - (3) Engaging in any activity in connection with the purchase or sale of any security or commodity or in connection with any violation of securities laws or commodities laws;
  - (iv) any order, judgment or decree, not subsequently reversed, suspended or vacated, of any authority barring, suspending or otherwise limiting for more than sixty (60) days the right of any such person to engage in any activity described in the preceding sub paragraph, or to be associated with persons engaged in any such activity;

- (v) a finding by a court of competent jurisdiction in a civil action or by the SEC or other authority to have violated any securities law, regulation or decree and the judgment in such civil action or finding by the SEC or any other authority has not been subsequently reversed, suspended or vacated; or
- (vi) a finding by a court of competent jurisdiction in a civil action or by the Commodity Futures Trading Commission to have violated any federal commodities law, and the judgment in such civil action or finding has not been subsequently reversed, suspended or vacated.
- (nn) Stock Option Plans(b). Each stock option granted by the Company was granted (i) in accordance with the terms of the applicable stock option plan of the Company and (ii) with an exercise price at least equal to the fair market value of the Common Stock on the date such stock option would be considered granted under GAAP and applicable law. No stock option granted under the Company's stock option plan has been backdated. The Company has not knowingly granted, and there is no and has been no policy or practice of the Company to knowingly grant, stock options prior to, or otherwise knowingly coordinate the grant of stock options with, the release or other public announcement of material information regarding the Company or its Subsidiaries or their financial results or prospects.
- (oo) No Disagreements with Accountants and Lawyers(c). There are no material disagreements of any kind presently existing, or reasonably anticipated by the Company to arise, between the Company and the accountants and lawyers formerly or presently employed by the Company and the Company is current with respect to any fees owed to its accountants and lawyers which could affect the Company's ability to perform any of its obligations under any of the Transaction Documents. In addition, on or prior to the date hereof, the Company had discussions with its accountants about its financial statements previously filed with the SEC. Based on those discussions, the Company has no reason to believe that it will need to restate any such financial statements or any part thereof.
- (pp) No Disqualification Events(d). With respect to Securities to be offered and sold hereunder in reliance on Rule 506(b) under the 1933 Act ("Regulation D Securities"), none of the Company, any of its predecessors, any affiliated issuer, any director, executive officer, other officer of the Company participating in the offering contemplated hereby, any beneficial owner of 20% or more of the Company's outstanding voting equity securities, calculated on the basis of voting power, nor any promoter (as that term is defined in Rule 405 under the 1933 Act) connected with the Company in any capacity at the time of sale (each, an "Issuer Covered Person" and, together, "Issuer Covered Persons") is subject to any of the "Bad Actor" disqualifications described in Rule 506(d)(1)(i) to (viii) under the 1933 Act (a "Disqualification Event"), except for a Disqualification Event covered by Rule 506(d)(2) or (d)(3). The Company has exercised reasonable care to determine whether any Issuer Covered Person is subject to a Disqualification Event. The Company has complied, to the extent applicable, with its disclosure obligations under Rule 506(e), and has furnished to the Buyers a copy of any disclosures provided thereunder.
- (qq) Other Covered Persons(e). The Company is not aware of any Person (other than the Placement Agent) that has been or will be paid (directly or indirectly) remuneration for solicitation of Buyers or potential purchasers in connection with the sale of any Regulation D Securities.

- (rr) No Additional Agreements. The Company does not have any agreement or understanding with any Buyer with respect to the transactions contemplated by the Transaction Documents other than as specified in the Transaction Documents.
- (ss) <u>Public Utility Holding Act</u>. None of the Company nor any of its Subsidiaries is a "holding company," or an "affiliate" of a "holding company," as such terms are defined in the Public Utility Holding Act of 2005.
  - (tt) Federal Power Act. None of the Company nor any of its Subsidiaries is subject to regulation as a "public utility" under the Federal Power Act, as amended.
- (uu) <u>Ranking of Notes</u>. No Indebtedness of the Company, at such Closing, will be senior to, or *pari passu* with, the Notes in right of payment, whether with respect to payment or redemptions, interest, damages, upon liquidation or dissolution or otherwise.
- (vv) Cybersecurity. The Company and its Subsidiaries' information technology assets and equipment, computers, systems, networks, hardware, software, websites, applications, and databases (collectively, "IT Systems") are adequate for, and operate and perform in all material respects as required in connection with the operation of the business of the Company and its subsidiaries as currently conducted, free and clear of all material bugs, errors, defects, Trojan horses, time bombs, malware and other corruptants that would reasonably be expected to have a Material Adverse Effect on the Company's business. The Company and its Subsidiaries have implemented and maintained commercially reasonable physical, technical and administrative controls, policies, procedures, and safeguards to maintain and protect their material confidential information and the integrity, continuous operation, redundancy and security of all IT Systems and data, including "Personal Data," used in connection with their businesses. "Personal Data" means (i) a natural person's name, street address, telephone number, e-mail address, photograph, social security number or tax identification number, driver's license number, passport number, credit card number, bank information, or customer or account number; (ii) any information which would qualify as "personally identifying information" under the Federal Trade Commission Act, as amended; (iii) "personal data" as defined by the European Union General Data Protection Regulation ("GDPR") (EU 2016/679); (iv) any information which would qualify as "protected health information" under the Health Insurance Portability and Accountability Act of 1996, as amended by the Health Information Technology for Economic and Clinical Health Act (collectively, "HIPAA"); and (v) any other piece of information that allows the identification of such natural person, or his or her family, or permits the collection or analysis of any data related to an identified person's health or sexual orientation. There have been no breaches, violations, outages or unauthorized uses of or accesses to same, except for those that have been remedied without material cost or liability or the duty to notify any other person or such, nor any incidents under internal review or investigations relating to the same except in each case, where such would not, either individually or in the aggregate, reasonably be expected to result in a Material Adverse Effect. The Company and its Subsidiaries are presently in compliance with all applicable laws or statutes and all judgments, orders, rules and regulations of any court or arbitrator or governmental or regulatory authority, internal policies and contractual obligations relating to the privacy and security of IT Systems and Personal Data and to the protection of such IT Systems and Personal Data from unauthorized use, access, misappropriation or modification except in each case, where such would not, either individually or in the aggregate, reasonably be expected to result in a Material Adverse Effect.

(ww) Compliance with Data Privacy Laws. The Company and its Subsidiaries are, and at all prior times were, in compliance with all applicable state and federal data privacy and security laws and regulations, including without limitation HIPAA, and the Company and its Subsidiaries have taken commercially reasonable actions to prepare to comply with, and since May 25, 2018, have been and currently are in compliance with, the GDPR (EU 2016/679) (collectively, the "Privacy Laws") except in each case, where such would not, either individually or in the aggregate, reasonably be expected to result in a Material Adverse Effect. To ensure compliance with the Privacy Laws, the Company and its Subsidiaries have in place, comply with, and take appropriate steps reasonably designed to ensure compliance in all material respects with their policies and procedures relating to data privacy and security and the collection, storage, use, disclosure, handling, and analysis of Personal Data (the "Policies"). Except in each case, where such would not, either individually or in the aggregate, reasonably be expected to result in a Material Adverse Effect, the Company and its Subsidiaries have made all disclosures to users or customers required by applicable laws and regulatory rules or requirements, and none of such disclosures made or contained in any Policy have, to the knowledge of the Company, been inaccurate or in violation of any applicable laws and regulatory rules or requirements in any material respect. The Company further certifies that neither it nor any Subsidiary: (i) has received notice of any actual or potential liability under or relating to, or actual or potential violation of, any of the Privacy Laws, and has no knowledge of any event or condition that would reasonably be expected to result in any such notice; (ii) is currently conducting or paying for, in whole or in part, any investigation, remediation, or other corrective action pursuant to any Privacy Law; or (iii) is a party to any order, decree, or agreement tha

(xx) Disclosure. The Company confirms that neither it nor any other Person acting on its behalf has provided any of the Buyers or their agents or counsel with any information that constitutes or could reasonably be expected to constitute material, non-public information concerning the Company or any of its Subsidiaries, other than the existence of the transactions contemplated by this Agreement and the other Transaction Documents. The Company understands and confirms that each of the Buyers will rely on the foregoing representations in effecting transactions in securities of the Company. All disclosure provided to the Buyers regarding the Company and its Subsidiaries, their businesses and the transactions contemplated hereby, including the schedules to this Agreement, furnished by or on behalf of the Company or any of its Subsidiaries is true and correct and does not contain any untrue statement of a material fact or omit to state any material fact necessary in order to make the statements made therein, in the light of the circumstances under which they were made, not misleading. All of the written information furnished after the date hereof by or on behalf of the Company or any of its Subsidiaries to each Buyer pursuant to or in connection with this Agreement and the other Transaction Documents, taken as a whole, will be true and correct in all material respects as of the date on which such information is so provided and will not contain any untrue statement of a material fact or omit to state any material fact necessary in order to make the statements made therein, in the light of the circumstances under which they were made, not misleading. Each press release issued by the Company or any of its Subsidiaries during the twelve (12) months preceding the date of this Agreement did not at the time of release contain any untrue statement of a material fact or omit to state a material fact required to be stated therein or necessary in order to make the statements therein, in the light of the circumstances under which they are made, not misleading. No event or circumstance has occurred or information exists with respect to the Company or any of its Subsidiaries or its or their business, properties, liabilities, prospects, operations (including results thereof) or conditions (financial or otherwise), which, under applicable law, rule or regulation, requires public disclosure at or before the date hereof or announcement by the Company but which has not been so publicly disclosed. All financial projections and forecasts that have been prepared by or on behalf of the Company or any of its Subsidiaries and made available to you have been prepared in good faith based upon reasonable assumptions and represented, at the time each such financial projection or forecast was delivered to each Buyer, the Company's best estimate of future financial performance (it being recognized that such financial projections or forecasts are not to be viewed as facts and that the actual results during the period or periods covered by any such financial projections or forecasts may differ from the projected or forecasted results). The Company acknowledges and agrees that no Buyer makes or has made any representations or warranties with respect to the transactions contemplated hereby other than those specifically set forth in Section 2.

(yy) Insurance. The Company and each of its Subsidiaries are insured by insurers of recognized financial responsibility against such losses and risks and in such amounts as management of the Company believes to be prudent and customary in the businesses in which the Company and its Subsidiaries are engaged (including, without limitation \$10,000,000 of director's and officer's insurance). Neither the Company nor any such Subsidiary has been refused any insurance coverage sought or applied for, and neither the Company nor any such Subsidiary has any reason to believe that it will be unable to renew its existing insurance coverage as and when such coverage expires or to obtain similar coverage from similar insurers as may be necessary to continue its business at a cost that would not have a Material Adverse Effect.

## 4. COVENANTS.

- (a) <u>Best Efforts</u>. Each Buyer shall use its best efforts to timely satisfy each of the covenants hereunder and conditions to be satisfied by it as provided in Section 6 of this Agreement. The Company shall use its best efforts to timely satisfy each of the covenants hereunder and conditions to be satisfied by it as provided in Section 7 of this Agreement.
- (b) Form D and Blue Sky. The Company shall file a Form D with respect to the Securities as required under Regulation D and to provide a copy thereof to each Buyer promptly after such filing. The Company shall, on or before each Closing Date, take such action as the Company shall reasonably determine is necessary in order to obtain an exemption for, or to, qualify the Securities for sale to the Buyers at the applicable Closing pursuant to this Agreement under applicable securities or "Blue Sky" laws of the states of the United States (or to obtain an exemption from such qualification), and shall provide evidence of any such action so taken to the Buyers on or prior to each Closing Date. Without limiting any other obligation of the Company under this Agreement, the Company shall timely make all filings and reports relating to the offer and sale of the Securities required under all applicable securities laws (including, without limitation, all applicable federal securities laws and all applicable "Blue Sky" laws), and the Company shall comply with all applicable foreign, federal, state and local laws, statutes, rules, regulations and the like relating to the offering and sale of the Securities to the Buyers.
- (c) Reporting Status. Until the date on which the Buyers shall have sold all of the Registrable Securities (the "Reporting Period"), the Company shall timely file all reports required to be filed with the SEC pursuant to the 1934 Act, and the Company shall not terminate its status as an issuer required to file reports under the 1934 Act even if the 1934 Act or the rules and regulations thereunder would no longer require or otherwise permit such termination. From the time Form S-3 is available to the Company for the registration of the Registrable Securities, the Company shall take all actions necessary to maintain its eligibility to register the Registrable Securities for resale by the Buyers on Form S-3.
- (d) <u>Use of Proceeds</u>. The Company will use the proceeds from the sale of the Securities for general corporate purposes, but not, directly or indirectly, for (i) except as set forth on Schedule 4(d), the satisfaction of any indebtedness of the Company or any of its Subsidiaries, (ii) the redemption or repurchase of any securities of the Company or any of its Subsidiaries, or (iii) the settlement of any outstanding litigation.

- (e) Financial Information. The Company agrees to send the following to each Investor (as defined in the Registration Rights Agreement) during the Reporting Period (i) unless the following are filed with the SEC through EDGAR and are available to the public through the EDGAR system, within one (1) Business Day after the filing thereof with the SEC, a copy of its Annual Reports on Form 10-K and Quarterly Reports on Form 10-Q, any interim reports or any consolidated balance sheets, income statements, stockholders' equity statements and/or cash flow statements for any period other than annual, any Current Reports on Form 8-K and any registration statements (other than on Form S-8) or amendments filed pursuant to the 1933 Act, (ii) unless the following are either filed with the SEC through EDGAR or are otherwise widely disseminated via a recognized news release service (such as PR Newswire), on the same day as the release thereof, e-mail copies of all press releases issued by the Company or any of its Subsidiaries and (iii) unless the following are filed with the SEC through EDGAR, copies of any notices and other information made available or given to the stockholders of the Company generally, contemporaneously with the making available or giving thereof to the stockholders.
- (f) <u>Listing</u>. The Company shall promptly secure the listing or designation for quotation (as the case may be) of all of the Registrable Securities upon each national securities exchange and automated quotation system, if any, upon which the Common Stock is then listed or designated for quotation (as the case may be) (subject to official notice of issuance) and shall maintain such listing or designation for quotation (as the case may be) of all Registrable Securities from time to time issuable under the terms of the Transaction Documents on such national securities exchange or automated quotation system. The Company shall maintain the Common Stock's listing or authorization for quotation (as the case may be) on The New York Stock Exchange, the NYSE American, the Nasdaq Capital Market, the Nasdaq Global Market or the Nasdaq Global Select Market (each, an "Eligible Market"). Neither the Company nor any of its Subsidiaries shall take any action which could be reasonably expected to result in the delisting or suspension of the Common Stock on an Eligible Market. The Company shall pay all fees and expenses in connection with satisfying its obligations under this Section 4(f).
- (g) Fees. The Company shall reimburse the lead Buyer for all costs and expenses incurred by it or its affiliates in connection with the structuring, documentation, negotiation and closing of the transactions contemplated by the Transaction Documents (including, without limitation, as applicable, (x) at the Initial Closing, a non-accountable amount of \$125,000 for the fees and expenses of Kelley Drye & Warren LLP, and (y) at each Additional Closing, a non-accountable amount of \$35,000 for the fees and expenses of Kelley Drye & Warren LLP for the costs and expenses incurred by it or its affiliates in connection with the structuring, documentation, negotiation and closing of the transactions contemplated by the Transaction Documents (including, without limitation, as applicable, all legal fees of outside counsel and disbursements of Kelley Drye & Warren LLP, any other reasonable fees and expenses in connection with the structuring, documentation, negotiation and closing of the transactions contemplated by the Transaction Documents and due diligence and regulatory filings in connection therewith) (the "Transaction Expenses")) and shall be withheld by the lead Buyer from its applicable Purchase Price at the applicable Closing, less \$50,000 previously paid by the Company to any such Buyer; provided, that the Company shall promptly reimburse Kelley Drye & Warren LLP on demand for all Transaction Expenses not so reimbursed through such withholding at such Closing. The Company shall be responsible for the payment of any placement agent's fees, financial advisory fees, Controlled Account Bank fees, transfer agent fees, DTC (as defined below) fees or broker's commissions (other than for Persons engaged by any Buyer) relating to or arising out of the transactions contemplated hereby (including, without limitation, any fees or commissions payable to the Placement Agent, who is the Company's sole placement agent in connection with the transaction Documents, each party to this Agreement shall bear its own expenses in connecti

(h) Pledge of Securities. Notwithstanding anything to the contrary contained in this Agreement, the Company acknowledges and agrees that the Securities may be pledged by an Investor in connection with a bona fide margin agreement or other loan or financing arrangement that is secured by the Securities. The pledge of Securities shall not be deemed to be a transfer, sale or assignment of the Securities hereunder, and no Investor effecting a pledge of Securities shall be required to provide the Company with any notice thereof or otherwise make any delivery to the Company pursuant to this Agreement or any other Transaction Document, including, without limitation, Section 2(g) hereof; provided that an Investor and its pledgee shall be required to comply with the provisions of Section 2(g) hereof in order to effect a sale, transfer or assignment of Securities to such pledgee. The Company hereby agrees to execute and deliver such documentation as a pledgee of the Securities may reasonably request in connection with a pledge of the Securities to such pledgee by a Buyer.

#### (i) Disclosure of Transactions and Other Material Information.

## (i) Disclosure of Transaction.

(1) Initial Closing. The Company shall, on or before 9:30 a.m., New York time, on the second (2<sup>nd</sup>) Business Day after the date of this Agreement, issue a press release (the "Initial Press Release") reasonably acceptable to the Buyers disclosing all the material terms of the transactions contemplated by the Transaction Documents. On or before 9:30 a.m., New York time, on the second (2<sup>nd</sup>) Business Day after the date of this Agreement, the Company shall file a Current Report on Form 8-K describing all the material terms of the transactions contemplated by the Transaction Documents in the form required by the 1934 Act and attaching all the material Transaction Documents (including, without limitation, this Agreement (and all schedules to this Agreement), the form of Notes, the form of Lock-Up Agreements and the form of the Registration Rights Agreement) (the "Initial 8-K Filing"). From and after the filing of the Initial 8-K Filing, the Company shall have disclosed all material, non-public information (if any) provided to any of the Buyers by the Company or any of its Subsidiaries or any of their respective officers, directors, employees or agents in connection with the transactions contemplated by the Transaction Documents. In addition, effective upon the filing of the Initial 8-K Filing, the Company acknowledges and agrees that any and all confidentiality or similar obligations under any agreement, whether written or oral, between the Company, any of its Subsidiaries or any of their respective officers, directors, affiliates, employees or agents, on the one hand, and any of the Buyers or any of their affiliates, on the other hand, shall terminate.

- (2) Additional Closings. The Company shall, on or before 9:30 a.m., New York time, on the second (2nd) Business Day after either (x) the Company receives (or delivers with respect to such applicable Additional Mandatory Closing or in its capacity of an Initiating Party to any Responding Party that elects to participate in such applicable Additional Mutual Closing) or (y) receives from a Buyer, as applicable, an Additional Closing Notice, either issue a press release (each, an "Additional Press Release", and together with the Initial Press Release, the "Press Releases") or file a Current Report on Form 8-K (each, an "Additional S-K Filing", and together with the Initial 8-K Filings, the "8-K Filings"), in each case reasonably acceptable to such Buyer participating in such Additional Closing, disclosing that, as applicable, either (I) "an institutional investor" has elected to deliver an Additional Closing Notice to the Company or (II) the Company and "an institutional investor" has mutually agreed to effect an Additional Closing. From and after the filing of the Additional Press Release or Additional 8-K Filing, solely to the extent such Additional Closing Notice constitutes material non-public information (as specified by the Company in such applicable Additional Notice), the Company shall have disclosed all material, non-public information (if any) provided to any of the Buyers by the Company or any of its Subsidiaries or any of their respective officers, directors, employees or agents in connection with the transactions contemplated by the Transaction Documents. In addition, effective upon the filing of the Additional 8-K Filing, the Company acknowledges and agrees that any and all confidentiality or similar obligations under any agreement, whether written or oral, between the Company, any of its Subsidiaries or any of their respective officers, directors, affiliates, employees or agents, on the one hand, and any of the Buyers or any of their affiliates, on the other hand, shall terminate.
- (ii) Limitations on Disclosure. The Company shall not, and the Company shall cause each of its Subsidiaries and each of its and their respective officers, directors, employees and agents not to, provide any Buyer with any material, non-public information regarding the Company or any of its Subsidiaries from and after the date hereof without the express prior written consent of such Buyer (which may be granted or withheld in such Buyer's sole discretion). In the event of a breach of any of the foregoing covenants, including, without limitation, Section 4(o) of this Agreement, or any of the covenants or agreements contained in any other Transaction Document, by the Company, any of its Subsidiaries, or any of its or their respective officers, directors, employees and agents (as determined in the reasonable good faith judgment of such Buyer), in addition to any other remedy provided herein or in the Transaction Documents, such Buyer shall have the right to make a public disclosure, in the form of a press release, public advertisement or otherwise, of such breach or such material, non-public information, as applicable, without the prior approval by the Company, any of its Subsidiaries, or any of its or their respective officers, directors, employees or agents. No Buyer shall have any liability to the Company, any of its Subsidiaries, or any of its or their respective officers, directors, employees, affiliates, stockholders or agents, for any such disclosure. To the extent that the Company delivers any material, non-public information to a Buyer without such Buyer's consent, the Company hereby covenants and agrees that such Buyer shall not have any duty of confidentiality with respect to, or a duty not to trade on the basis of, such material, non-public information. Subject to the foregoing, neither the Company, its Subsidiaries nor any Buyer shall issue any press releases or any other public statements with respect to the transactions contemplated hereby; provided, however, the Company shall be entitled, without the prior approval of any Buyer, to make the Press Releases and any press release or other public disclosure with respect to such transactions (i) in substantial conformity with the 8-K Filings and contemporaneously therewith and (ii) as is required by applicable law and regulations (provided that in the case of clause (i) each Buyer shall be consulted by the Company in connection with any such press release or other public disclosure prior to its release). Without the prior written consent of the applicable Buyer (which may be granted or withheld in such Buyer's sole discretion), the Company shall not (and shall cause each of its Subsidiaries and affiliates to not) disclose the name of such Buyer in any filing, announcement, release or otherwise. Notwithstanding anything contained in this Agreement to the contrary and without implication that the contrary would otherwise be true, the Company expressly acknowledges and agrees that no Buyer shall have (unless expressly agreed to by a particular Buyer after the date hereof in a written definitive and binding agreement executed by the Company and such particular Buyer (it being understood and agreed that no Buyer may bind any other Buyer with respect thereto)), any duty of confidentiality with respect to, or a duty not to trade on the basis of, any material, non-public information regarding the Company or any of its Subsidiaries.

- (iii) Other Confidential Information. Disclosure Failures; Disclosure Delay Payments. In addition to other remedies set forth in this Section 4(i), and without limiting anything set forth in any other Transaction Document, at any time after each Closing Date if the Company, any of its Subsidiaries, or any of their respective officers, directors, employees or agents, provides any Buyer with material non-public information relating to the Company or any of its Subsidiaries (each, the "Confidential Information"), the Company shall, on or prior to the applicable Required Disclosure Date (as defined below), publicly disclose such Confidential Information on a Current Report on Form 8-K or otherwise (each, a "Disclosure"). From and after such Disclosure, the Company shall have disclosed all Confidential Information provided to such Buyer by the Company or any of its Subsidiaries or any of their respective officers, directors, employees or agents in connection with the transactions contemplated by the Transaction Documents. In addition, effective upon such Disclosure, the Company acknowledges and agrees that any and all confidentiality or similar obligations under any agreement, whether written or oral, between the Company, any of its Subsidiaries or any of their respective officers, directors, affiliates, employees or agents, on the one hand, and any of the Buyers or any of their affiliates, on the other hand, shall terminate. In the event that the Company fails to effect such Disclosure on or prior to the Required Disclosure Date and such Buyer shall have possessed Confidential Information for at least ten (10) consecutive Trading Days (each, a "Disclosure Failure"), then, as partial relief for the damages to such Buyer by reason of any such delay in, or reduction of, its ability to buy or sell shares of Common Stock after such Required Disclosure Date (which remedy shall not be exclusive of any other remedies available at law or in equity), the Company shall pay to such Buyer an amount in cash equal to the greater of (I) one percent (1%) of the aggregate Purchase Price and (II) the applicable Disclosure Restitution Amount, on each of the following dates (each, a "Disclosure Delay Payment Date"): (i) on the date of such Disclosure Failure and (ii) on every thirty (30) day anniversary such Disclosure Failure until the earlier of (x) the date such Disclosure Failure is cured and (y) such time as all such non-public information provided to such Buyer shall cease to be Confidential Information (as evidenced by a certificate, duly executed by an authorized officer of the Company to the foregoing effect) (such earlier date, as applicable, a "Disclosure Cure Date"). Following the initial Disclosure Delay Payment for any particular Disclosure Failure, without limiting the foregoing, if a Disclosure Cure Date occurs prior to any thirty (30) day anniversary of such Disclosure Failure, then such Disclosure Delay Payment (prorated for such partial month) shall be made on the second (2nd) Business Day after such Disclosure Cure Date. The payments to which an Investor shall be entitled pursuant to this Section 4(1)(iii) are referred to herein as "Disclosure Delay Payments." In the event the Company fails to make Disclosure Delay Payments in a timely manner in accordance with the foregoing, such Disclosure Delay Payments shall bear interest at the rate of one percent (1%) per month (prorated for partial months) until paid in full.
  - (iv) For the purpose of this Agreement the following definitions shall apply:
  - (1) "Disclosure Failure Market Price" means, as of any Disclosure Delay Payment Date, the price computed as the quotient of (I) the sum of the five (5) highest VWAPs (as defined in the Notes) of the Common Stock during the applicable Disclosure Restitution Period (as defined below), divided by (II) five (5) (such period, the "Disclosure Failure Measuring Period"). All such determinations to be appropriately adjusted for any share dividend, share split, share combination, reclassification or similar transaction that proportionately decreases or increases the Common Stock during such Disclosure Failure Measuring Period.
  - (2) "Disclosure Restitution Amount" means, as of any Disclosure Delay Payment Date, the product of (x) difference of (I) the Disclosure Failure Market Price less (II) the lowest purchase price, per share of Common Stock, of any Common Stock issued or issuable to such Buyer pursuant to this Agreement or any other Transaction Documents, multiplied by (y) 10% of the aggregate daily dollar trading volume (as reported on Bloomberg (as defined in the Notes)) of the Common Stock on the Principal Market for each Trading Day (as defined in the Notes) either (1) with respect to the initial Disclosure Delay Payment Date, during the period commencing on the applicable Required Disclosure Date through and including the Trading Day immediately prior to the initial Disclosure Delay Payment Date or (2) with respect to each other Disclosure Delay Payment Date, during the period commencing the immediately preceding Disclosure Delay Payment Date through and including the Trading Day immediately prior to such applicable Disclosure Delay Payment Date (such applicable period, the "Disclosure Restitution Period").

- (3) "**Required Disclosure Date**" means (x) if such Buyer authorized the delivery of such Confidential Information, either (I) if the Company and such Buyer have mutually agreed upon a date (as evidenced by an e-mail or other writing) of Disclosure of such Confidential Information, such agreed upon date or (II) otherwise, the seventh (7<sup>th</sup>) calendar day after the date such Buyer first received any Confidential Information or (y) if such Buyer did not authorize the delivery of such Confidential Information, the first (1<sup>st</sup>) Business Day after such Buyer's receipt of such Confidential Information.
- (j) <u>Additional Registration Statements</u>. Until the Applicable Date (as defined below) and at any time thereafter while any Registration Statement is not effective or the prospectus contained therein is not available for use or any Current Public Information Failure (as defined in the Registration Rights Agreement) exists, the Company shall not file a registration statement or an offering statement under the 1933 Act relating to securities that are not the Registrable Securities (other than a registration statement on Form S-8 or such supplements or amendments to registration statements that are outstanding and have been declared effective by the SEC as of the date hereof (solely to the extent necessary to keep such registration statements effective and available and not with respect to any Subsequent Placement)). "Applicable Date" means, with respect to any given Closing, the later of (i) the applicable Closing Date and (ii) the earlier of (x) the first date on which the resale by the Buyers of all the Registrable Securities required to be filed on the initial Registration Statement with respect to such Closing pursuant to the Registration Rights Agreement is declared effective by the SEC (and each prospectus contained therein is available for use on such date) or (y) the first date on which all of the Registrable Securities with respect to the Securities issued at such Closing are eligible to be resold by the Buyers pursuant to Rule 144 (or, if a Current Public Information Failure has occurred and is continuing, such later date after which the Company has cured such Current Public Information Failure).
- (k) Additional Issuance of Securities. Until the later of (x) the Additional Closing Expiration Date and (y) such date no Notes remain outstanding (such later date, the "Covenant Defeasance Date"), the Company will not, without the prior written consent of the Required Holders, issue any Notes (other than to the Buyers as contemplated hereby) and the Company shall not issue any other securities that would cause a breach or default under the Notes. The Company agrees that for the period commencing (i) with respect to the Initial Closing, on the date hereof or, with respect to any Additional Closing, on the Additional Closing Notice Date of such Additional Closing and ending on the date immediately following the 60<sup>h</sup> Trading Day after the Applicable Date of such Closing; provided that such period shall be extended by the number of calendar days during such period and any extension thereof contemplated by this proviso on which any Registration Statement is not effective or any prospectus contained therein is not available for use or any Current Public Information Failure exists (each, a "Restricted Period"), neither the Company nor any of its Subsidiaries shall directly or indirectly issue, offer, sell, grant any option or right to purchase, or otherwise dispose of (or announce any issuance, offer, sale, grant of any option or right to purchase or other disposition of) any equity security or any equity-linked or related security (including, without limitation, any "equity security" (as that term is defined under Rule 405 promulgated under the 1933 Act), any Common Stock Equivalents (as defined below), any debt, any preferred stock or any purchase rights) (any such issuance, offer, sale, grant, disposition or announcement (whether occurring during the Restricted Period or at any time thereafter) is referred to as a "Subsequent Placement"). Notwithstanding the foregoing, this Section 4(k) shall not apply in respect of the issuance of (i) shares of Common Stock or standard options to purchase Common Stock to directors, officers or employees of the Company in their capacity as such pursuant to an Approved Stock Plan (as defined below), provided that (1) all such issuances (taking into account the shares of Common Stock issuable upon exercise of such options) after the date hereof pursuant to this clause (i) do not, in the aggregate, exceed more than 7% of the Common Stock issued and outstanding immediately prior to the date hereof and (2) the exercise price of any such options is not lowered, none of such options are amended to increase the number of shares issuable thereunder and none of the terms or conditions of any such options are otherwise materially changed in any manner that adversely affects any of the Buyers; (ii) shares of Common Stock issued upon the conversion or exercise of Common Stock Equivalents (other than standard options to purchase Common Stock issued pursuant to an Approved Stock Plan that are covered by clause (i) above) issued prior to the date hereof, provided that the conversion, exercise or other method of issuance (as the case may be) of any such Common Stock Equivalent is made solely pursuant to the conversion, exercise or other method of issuance (as the case may be) provisions of such Common Stock Equivalent that were in effect on the date immediately prior to the date of this Agreement, the conversion, exercise or issuance price of any such Common Stock Equivalents (other than standard options to purchase Common Stock issued pursuant to an Approved Stock Plan that are covered by clause (i) above) is not lowered, none of such Common Stock Equivalents (other than standard options to purchase Common Stock issued pursuant to an Approved Stock Plan that are covered by clause (i) above) are amended to increase the number of shares issuable thereunder and none of the terms or conditions of any such Common Stock Equivalents (other than standard options to purchase Common Stock issued pursuant to an Approved Stock Plan that are covered by clause (i) above) are otherwise materially changed in any manner that adversely affects any of the Buyers; (iii) the Conversion Shares and (iv) the securities to be issued in the Transactions in accordance with the terms of the Merger Agreement, as in effect as of the date hereof, (each of the foregoing in clauses (i) through (iv), collectively the "Excluded Securities"). "Approved Stock Plan" means any employee benefit plan which has been approved by the board of directors of the Company prior to or subsequent to the date hereof pursuant to which shares of Common Stock and standard options to purchase Common Stock may be issued to any employee, officer or director for services provided to the Company in their capacity as such.

- (l) Reservation of Shares. Until the Covenant Defeasance Date, the Company shall take all action necessary to, at all times, have authorized, and reserved for the purpose of issuance, no less than 300% of the maximum number of Conversion Shares issuable upon conversion of the Notes then outstanding (assuming for purposes hereof that (w) the Initial Closing has occurred and all Notes issuable at Additional Optional Closings have been issued hereunder, and (x) any such conversion shall not take into account any limitations on the conversion of the Notes set forth in the Notes)(collectively, the "Required Reserve Amount"); provided that at no time shall the number of shares of Common Stock reserved pursuant to this Section 4(l) be reduced other than proportionally in connection with any conversion and/or redemption, as applicable, of Notes. If at any time the number of shares of Common Stock authorized and reserved for issuance is not sufficient to meet the Required Reserve Amount, the Company will promptly take all corporate action necessary to authorize and reserve a sufficient number of shares, including, without limitation, calling a special meeting of stockholders to authorize additional shares to meet the Company's obligations pursuant to the Transaction Documents, in the case of an insufficient number of authorized shares, obtain stockholder approval of an increase in such authorized number of shares, and voting the management shares of the Company in favor of an increase in the authorized shares of the Company to ensure that the number of authorized shares is sufficient to meet the Required Reserve Amount.
- (m) Conduct of Business. The business of the Company and its Subsidiaries shall not be conducted in violation of any law, ordinance or regulation of any Governmental Entity, except where such violations would not reasonably be expected to result, either individually or in the aggregate, in a Material Adverse Effect.
- (n) Other Notes; Variable Securities. Until the Covenant Defeasance Date, the Company and each Subsidiary shall be prohibited from effecting or entering into an agreement to effect any Subsequent Placement involving a Variable Rate Transaction. "Variable Rate Transaction" means a transaction in which the Company or any Subsidiary (i) issues or sells any Common Stock Equivalents either (A) at a conversion, exercise or exchange rate or other price that is based upon and/or varies with the trading prices of or quotations for the shares of Common Stock at any time after the initial issuance of such Common Stock Equivalents, or (B) with a conversion, exercise or exchange price that is subject to being reset at some future date after the initial issuance of such Common Stock Equivalents or upon the occurrence of specified or contingent events directly or indirectly related to the business of the Company or the market for the Common Stock, other than pursuant to a customary "weighted average" anti-dilution provision or (ii) enters into any agreement (including, without limitation, an equity line of credit or an "at-the-market" offering) whereby the Company or any Subsidiary may sell securities at a future determined price (other than standard and customary "preemptive" or "participation" rights). Each Buyer shall be entitled to obtain injunctive relief against the Company and its Subsidiaries to preclude any such issuance, which remedy shall be in addition to any right to collect damages.

- (o) <u>Participation Right</u>. At any time on or prior to the six month anniversary of the Additional Closing Expiration Date (or, if later, the date no Notes remain outstanding), neither the Company nor any of its Subsidiaries shall, directly or indirectly, effect any Subsequent Placement unless the Company shall have first complied with this Section 4(o). The Company acknowledges and agrees that the right set forth in this Section 4(o) is a right granted by the Company, separately, to each Buyer.
  - (i) At least five (5) Trading Days prior to any proposed or intended Subsequent Placement, the Company shall deliver to each Buyer a written notice (each such notice, a "Pre-Notice"), which Pre-Notice shall not contain any information (including, without limitation, material, non-public information) other than: (A) if the proposed Offer Notice (as defined below) constitutes or contains material, non-public information, a statement asking whether the Investor is willing to accept material non-public information or (B) if the proposed Offer Notice does not constitute or contain material, non-public information, (x) a statement that the Company proposes or intends to effect a Subsequent Placement, (y) a statement that the statement in clause (x) above does not constitute material, non-public information and (z) a statement informing such Buyer that it is entitled to receive an Offer Notice (as defined below) with respect to such Subsequent Placement upon its written request. Upon the written request of a Buyer within three (3) Trading Days after the Company's delivery to such Buyer of such Pre-Notice, and only upon a written request by such Buyer, the Company shall promptly, but no later than one (1) Trading Day after such request, deliver to such Buyer an irrevocable written notice (the "Offer Notice") of any proposed or intended issuance or sale or exchange (the "Offer") of the securities being offered (the "Offered Securities") in a Subsequent Placement, which Offer Notice shall (A) identify and describe the Offered Securities, (B) describe the price and other terms upon which they are to be issued, sold or exchanged, and the number or amount of the Offered Securities to be issued, sold or exchanged, (C) identify the Persons (if known) to which or with which the Offered Securities are to be offered, issued, sold or exchanged and (D) offer to issue and sell to or exchange with such Buyer in accordance with the terms of the Offer 30% of the Offered Securities, provided that the number of Offered Securities which such Buyer shall have the right to subscribe for under this Section 4(o) shall be (x) based on such Buyer's pro rata portion of the aggregate original principal amount of the Notes purchased hereunder by all Buyers (the "Basic Amount"), and (y) with respect to each Buyer that elects to purchase its Basic Amount, any additional portion of the Offered Securities attributable to the Basic Amounts of other Buyers as such Buyer shall indicate it will purchase or acquire should the other Buyers subscribe for less than their Basic Amounts (the "Undersubscription Amount"), which process shall be repeated until each Buyer shall have an opportunity to subscribe for any remaining Undersubscription Amount.
  - (ii) To accept an Offer, in whole or in part, such Buyer must deliver a written notice to the Company prior to the end of the fifth (5<sup>th</sup>) Business Day after such Buyer's receipt of the Offer Notice (the "Offer Period"), setting forth the portion of such Buyer's Basic Amount that such Buyer elects to purchase and, if such Buyer shall elect to purchase all of its Basic Amount, the Undersubscription Amount, if any, that such Buyer elects to purchase (in either case, the "Notice of Acceptance"). If the Basic Amounts subscribed for by all Buyers are less than the total of all of the Basic Amounts, then each Buyer who has set forth an Undersubscription Amount in its Notice of Acceptance shall be entitled to purchase, in addition to the Basic Amounts subscribed for, the Undersubscription Amount it has subscribed for; provided, however, if the Undersubscription Amounts subscribed for exceed the difference between the total of all the Basic Amounts and the Basic Amounts subscribed for (the "Available Undersubscription Amount"), each Buyer who has subscribed for any Undersubscription Amount shall be entitled to purchase only that portion of the Available Undersubscription Amount as the Basic Amount of such Buyer bears to the total Basic Amounts of all Buyers that have subscribed for Undersubscription Amounts, subject to rounding by the Company to the extent it deems reasonably necessary. Notwithstanding the foregoing, if the Company desires to modify or amend the terms and conditions of the Offer prior to the expiration of the Offer Period, the Company may deliver to each Buyer a new Offer Notice and the Offer Period shall expire on the fifth (5<sup>th</sup>) Business Day after such Buyer's receipt of such new Offer Notice.
  - (iii) The Company shall have five (5) Business Days from the expiration of the Offer Period above (A) to offer, issue, sell or exchange all or any part of such Offered Securities as to which a Notice of Acceptance has not been given by a Buyer (the "Refused Securities") pursuant to a definitive agreement(s) (the "Subsequent Placement Agreement"), but only to the offerees described in the Offer Notice (if so described therein) and only upon terms and conditions (including, without limitation, unit prices and interest rates) that are not more favorable to the acquiring Person or Persons or less favorable to the Company than those set forth in the Offer Notice and (B) to publicly announce (x) the execution of such Subsequent Placement Agreement, and (y) either (I) the consummation of the transactions contemplated by such Subsequent Placement Agreement or (II) the termination of such Subsequent Placement Agreement, which shall be filed with the SEC on a Current Report on Form 8-K with such Subsequent Placement Agreement and any documents contemplated therein filed as exhibits thereto.

- (iv) In the event the Company shall propose to sell less than all the Refused Securities (any such sale to be in the manner and on the terms specified in Section 4(o)(iii) above), then each Buyer may, at its sole option and in its sole discretion, withdraw its Notice of Acceptance or reduce the number or amount of the Offered Securities specified in its Notice of Acceptance to an amount that shall be not less than the number or amount of the Offered Securities that such Buyer elected to purchase pursuant to Section 4(o)(ii) above multiplied by a fraction, (i) the numerator of which shall be the number or amount of Offered Securities the Company actually proposes to issue, sell or exchange (including Offered Securities to be issued or sold to Buyers pursuant to this Section 4(o) prior to such reduction) and (ii) the denominator of which shall be the original amount of the Offered Securities. In the event that any Buyer so elects to reduce the number or amount of Offered Securities specified in its Notice of Acceptance, the Company may not issue, sell or exchange more than the reduced number or amount of the Offered Securities unless and until such securities have again been offered to the Buyers in accordance with Section 4(o)(i) above.
- (v) Upon the closing of the issuance, sale or exchange of all or less than all of the Refused Securities, such Buyer shall acquire from the Company, and the Company shall issue to such Buyer, the number or amount of Offered Securities specified in its Notice of Acceptance, as reduced pursuant to Section 4(o)(iv) above if such Buyer has so elected, upon the terms and conditions specified in the Offer. The purchase by such Buyer of any Offered Securities is subject in all cases to the preparation, execution and delivery by the Company and such Buyer of a separate purchase agreement relating to such Offered Securities reasonably satisfactory in form and substance to such Buyer and its counsel.
- (vi) Any Offered Securities not acquired by a Buyer or other Persons in accordance with this Section 4(o) may not be issued, sold or exchanged until they are again offered to such Buyer under the procedures specified in this Agreement.
- (vii) The Company and each Buyer agree that if any Buyer elects to participate in the Offer, (x) neither the Subsequent Placement Agreement with respect to such Offer nor any other transaction documents related thereto (collectively, the "Subsequent Placement Documents") shall include any term or provision whereby such Buyer shall be required to agree to any restrictions on trading as to any securities of the Company or be required to consent to any amendment to or termination of, or grant any waiver, release or the like under or in connection with, any agreement previously entered into with the Company or any instrument received from the Company, and (y) any registration rights set forth in such Subsequent Placement Documents shall be similar in all material respects to the registration rights contained in the Registration Rights Agreement.

- (viii) Notwithstanding anything to the contrary in this Section 4(o) and unless otherwise agreed to by such Buyer, the Company shall either confirm in writing to such Buyer that the transaction with respect to the Subsequent Placement has been abandoned or shall publicly disclose its intention to issue the Offered Securities, in either case, in such a manner such that such Buyer will not be in possession of any material, non-public information, by the fifth  $(5^{th})$  Business Day following delivery of the Offer Notice. If by such fifth  $(5^{th})$  Business Day, no public disclosure regarding a transaction with respect to the Offered Securities has been made, and no notice regarding the abandonment of such transaction has been received by such Buyer, such transaction shall be deemed to have been abandoned and such Buyer shall not be in possession of any material, non-public information with respect to the Company or any of its Subsidiaries. Should the Company decide to pursue such transaction with respect to the Offered Securities, the Company shall provide such Buyer with another Offer Notice and such Buyer will again have the right of participation set forth in this Section 4(o). The Company shall not be permitted to deliver more than one such Offer Notice to such Buyer in any sixty (60) day period, except as expressly contemplated by the last sentence of Section 4(o)(ii).
- (ix) The restrictions contained in this Section 4(o) shall not apply in connection with the issuance of any Excluded Securities. The Company shall not circumvent the provisions of this Section 4(o) by providing terms or conditions to one Buyer that are not provided to all.
- (p) <u>Passive Foreign Investment Company</u>. Until the Covenant Defeasance Date, the Company shall conduct its business, and shall cause its Subsidiaries to conduct their respective businesses, in such a manner as will ensure that the Company will not be deemed to constitute a passive foreign investment company within the meaning of Section 1297 of the Code.
- (q) <u>Restriction on Redemption and Cash Dividends</u>. Until the Covenant Defeasance Date, the Company shall not, directly or indirectly, redeem, or declare or pay any cash dividend or distribution on, any securities of the Company without the prior express written consent of the Buyers.
- (r) <u>Corporate Existence</u>. Until the Covenant Defeasance Date, the Company shall not be party to any Fundamental Transaction (as defined in the Notes) unless the Company is in compliance with the applicable provisions governing Fundamental Transactions set forth in the Notes.
- (s) <u>Stock Splits</u>. Except as set forth in the Merger Agreement, until the Covenant Defeasance Date, the Company shall not effect any stock combination, reverse stock split or other similar transaction (or make any public announcement or disclosure with respect to any of the foregoing) without the prior written consent of the Required Holders (as defined below).
- (t) <u>Conversion Procedures</u>. Each of the form of Conversion Notice (as defined in the Notes) included in the Notes set forth the totality of the procedures required of the Buyers in order to convert the Notes. Except as provided in Section 5(d), no additional legal opinion, other information or instructions shall be required of the Buyers to convert their Notes. The Company shall honor conversions of the Notes and shall deliver the Conversion Shares in accordance with the terms, conditions and time periods set forth in the Notes.

- (u) Regulation M. The Company will not take any action prohibited by Regulation M under the 1934 Act, in connection with the distribution of the Securities contemplated hereby.
- (v) General Solicitation. None of the Company, any of its affiliates (as defined in Rule 501(b) under the 1933 Act) or any person acting on behalf of the Company or such affiliate will solicit any offer to buy or offer or sell the Securities by means of any form of general solicitation or general advertising within the meaning of Regulation D, including: (i) any advertisement, article, notice or other communication published in any newspaper, magazine or similar medium or broadcast over television or radio; and (ii) any seminar or meeting whose attendees have been invited by any general solicitation or general advertising.
- (w) Integration. None of the Company, any of its affiliates (as defined in Rule 501(b) under the 1933 Act), or any person acting on behalf of the Company or such affiliate will sell, offer for sale, or solicit offers to buy or otherwise negotiate in respect of any security (as defined in the 1933 Act) which will be integrated with the sale of the Securities in a manner which would require the registration of the Securities under the 1933 Act or require stockholder approval under the rules and regulations of the Principal Market and the Company will take all action that is appropriate or necessary to assure that its offerings of other securities will not be integrated for purposes of the 1933 Act or the rules and regulations of the Principal Market, with the issuance of Securities contemplated hereby.
- (x) Notice of Disqualification Events. The Company will notify the Buyers in writing, prior to each Closing Date of (i) any Disqualification Event relating to any Issuer Covered Person and (ii) any event that would, with the passage of time, become a Disqualification Event relating to any Issuer Covered Person.
- (y) Stockholder Consent. On or prior to the Initial Closing Date, the Company shall obtain the written consent of the requisite stockholders (the "Stockholder Consent") to the issuance of all of the Securities in compliance with the rules and regulations of the Principal Market (without regard to any limitations on conversion set forth in the Notes) (such affirmative approval being referred to herein as the "Stockholder Approval", and the date the information statement filed with the SEC with respect thereto is effective, the "Stockholder Approval Date"). The Company shall inform the stockholders of the Company of the receipt of the Stockholder Consent by preparing and filing with the SEC, as promptly as practicable after the date hereof, but prior to the thirtieth (30th) calendar day after the Initial Closing Date an information statement with respect thereto, which shall be effective as promptly as practicable thereafter, but prior to the one hundred and twentieth (120th) calendar day after the Initial Closing Date (the "Stockholder Approval Deadline")

- (z) No Net Short Position Buyer hereby agrees solely with the Company, severally and not jointly, and not with any other Buyer, for so long as such Buyer owns any Notes, so long as no Event of Default has occurred and is continuing, such Buyer shall not maintain a Net Short Position (as defined below). For purposes hereof, a "Net Short Position" by a person means a position whereby such person has executed one or more sales of Common Stock that is marked as a short sale (but not including any sale marked "short exempt") and that is executed at a time when such Buyer has no equivalent offsetting long position in the Common Stock (or is deemed to have a long position returned or otherwise in accordance with Regulation SHO of the 1934 Act); provided, that, for purposes of such calculations, any short sales either (x) consummated at a price greater than or equal to the Conversion Price, (y) that is a result of a bona-fide trading error on behalf of such Buyer (or its affiliates) or (z) that would otherwise be marked as a "long" sale, but for the occurrence of a Conversion Failure (as defined in the Notes) or any other breach by the Company (or its affiliates or agents, including, without limitation, the Transfer Agent (as defined below)) of any Transaction Document, in each case, shall be excluded from such calculations. For purposes of determining whether a Buyer has an equivalent offsetting "long" position in the Common Stock, (A) all Common Stock that is owned by such Buyer shall be deemed held "long" by such Buyer, (B) at any time a Conversion Notice (as defined in the Notes) is delivered by such Buyer to the Company, any shares of Common Stock issued or issuable to such Buyer shall no longer beneficially own such shares of Common Stock, and (C) at any other time the Company is required (or has elected (or is deemed to have elected)) to issue shares of Common Stock to such Buyer pursuant to the terms of the Notes, any shares of Common Stock issued or issuable to such Buyer (or its designee, if applicable) in co
- (aa) No Waiver of Voting Agreement. The Company shall not amend, waive, modify or fail to use reasonable best efforts to enforce any provision of any of the Voting Agreements. For the avoidance of doubt, no Buyer shall be a third party beneficiary of any Voting Agreement.
- (bb) <u>Return of Pre-Delivery Shares</u>. Each Buyer, severally, hereby covenants and agrees that if such Buyer holds any Pre-Delivery Shares after such date that no Notes are then held by such Buyer (but after any applicable Delivery Share Applications (as defined in the Notes) related thereto), such remaining Pre-Delivery Shares shall be promptly returned by such Buyer to the Company for cancellation.
- (cc) <u>Holding Period</u>. For the purposes of Rule 144, the Company acknowledges that the holding period of the Pre-Delivery Shares may be tacked onto the holding period of the Notes and shall, consequently, be deemed to have been issued as of the Closing Date for purposes of Rule 144 and the Company agrees not to take a position contrary to this Section 4(cc).
- (dd) <u>Closing Documents</u>. On or prior to fourteen (14) calendar days after each Closing Date, the Company agrees to deliver, or cause to be delivered, to each Buyer and Kelley Drye & Warren LLP a complete closing set of the executed Transaction Documents, Securities and any other document required to be delivered to any party pursuant to Section 7 hereof or otherwise.

### 5. REGISTER; TRANSFER AGENT INSTRUCTIONS; LEGEND.

- (a) Register. The Company shall maintain at its principal executive offices (or such other office or agency of the Company as it may designate by notice to each holder of Securities), a register for the Notes in which the Company shall record the name and address of the Person in whose name the Notes have been issued (including the name and address of each transferee), the principal amount of the Notes held by such Person and the number of Conversion Shares issuable pursuant to the terms of the Notes held by such Person. The Company shall keep the register open and available during business hours for inspection of any Buyer or its legal representatives at any time upon reasonable notice to the Company.
- (b) <u>Transfer Agent Instructions</u>. The Company shall issue irrevocable instructions to its transfer agent and any subsequent transfer agent (as applicable, the "Transfer Agent") in a form acceptable to each of the Buyers (the "Irrevocable Transfer Agent Instructions") to issue certificates or credit shares to the applicable balance accounts at The Depository Trust Company ("DTC"), registered in the name of each Buyer or its respective nominee(s), for the Conversion Shares in such amounts as specified from time to time by each Buyer to the Company upon conversion of the Notes. The Company represents and warrants that no instruction other than the Irrevocable Transfer Agent Instructions referred to in this Section 5(b), and stop transfer instructions to give effect to Section 2(g) hereof, will be given by the Company to the Transfer Agent with respect to the Securities, and that the Securities shall otherwise be freely transferable on the books and records of the Company, as applicable, to the extent provided in this Agreement and the other Transaction Documents. Notwithstanding the foregoing, if at any time the Irrevocable Transfer Agent Instructions fails to irrevocably instruct the Transfer Agent to reserve at least the Required Reserve Amount of Common Stock as of such applicable time of determination, the Company shall promptly deliver an updated irrevocable transfer agent instructions to the Transfer Agent, which shall irrevocably instruct the Transfer Agent to increase such reserve with respect to the Securities to at least the Required Reserve Amount of Common Stock as of such time of determination. If a Buyer effects a sale, assignment or transfer of the Securities in accordance with Section 2(g), the Company shall permit the transfer and shall promptly instruct the Transfer Agent to issue one or more certificates or credit shares to the applicable balance accounts at DTC in such name and in such denominations as specified by such Buyer to effect such sale, transfer or assignment. In the event that such sale, assignment or transfer involves Conversion Shares sold, assigned or transferred pursuant to an effective registration statement or in compliance with Rule 144, the Transfer Agent shall issue such shares to such Buyer, assignee or transferee (as the case may be) without any restrictive legend in accordance with Section 5(d) below. The Company acknowledges that a breach by it of its obligations hereunder will cause irreparable harm to a Buyer. Accordingly, the Company acknowledges that the remedy at law for a breach of its obligations under this Section 5(b) will be inadequate and agrees, in the event of a breach or threatened breach by the Company of the provisions of this Section 5(b), that a Buyer shall be entitled in addition to all other available remedies, to an order and/or injunction restraining any breach and requiring immediate issuance and transfer, without the necessity of showing economic loss and without any bond or other security being required. The Company shall cause its counsel to issue the legal opinion referred to in the Irrevocable Transfer Agent Instructions to the Transfer Agent on each Effective Date (as defined in the Registration Rights Agreement). Any fees (with respect to the Transfer Agent, counsel to the Company or otherwise) associated with the issuance of such opinion or the removal of any legends on any of the Securities shall be borne by the Company.
- (c) <u>Legends</u>. Each Buyer understands that the Securities have been issued (or will be issued in the case of the Conversion Shares) pursuant to an exemption from registration or qualification under the 1933 Act and applicable state securities laws, and except as set forth below, the Securities shall bear any legend as required by the "blue sky" laws of any state and a restrictive legend in substantially the following form (and a stop-transfer order may be placed against transfer of such stock certificates):

[NEITHER THE ISSUANCE AND SALE OF THE SECURITIES REPRESENTED BY THIS CERTIFICATE NOR THE SECURITIES INTO WHICH THESE SECURITIES ARE CONVERTIBLE HAVE BEEN][THE SECURITIES REPRESENTED BY THIS CERTIFICATE HAVE NOT BEEN] REGISTERED UNDER THE SECURITIES ACT OF 1933, AS AMENDED, OR APPLICABLE STATE SECURITIES LAWS. THE SECURITIES MAY NOT BE OFFERED FOR SALE, SOLD, TRANSFERRED OR ASSIGNED (I) IN THE ABSENCE OF (A) AN EFFECTIVE REGISTRATION STATEMENT FOR THE SECURITIES UNDER THE SECURITIES ACT OF 1933, AS AMENDED, OR (B) AN OPINION OF COUNSEL TO THE HOLDER (IF REQUESTED BY THE COMPANY), IN A FORM REASONABLY ACCEPTABLE TO THE COMPANY, THAT REGISTRATION IS NOT REQUIRED UNDER SAID ACT OR (II) UNLESS SOLD OR ELIGIBLE TO BE SOLD PURSUANT TO RULE 144 OR RULE 144A UNDER SAID ACT. NOTWITHSTANDING THE FOREGOING, THE SECURITIES MAY BE PLEDGED IN CONNECTION WITH A BONA FIDE MARGIN ACCOUNT OR OTHER LOAN OR FINANCING ARRANGEMENT SECURED BY THE SECURITIES.

(d) Removal of Legends. Certificates evidencing Securities shall not be required to contain the legend set forth in Section 5(c) above or any other legend (i) while a registration statement (including a Registration Statement) covering the resale of such Securities is effective under the 1933 Act, (ii) following any sale of such Securities pursuant to Rule 144 (assuming the transferor is not an affiliate of the Company), (iii) if such Securities are eligible to be sold, assigned or transferred under Rule 144 (provided that a Buyer provides the Company with reasonable assurances that such Securities are eligible for sale, assignment or transfer under Rule 144 which shall not include an opinion of Buyer's counsel), (iv) in connection with a sale, assignment or other transfer (other than under Rule 144), provided that such Buyer provides the Company with an opinion of counsel to such Buyer, in a generally acceptable form, to the effect that such sale, assignment or transfer of the Securities may be made without registration under the applicable requirements of the 1933 Act or (v) if such legend is not required under applicable requirements of the 1933 Act (including, without limitation, controlling judicial interpretations and pronouncements issued by the SEC). If a legend is not required pursuant to the foregoing, the Company shall no later than two (2) Trading Days (or such earlier date as required pursuant to the 1934 Act or other applicable law, rule or regulation for the settlement of a trade initiated on the date such Buyer delivers such legended certificate representing such Securities to the Company) following the delivery by a Buyer to the Company or the Transfer Agent (with notice to the Company) of a legended certificate representing such Securities (endorsed or with stock powers attached, signatures guaranteed, and otherwise in form necessary to affect the reissuance and/or transfer, if applicable), together with any other deliveries from such Buyer as may be required above in this Section 5(d), as directed by such Buyer, either: (A) provided that the Transfer Agent is participating in the DTC Fast Automated Securities Transfer Program ("FAST") and such Securities are Conversion Shares, credit the aggregate number of shares of Common Stock to which such Buyer shall be entitled to such Buyer's or its designee's balance account with DTC through its Deposit/Withdrawal at Custodian system or (B) if the Transfer Agent is not participating in FAST, issue and deliver (via reputable overnight courier) to such Buyer, a certificate representing such Securities that is free from all restrictive and other legends, registered in the name of such Buyer or its designee (the date by which such credit is so required to be made to the balance account of such Buyer's or such Buyer's designee with DTC or such certificate is required to be delivered to such Buyer pursuant to the foregoing is referred to herein as the "Required Delivery Date", and the date such shares of Common Stock are actually delivered without restrictive legend to such Buyer or such Buyer's designee with DTC, as applicable, the "Share Delivery Date"). The Company shall be responsible for any transfer agent fees or DTC fees with respect to any issuance of Securities or the removal of any legends with respect to any Securities in accordance herewith.

(e) Failure to Timely Deliver; Buy-In. If the Company fails, for any reason or for no reason, to issue and deliver (or cause to be delivered) to a Buyer (or its designee) by the Required Delivery Date, either (I) if the Transfer Agent is not participating in FAST, a certificate for the number of Conversion Shares to which such Buyer is entitled and register such Conversion Shares on the Company's share register or, if the Transfer Agent is participating in FAST, to credit the balance account of such Buyer or such Buyer's designee with DTC for such number of Conversion Shares submitted for legend removal by such Buyer pursuant to Section 5(d) above or (II) if the Registration Statement covering the resale of the Conversion Shares submitted for legend removal by such Buyer pursuant to Section 5(d) above (the "Unavailable Shares") is not available for the resale of such Unavailable Shares and the Company fails to promptly, but in no event later than as required pursuant to the Registration Rights Agreement (x) so notify such Buyer and (y) deliver the Conversion Shares electronically without any restrictive legend by crediting such aggregate number of Conversion Shares submitted for legend removal by such Buyer pursuant to Section 5(d) above to such Buyer's or its designee's balance account with DTC through its Deposit/Withdrawal At Custodian system (the event described in the immediately foregoing clause (II) is hereinafter referred as a "Notice Failure" and together with the event described in clause (I) above, a "Delivery Failure"), then, in addition to all other remedies available to such Buyer, the Company shall pay in cash to such Buyer on each day after the Share Delivery Date and during such Delivery Failure an amount equal to 1% of the product of (A) the sum of the number of shares of Common Stock not issued to such Buyer on or prior to the Required Delivery Date and to which such Buyer is entitled, and (B) any trading price of the Common Stock selected by such Buyer in writing as in effect at any time during the period beginning on the date of the delivery by such Buyer to the Company of the applicable Conversion Shares and ending on the applicable Share Delivery Date. In addition to the foregoing, if on or prior to the Required Delivery Date either (I) if the Transfer Agent is not participating in FAST, the Company shall fail to issue and deliver a certificate to a Buyer and register such shares of Common Stock on the Company's share register or, if the Transfer Agent is participating in FAST, credit the balance account of such Buyer or such Buyer's designee with DTC for the number of shares of Common Stock to which such Buyer submitted for legend removal by such Buyer pursuant to Section 5(d) above (ii) below or (II) a Notice Failure occurs, and if on or after such Trading Day such Buyer acquires (in an open market transaction, stock loan or otherwise) shares of Common Stock corresponding to all or any portion of the number of shares of Common Stock submitted for legend removal by such Buyer pursuant to Section 5(d) above (a "Buy-In"), then the Company shall, within two (2) Trading Days after such Buyer's request and in such Buyer's discretion, either (i) pay cash to such Buyer in an amount equal to such Buyer's total purchase price (including brokerage commissions, stock loan costs and other out-of-pocket expenses, if any) for the shares of Common Stock so acquired (including, without limitation, by any other Person in respect, or on behalf, of the holder) (the "Buy-In Price"), at which point the Company's obligation to so deliver such certificate or credit such Buyer's balance account shall terminate and such shares shall be cancelled, or (ii) promptly honor its obligation to so deliver to such Buyer a certificate or certificates or credit the balance account of such Buyer or such Buyer's designee with DTC representing such number of shares of Common Stock that would have been so delivered if the Company timely complied with its obligations hereunder and pay cash to such Buyer in an amount equal to the excess (if any) of the Buy-In Price over the product of (A) such number of shares of Conversion Shares that the Company was required to deliver to such Buyer by the Required Delivery Date multiplied by (B) the lowest Closing Sale Price (as defined in the Notes) of the Common Stock on any Trading Day during the period commencing on the date of the delivery by such Buyer to the Company of the applicable Conversion Shares and ending on the date of such delivery and payment under this clause (ii). Nothing shall limit such Buyer's right to pursue any other remedies available to it hereunder, at law or in equity, including, without limitation, a decree of specific performance and/or injunctive relief with respect to the Company's failure to timely deliver certificates representing shares of Common Stock (or to electronically deliver such shares of Common Stock) as required pursuant to the terms hereof. Notwithstanding anything herein to the contrary, with respect to any given Notice Failure and/or Delivery Failure, this Section 5(e) shall not apply to the applicable Buyer the extent the Company has already paid such amounts in full to such Buyer with respect to such Notice Failure and/or Delivery Failure, as applicable, pursuant to the analogous sections of the Note held by such Buyer.

(f) FAST Compliance. While any Notes remain outstanding, the Company shall maintain a transfer agent that participates in FAST.

## 6. CONDITIONS TO THE COMPANY'S OBLIGATION TO SELL.

- (a) The obligation of the Company hereunder to issue and sell the Initial Notes to each Buyer at the Initial Closing is subject to the satisfaction, at or before the Initial Closing Date, of each of the following conditions, provided that these conditions are for the Company's sole benefit and may be waived by the Company at any time in its sole discretion by providing each Buyer with prior written notice thereof:
  - (i) Such Buyer shall have executed each of the other Transaction Documents to which it is a party and delivered the same to the Company.
  - (ii) Such Buyer and each other Buyer shall have delivered to the Company the Initial Purchase Price (less, in the case of any Buyer, the amounts withheld pursuant to Section 4(g)) for the Initial Note being purchased by such Buyer at the Initial Closing by wire transfer of immediately available funds in accordance with the Initial Flow of Funds Letter.
  - (iii) The representations and warranties of such Buyer shall be true and correct in all material respects as of the date when made and as of the Initial Closing Date as though originally made at that time (except for representations and warranties that speak as of a specific date, which shall be true and correct as of such specific date), and such Buyer shall have performed, satisfied and complied in all material respects with the covenants, agreements and conditions required by this Agreement to be performed, satisfied or complied with by such Buyer at or prior to the Initial Closing Date.
- (b) The obligation of the Company hereunder to issue and sell the Additional Notes to each Buyer at each Additional Closing is subject to the satisfaction, at or before the applicable Additional Closing Date, of each of the following conditions, provided that these conditions are for the Company's sole benefit and may be waived by the Company at any time in its sole discretion by providing each Buyer with prior written notice thereof:
  - (i) Such Buyer shall have executed each of the other Transaction Documents to which it is a party and delivered the same to the Company.
  - (ii) Such Buyer and each other Buyer shall have delivered to the Company the Additional Purchase Price (less, in the case of any Buyer, the amounts withheld pursuant to Section 4(g)) for the Additional Note being purchased by such Buyer at the Additional Closing by wire transfer of immediately available funds in accordance with the Additional Flow of Funds Letter.
  - (iii) The representations and warranties of such Buyer shall be true and correct in all material respects as of the date when made and as of the Additional Closing Date as though originally made at that time (except for representations and warranties that speak as of a specific date, which shall be true and correct as of such specific date), and such Buyer shall have performed, satisfied and complied in all material respects with the covenants, agreements and conditions required by this Agreement to be performed, satisfied or complied with by such Buyer at or prior to the Additional Closing Date.

## 7. CONDITIONS TO EACH BUYER'S OBLIGATION TO PURCHASE.

- (a) The obligation of each Buyer hereunder to purchase its Initial Note at the Initial Closing is subject to the satisfaction, at or before the Initial Closing Date, of each of the following conditions, provided that these conditions are for each Buyer's sole benefit and may be waived by such Buyer at any time in its sole discretion by providing the Company with prior written notice thereof:
  - (i) The Company shall have duly executed and delivered to such Buyer each of the Transaction Documents to which it is a party and the Company shall have duly executed and delivered to such Buyer an Initial Note in such original principal amount as is set forth across from such Buyer's name in column (3) of the Schedule of Buyers, as being purchased by such Buyer at the Initial Closing pursuant to this Agreement.
  - (ii) Such Buyer shall have received the opinion of Nelson Mullins Riley & Scarborough LLP, the Company's counsel, dated as of the Initial Closing Date, in the form acceptable to such Buyer.
  - (iii) The Company shall have delivered to such Buyer a copy of the Irrevocable Transfer Agent Instructions, in the form acceptable to such Buyer, which instructions shall have been delivered to and acknowledged in writing by the Transfer Agent and shall remain in full force and effect as of such Initial Closing Date.
  - (iv) The Company shall have delivered to such Buyer a certificate evidencing the formation and good standing of the Company in such entity's jurisdiction of formation issued by the Secretary of State (or comparable office) of such jurisdiction of formation as of a date within thirty (30) days of the Initial Closing Date.
  - (v) The Company shall have delivered to such Buyer a certificate evidencing the Company's qualification as a foreign corporation and good standing issued by the Secretary of State (or comparable office) of each jurisdiction in which the Company conducts business and is required to so qualify, as of a date within thirty (30) days of the Initial Closing Date.
  - (vi) The Company shall have delivered to such Buyer a certificate, in the form acceptable to such Buyer, executed by the Secretary of the Company dated as of the Initial Closing Date, as to (i) the resolutions consistent with Section 3(b) as adopted by the Company's board of directors in a form reasonably acceptable to such Buyer, (ii) the Certificate of Incorporation of the Company and (iii) the Bylaws of the Company, each as in effect at the Initial Closing.
  - (vii) Each and every representation and warranty of the Company shall be true and correct as of the date when made and as of the Initial Closing Date as though originally made at that time (except for representations and warranties that speak as of a specific date, which shall be true and correct as of such specific date) and the Company shall have performed, satisfied and complied in all respects with the covenants, agreements and conditions required to be performed, satisfied or complied with by the Company at or prior to the Initial Closing Date. Such Buyer shall have received a certificate, duly executed by the Chief Executive Officer of the Company, dated as of the Initial Closing Date, to the foregoing effect and as to such other matters as may be reasonably requested by such Buyer in the form acceptable to such Buyer.
  - (viii) The Company shall have delivered to such Buyer a letter from the Transfer Agent certifying the number of shares of Common Stock outstanding on the Initial Closing Date immediately prior to the Initial Closing.
  - (ix) The Common Stock (A) shall be designated for quotation or listed (as applicable) on the Principal Market and (B) shall not have been suspended, as of the Initial Closing Date, by the SEC or the Principal Market from trading on the Principal Market nor shall suspension by the SEC or the Principal Market have been threatened, as of the Initial Closing Date, either (I) in writing by the SEC or the Principal Market or (II) by falling below the minimum maintenance requirements of the Principal Market.
  - (x) The Company shall have obtained all governmental, regulatory or third-party consents and approvals, if any, necessary for the sale of the Securities, including without limitation, those required by the Principal Market, if any.

- (xi) No statute, rule, regulation, executive order, decree, ruling or injunction shall have been enacted, entered, promulgated or endorsed by any court or Governmental Entity of competent jurisdiction that prohibits the consummation of any of the transactions contemplated by the Transaction Documents.
- (xii) Since the date of execution of this Agreement, no event or series of events shall have occurred that reasonably would have or result in a Material Adverse Effect.
  - (xiii) The Company shall have obtained approval of the Principal Market to list or designate for quotation (as the case may be) the Initial Conversion Shares.
- (xiv) The Company shall have duly executed and delivered to such Buyer a voting agreement, in the form of Exhibit C hereof (each, a "Voting Agreement"), by and between the Company and each of the shareholders listed on Schedule 7(a)(xiv) attached hereto (collectively, the "Shareholders") and each of the Shareholders, severally, shall have duly executed and delivered to such Buyer a Voting Agreement and the Stockholder Consent.
  - (xv) Prior to the time of consummation of the Initial Closing, the Transactions shall be consummated.
- (xvi) Such Buyer shall have received a letter on the letterhead of the Company (the "Initial Flow of Funds Letter") duly executed by the Chief Executive Officer of the Company, setting forth the wire amounts of each Buyer and the wire transfer instructions of the Company.
- (xvii) No bona fide dispute shall exist, by and between (or among) any of the Buyers, any holder of Notes and/or the Company, which dispute is reasonably related to this Agreement, any of the Securities and/or the transactions contemplated hereby or thereby, as applicable.
- (xviii) The letter agreement, by and among the Company, Lokahi Therapeutics, Inc., a Nevada corporation and MindWave Innovations Inc, a Delaware corporation (as in effect as of the Initial Closing Date, the "Side Letter"), shall be in form and substance satisfactory to such Buyer in its sole discretion and, other than the Side Letter, no other agreement shall amend, modify or waive the transactions contemplated thereby.
- (xix) The Company and its Subsidiaries shall have delivered to such Buyer such other documents, instruments or certificates relating to the transactions contemplated by this Agreement as such Buyer or its counsel may reasonably request.

- (b) The obligation of each Buyer hereunder to purchase the applicable Additional Note at any Additional Closing is subject to the satisfaction, at or before the applicable Additional Closing Date, of each of the following conditions, provided that these conditions are for each Buyer's sole benefit and may be waived by such Buyer at any time in its sole discretion by providing the Company with prior written notice thereof:
  - (i) The Company shall have duly executed and delivered to such Buyer each of the Transaction Documents to which it is a party and the Company shall have duly executed and delivered to each applicable Transaction Documents to which it is a party and the Company shall have duly executed and delivered to such Buyer such Additional Note being purchased by such Buyer at such Additional Closing pursuant to this Agreement.
  - (ii) Such Buyer shall have received the opinion of Duane Morris LLP, the Company's counsel, dated as of such Additional Closing Date, in the form acceptable to such Buyer.
  - (iii) The Company shall have delivered to such Buyer a copy of the Irrevocable Transfer Agent Instructions, in the form acceptable to such Buyer, which instructions shall have been delivered to and acknowledged in writing by the Company's transfer agent and shall remain in full force and effect as of such Additional Closing Date.
  - (iv) The Company shall have delivered to such Buyer a certificate evidencing the formation and good standing (if a good standing concept exists in such jurisdiction) of the Company in such entity's jurisdiction of formation issued by the Secretary of State (or comparable office) of such jurisdiction of formation as of a date within ten (10) days of such Additional Closing Date.
  - (v) The Company shall have delivered to such Buyer a certificate evidencing the Company's qualification as a foreign corporation and good standing issued by the Secretary of State (or comparable office) of each jurisdiction in which the Company conducts business and is required to so qualify, as of a date within ten (10) days of such Additional Closing Date.
  - (vi) The Company shall have delivered to such Buyer a certified copy of the Certificate of Incorporation as certified by the Delaware Secretary of State within ten (10) days of the Additional Closing Date.
  - (vii) The Company shall have delivered to such Buyer a certificate, in the form acceptable to such Buyer, executed by the Secretary of the Company and dated as of such Additional Closing Date, as to (i) the resolutions consistent with Section 3(b) as adopted by the Company's board of directors in a form reasonably acceptable to such Buyer, (ii) the Certificate of Incorporation of the Company and (iii) the Bylaws of the Company, each as in effect at such Additional Closing.
  - (viii) Each and every representation and warranty of the Company shall be true and correct as of the date when made and as of such Additional Closing Date as though originally made at that time (except for representations and warranties that speak as of a specific date, which shall be true and correct as of such specific date) and the Company shall have performed, satisfied and complied in all respects with the covenants, agreements and conditions required to be performed, satisfied or complied with by the Company at or prior to such Additional Closing Date. Such Buyer shall have received a certificate, duly executed by the Chief Executive Officer of the Company, dated as of such Additional Closing Date, to the foregoing effect and as to such other matters as may be reasonably requested by such Buyer in the form acceptable to such Buyer.

- (ix) The Company shall have delivered to such Buyer a letter from the Company's transfer agent certifying the number of shares of Common Stock outstanding on such Additional Closing Date immediately prior to such Additional Closing.
- (x) The Common Stock (A) shall be designated for quotation or listed (as applicable) on the Principal Market and (B) shall not have been suspended, as of such Additional Closing Date, by the SEC or the Principal Market from trading on the Principal Market nor shall suspension by the SEC or the Principal Market have been threatened, as of such Additional Closing Date, either (I) in writing by the SEC or the Principal Market or (II) by falling below the minimum maintenance requirements of the Principal Market.
- (xi) The Company shall have obtained all governmental, regulatory or third-party consents and approvals, if any, necessary for the sale of the Securities, including without limitation, those required by the Principal Market, if any.
- (xii) No statute, rule, regulation, executive order, decree, ruling or injunction shall have been enacted, entered, promulgated or endorsed by any court or Governmental Entity of competent jurisdiction that prohibits the consummation of any of the transactions contemplated by the Transaction Documents.
- (xiii) Since the date of execution of this Agreement, no event or series of events shall have occurred that reasonably would have or result in a Material Adverse Effect.
- (xiv) The Company shall have obtained approval of the Principal Market to list or designate for quotation (as the case may be) the Conversion Shares issuable upon conversion of such Additional Notes to be sold in such Additional Closing (without regard to any limitations on conversion set forth therein).
- (xv) Such Buyer shall have received a letter on the letterhead of the Company (the "Additional Flow of Funds Letter") duly executed by the Chief Financial Officer of the Company, setting forth the wire amounts of each Buyer and the wire transfer instructions of the Company.
  - (xvi) The Stockholder Approval shall have been obtained.
- (xvii) No bona fide dispute shall exist, by and between (or among) any of the Buyers, any holder of Notes and/or the Company, which dispute is reasonably related to this Agreement, any of the Securities and/or the transactions contemplated hereby or thereby, as applicable.
- (xviii) The Company and its Subsidiaries shall have delivered to such Buyer such other documents, instruments or certificates relating to the transactions contemplated by this Agreement as such Buyer or its counsel may reasonably request.

# 8. TERMINATION.

In the event that the Initial Closing shall not have occurred with respect to a Buyer within five (5) days of the date hereof, then such Buyer shall have the right to terminate its obligations under this Agreement with respect to itself at any time on or after the close of business on such date without liability of such Buyer to any other party; provided, however, (i) the right to terminate this Agreement under this Section 8 shall not be available to such Buyer if the failure of the transactions contemplated by this Agreement to have been consummated by such date is the result of such Buyer's breach of this Agreement and (ii) the abandonment of the sale and purchase of the Notes shall be applicable only to such Buyer providing such written notice, provided further that no such termination shall affect any obligation of the Company under this Agreement to reimburse such Buyer for the expenses described in Section 4(g) above. Nothing contained in this Section 8 shall be deemed to release any party from any liability for any breach by such party of the terms and provisions of this Agreement or the other Transaction Documents or to impair the right of any party to compel specific performance by any other party of its obligations under this Agreement or the other Transaction Documents.

#### 9. MISCELLANEOUS.

(a) Governing Law; Jurisdiction; Jury Trial. All questions concerning the construction, validity, enforcement and interpretation of this Agreement shall be governed by the internal laws of the State of New York, without giving effect to any provision or rule (whether of the State of New York or any other jurisdictions) that would cause the application of the laws of any jurisdictions other than the State of New York. The Company hereby irrevocably submits to the exclusive jurisdiction of the state and federal courts sitting in The City of New York, Borough of Manhattan, for the adjudication of any dispute hereunder or in connection herewith or under any of the other Transaction Documents or with any transaction contemplated hereby or thereby, and hereby irrevocably waives, and agrees not to assert in any suit, action or proceeding, any claim that it is not personally subject to the jurisdiction of any such court, that such suit, action or proceeding is brought in an inconvenient forum or that the venue of such suit, action or proceeding is improper. Each party hereby irrevocably waives personal service of process and consents to process being served in any such suit, action or proceeding by mailing a copy thereof to such party at the address for such notices to it under this Agreement and agrees that such service shall constitute good and sufficient service of process and notice thereof. Nothing contained herein shall be deemed to limit in any way any right to serve process in any manner permitted by law. Nothing contained herein shall be deemed or operate to preclude any Buyer from bringing suit or taking other legal action against the Company in any other jurisdiction to collect on the Company's obligations to such Buyer or to enforce a judgment or other court ruling in favor of such Buyer. EACH PARTY HEREBY IRREVOCABLY WAIVES ANY RIGHT IT MAY HAVE TO, AND AGREES NOT TO REQUEST, A JURY TRIAL FOR THE ADJUDICATION OF ANY DISPUTE HEREUNDER OR UNDER ANY OTHER TRANSACTION DOCUMENT OR IN CONNECTION WITH OR ARISING

- (b) <u>Counterparts</u>. This Agreement may be executed in two or more identical counterparts, all of which shall be considered one and the same agreement and shall become effective when counterparts have been signed by each party and delivered to the other party. In the event that any signature is delivered by facsimile transmission or by an e-mail which contains a portable document format (.pdf) file of an executed signature page, such signature page shall create a valid and binding obligation of the party executing (or on whose behalf such signature is executed) with the same force and effect as if such signature page were an original thereof.
- (c) <u>Headings; Gender.</u> The headings of this Agreement are for convenience of reference and shall not form part of, or affect the interpretation of, this Agreement. Unless the context clearly indicates otherwise, each pronoun herein shall be deemed to include the masculine, feminine, neuter, singular and plural forms thereof. The terms "including," "includes," "include" and words of like import shall be construed broadly as if followed by the words "without limitation." The terms "herein," "hereunder," "hereof" and words of like import refer to this entire Agreement instead of just the provision in which they are found.
- (d) Severability; Maximum Payment Amounts. If any provision of this Agreement is prohibited by law or otherwise determined to be invalid or unenforceable by a court of competent jurisdiction, the provision that would otherwise be prohibited, invalid or unenforceable shall be deemed amended to apply to the broadest extent that it would be valid and enforceable, and the invalidity or unenforceability of such provision shall not affect the validity of the remaining provisions of this Agreement so long as this Agreement as so modified continues to express, without material change, the original intentions of the parties as to the subject matter hereof and the prohibited nature, invalidity or unenforceability of the provision(s) in question does not substantially impair the respective expectations or reciprocal obligations of the parties or the practical realization of the benefits that would otherwise be conferred upon the parties. The parties will endeavor in good faith negotiations to replace the prohibited, invalid or unenforceable provision(s) with a valid provision(s), the effect of which comes as close as possible to that of the prohibited, invalid or unenforceable provision(s). Notwithstanding anything to the contrary contained in this Agreement or any other Transaction Document (and without implication that the following is required or applicable), it is the intention of the parties that in no event shall amounts and value paid by the Company and/or any of its Subsidiaries (as the case may be), or payable to or received by any of the Buyers, under the Transaction Documents (including without limitation, any amounts that would be characterized as "interest" under applicable law) exceed amounts permitted under any applicable law. Accordingly, if any obligation to pay, payment made to any Buyer, or collection by any Buyer pursuant the Transaction Documents is finally judicially determined to be contrary to any such applicable law, such obligation to pay, payment or collection shall be deemed to have been made by mutual mistake of such Buyer, the Company and its Subsidiaries and such amount shall be deemed to have been adjusted with retroactive effect to the maximum amount or rate of interest, as the case may be, as would not be so prohibited by the applicable law. Such adjustment shall be effected, to the extent necessary, by reducing or refunding, at the option of such Buyer, the amount of interest or any other amounts which would constitute unlawful amounts required to be paid or actually paid to such Buyer under the Transaction Documents. For greater certainty, to the extent that any interest, charges, fees, expenses or other amounts required to be paid to or received by such Buyer under any of the Transaction Documents or related thereto are held to be within the meaning of "interest" or another applicable term to otherwise be violative of applicable law, such amounts shall be pro-rated over the period of time to which they relate.

(e) Entire Agreement; Amendments. This Agreement, the other Transaction Documents and the schedules and exhibits attached hereto and thereto and the instruments referenced herein and therein supersede all other prior oral or written agreements between the Buyers, the Company, its Subsidiaries, their affiliates and Persons acting on their behalf, including, without limitation, any transactions by any Buyer with respect to Common Stock or the Securities, and the other matters contained herein and therein, and this Agreement, the other Transaction Documents, the schedules and exhibits attached hereto and thereto and the instruments referenced herein and therein contain the entire understanding of the parties solely with respect to the matters covered herein and therein; provided, however, nothing contained in this Agreement or any other Transaction Document shall (or shall be deemed to) (i) have any effect on any agreements any Buyer has entered into with, or any instruments any Buyer has received from, the Company or any of its Subsidiaries prior to the date hereof with respect to any prior investment made by such Buyer in the Company or (ii) waive, alter, modify or amend in any respect any obligations of the Company or any of its Subsidiaries, or any rights of or benefits to any Buyer or any other Person, in any agreement entered into prior to the date hereof between or among the Company and/or any of its Subsidiaries and any Buyer, or any instruments any Buyer received from the Company and/or any of its Subsidiaries prior to the date hereof, and all such agreements and instruments shall continue in full force and effect. Except as specifically set forth herein or therein, neither the Company nor any Buyer makes any representation, warranty, covenant or undertaking with respect to such matters. For clarification purposes, the Recitals are part of this Agreement. No provision of this Agreement may be amended other than by an instrument in writing signed by the Company and the Required Holders (as defined below), and any amendment to any provision of this Agreement made in conformity with the provisions of this Section 9(e) shall be binding on all Buyers and holders of Securities, as applicable; provided that no such amendment shall be effective to the extent that it (A) applies to less than all of the holders of the Securities then outstanding or (B) imposes any obligation or liability on any Buyer without such Buyer's prior written consent (which may be granted or withheld in such Buyer's sole discretion). No waiver shall be effective unless it is in writing and signed by an authorized representative of the waiving party, provided that the Required Holders may waive any provision of this Agreement, and any waiver of any provision of this Agreement made in conformity with the provisions of this Section 9(e) shall be binding on all Buyers and holders of Securities, as applicable, provided that no such waiver shall be effective to the extent that it (1) applies to less than all of the holders of the Securities then outstanding (unless a party gives a waiver as to itself only) or (2) imposes any obligation or liability on any Buyer without such Buyer's prior written consent (which may be granted or withheld in such Buyer's sole discretion). No consideration (other than reimbursement of legal fees) shall be offered or paid to any Person to amend or consent to a waiver or modification of any provision of any of the Transaction Documents unless the same consideration also is offered to all of the parties to the Transaction Documents, all holders of the Notes. From the date hereof and while any Notes are outstanding, the Company shall not be permitted to receive any consideration from a Buyer or a holder of Notes that is not otherwise contemplated by the Transaction Documents in order to, directly or indirectly, induce the Company or any Subsidiary (i) to treat such Buyer or holder of Notes in a manner that is more favorable than to other similarly situated Buyers or holders of Notes, or (ii) to treat any Buyer(s) or holder(s) of Notes in a manner that is less favorable than the Buyer or holder of Notes that is paying such consideration; provided, however, that the determination of whether a Buyer has been treated more or less favorably than another Buyer shall disregard any securities of the Company purchased or sold by any Buyer. The Company has not, directly or indirectly, made any agreements with any Buyers relating to the terms or conditions of the transactions contemplated by the Transaction Documents except as set forth in the Transaction Documents. Without limiting the foregoing, the Company confirms that, except as set forth in this Agreement, no Buyer has made any commitment or promise or has any other obligation to provide any financing to the Company, any Subsidiary or otherwise. As a material inducement for each Buyer to enter into this Agreement, the Company expressly acknowledges and agrees that (x) no due diligence or other investigation or inquiry conducted by a Buyer, any of its advisors or any of its representatives shall affect such Buyer's right to rely on, or shall modify or qualify in any manner or be an exception to any of, the Company's representations and warranties contained in this Agreement or any other Transaction Document and (y) unless a provision of this Agreement or any other Transaction Document is expressly preceded by the phrase "except as disclosed in the SEC Documents," nothing contained in any of the SEC Documents shall affect such Buyer's right to rely on, or shall modify or qualify in any manner or be an exception to any of, the Company's representations and warranties contained in this Agreement or any other Transaction Document. "Required Holders" means (I) prior to the Additional Closing Expiration Date, each Buyer entitled to purchase Notes at a Closing hereunder and (II) on or after the Additional Closing Expiration Date, holders of a majority of the Registrable Securities as of such time (excluding any Registrable Securities held by the Company or any of its Subsidiaries as of such time) issued or issuable hereunder or pursuant to the Notes (or the Buyers, with respect to any waiver or amendment of Section 4(o)).

(f) Notices. Any notices, consents, waivers or other communications required or permitted to be given under the terms of this Agreement must be in writing and will be deemed to have been delivered: (i) upon receipt, when delivered personally; (ii) upon receipt, when sent by electronic mail (provided that such sent email is kept on file (whether electronically or otherwise) by the sending party and the sending party does not receive an automatically generated message from the recipient's email server that such e-mail could not be delivered to such recipient); or (iii) one (1) Business Day after deposit with an overnight courier service with next day delivery specified, in each case, properly addressed to the party to receive the same. The mailing addresses and e-mail addresses for such communications shall be:

On or before the Initial Closing, if to the Company:

Apimeds Pharmaceuticals US, Inc. 100 Matawan Road, Suite 325 New Jersey, NJ 07747 Attention: Erik Emerson E-Mail: erik@apimedsus.com

On or before the Initial Closing, with a copy (for informational purposes only) to:

Nelson Mullins Riley & Scarborough LLP 301 Hillsborough Street, Suite 1400 Raleigh, NC 27603 Attn: David Mannheim; Mike Bradshaw

E-mail: david.mannheim@nelsonmullins.com; mike.bradshaw@nelsonmullins.com

Following the Initial Closing, if to the Company:

TechyTrade Innovations Pte Ltd 60 Paya Lebar Road. #04-23 Singapore 409051 Attn: Vin Menon Phone: 011.65-8766-2816

Phone: 011 65- 8766-2816 E-mail: vin@mindwavedao.com

Following the Initial Closing, with a copy (for informational purposes only) to:

Duane Morris LLP 901 New York Avenue N.W., Suite 700 East Washington, D.C. 20001-4795 Attention: Andrew M. Tucker E-Mail: atucker@duanemorris.com

If to the Transfer Agent:

VStock Transfer, LLC 18 Lafayette Place Woodmere, NY 11598 Telephone: (212) 828-8436 Attention: Young Kim

E-Mail: young@vstocktransfer.com; saction@vstocktransfer.com

If to a Buyer, to its mailing address and e-mail address set forth on the Schedule of Buyers, with copies to such Buyer's representatives as set forth on the Schedule of Buyers,

with a copy (for informational purposes only) to:

Kelley Drye & Warren LLP 3 World Trade Center 175 Greenwich Street New York, NY 10007 Telephone: (212) 808-7540

Attention: Michael A. Adelstein, Esq. E-mail: madelstein@kelleydrye.com

or to such other mailing address and/or e-mail address and/or to the attention of such other Person as the recipient party has specified by written notice given to each other party five (5) days prior to the effectiveness of such change, provided that Kelley Drye & Warren LLP shall only be provided copies of notices sent to the lead Buyer. Written confirmation of receipt (A) given by the recipient of such notice, consent, waiver or other communication, (B) mechanically or electronically generated by the sender's e-mail containing the time, date and recipient's e-mail or (C) provided by an overnight courier service shall be rebuttable evidence of personal service, receipt by e-mail or receipt from an overnight courier service in accordance with clause (i), (ii) or (iii) above, respectively.

- (g) <u>Successors and Assigns</u>. This Agreement shall be binding upon and inure to the benefit of the parties and their respective successors and assigns, including any purchasers of any of the Notes. The Company shall not assign this Agreement or any rights or obligations hereunder without the prior written consent of the Required Holders, including, without limitation, by way of a Fundamental Transaction (as defined in the Notes) (unless the Company is in compliance with the applicable provisions governing Fundamental Transactions set forth in the Notes). A Buyer may assign some or all of its rights hereunder in connection with any transfer of any of its Securities without the consent of the Company, in which event such assignee shall be deemed to be a Buyer hereunder with respect to such assigned rights.
- (h) No Third Party Beneficiaries. This Agreement is intended for the benefit of the parties hereto and their respective permitted successors and assigns, and is not for the benefit of, nor may any provision hereof be enforced by, any other Person, other than the Indemnitees (as defined below) referred to in Section 9(k).
- (i) <u>Survival</u>. The representations, warranties, agreements and covenants shall survive each Closing. Each Buyer shall be responsible only for its own representations, warranties, agreements and covenants hereunder.
- (j) <u>Further Assurances</u>. Each party shall do and perform, or cause to be done and performed, all such further acts and things, and shall execute and deliver all such other agreements, certificates, instruments and documents, as any other party may reasonably request in order to carry out the intent and accomplish the purposes of this Agreement and the consummation of the transactions contemplated hereby.

- (k) Indemnification. In consideration of each Buyer's execution and delivery of the Transaction Documents and acquiring the Securities thereunder and in addition to all of the Company's other obligations under the Transaction Documents, the Company shall defend, protect, indemnify and hold harmless each Buyer and each holder of any Securities and all of their stockholders, partners, members, officers, directors, employees and direct or indirect investors and any of the foregoing Persons' agents or other representatives (including, without limitation, those retained in connection with the transactions contemplated by this Agreement) (collectively, the "Indemnitees") from and against any and all actions, causes of action, suits, claims, losses, costs, penalties, fees, liabilities and damages, and expenses in connection therewith (irrespective of whether any such Indemnitee is a party to the action for which indemnification hereunder is sought), and including reasonable attorneys' fees and disbursements (the "Indemnified Liabilities"), incurred by any Indemnitee as a result of, or arising out of, or relating to (i) any misrepresentation or breach of any representation or warranty made by the Company or any Subsidiary in any of the Transaction Documents, (ii) any breach of any covenant, agreement or obligation of the Company or any Subsidiary contained in any of the Transaction Documents or (iii) any cause of action, suit, proceeding or claim brought or made against such Indemnitee by a third party (including for these purposes a derivative action brought on behalf of the Company or any Subsidiary) or which otherwise involves such Indemnitee that arises out of or results from (A) the execution, delivery, performance or enforcement of any of the Transaction Documents, (B) any transaction financed or to be financed in whole or in part, directly or indirectly, with the proceeds of the issuance of the Securities, (C) any disclosure properly made by such Buyer pursuant to Section 4(i), or (D) the status of such Buyer or holder of the Securities either as an investor in the Company pursuant to the transactions contemplated by the Transaction Documents or as a party to this Agreement (including, without limitation, as a party in interest or otherwise in any action or proceeding for injunctive or other equitable relief). To the extent that the foregoing undertaking by the Company may be unenforceable for any reason, the Company shall make the maximum contribution to the payment and satisfaction of each of the Indemnified Liabilities which is permissible under applicable law. Except as otherwise set forth herein, the mechanics and procedures with respect to the rights and obligations under this Section 9(k) shall be the same as those set forth in Section 6 of the Registration Rights Agreement.
- (l) <u>Construction</u>. The language used in this Agreement will be deemed to be the language chosen by the parties to express their mutual intent, and no rules of strict construction will be applied against any party. No specific representation or warranty shall limit the generality or applicability of a more general representation or warranty. Each and every reference to share prices, shares of Common Stock and any other numbers in this Agreement that relate to the Common Stock shall be automatically adjusted for any stock splits, stock dividends, stock combinations, recapitalizations or other similar transactions that occur with respect to the Common Stock after the date of this Agreement. Notwithstanding anything in this Agreement to the contrary, for the avoidance of doubt, nothing contained herein shall constitute a representation or warranty against, or a prohibition of, any actions with respect to the borrowing of, arrangement to borrow, identification of the availability of, and/or securing of, securities of the Company in order for such Buyer (or its broker or other financial representative) to effect short sales or similar transactions in the future.
- (m) Remedies. Each Buyer and in the event of assignment by Buyer of its rights and obligations hereunder, each holder of Securities, shall have all rights and remedies set forth in the Transaction Documents and all rights and remedies which such holders have been granted at any time under any other agreement or contract and all of the rights which such holders have under any law. Any Person having any rights under any provision of this Agreement shall be entitled to enforce such rights specifically (without posting a bond or other security), to recover damages by reason of any breach of any provision of this Agreement and to exercise all other rights granted by law. Furthermore, the Company recognizes that in the event that it or any Subsidiary fails to perform, observe, or discharge any or all of its or such Subsidiary's (as the case may be) obligations under the Transaction Documents, any remedy at law would inadequate relief to the Buyers. The Company therefore agrees that the Buyers shall be entitled to specific performance and/or temporary, preliminary and permanent injunctive or other equitable relief from any court of competent jurisdiction in any such case without the necessity of proving actual damages and without posting a bond or other security. The remedies provided in this Agreement and the other Transaction Documents shall be cumulative and in addition to all other remedies available under this Agreement and the other Transaction Documents shall be cumulative and in addition to all other remedies available under this Agreement and the other Transaction Documents and/or other injunctive relief).

- (n) Withdrawal Right. Notwithstanding anything to the contrary contained in (and without limiting any similar provisions of) the Transaction Documents, whenever any Buyer exercises a right, election, demand or option under a Transaction Document and the Company or any Subsidiary does not timely perform its related obligations within the periods therein provided, then such Buyer may rescind or withdraw, in its sole discretion from time to time upon written notice to the Company or such Subsidiary (as the case may be), any relevant notice, demand or election in whole or in part without prejudice to its future actions and rights.
- (o) <u>Payment Set Aside; Currency.</u> To the extent that the Company makes a payment or payments to any Buyer hereunder or pursuant to any of the other Transaction Documents or any of the Buyers enforce or exercise their rights hereunder or thereunder, and such payment or payments or the proceeds of such enforcement or exercise or any part thereof are subsequently invalidated, declared to be fraudulent or preferential, set aside, recovered from, disgorged by or are required to be refunded, repaid or otherwise restored to the Company, a trustee, receiver or any other Person under any law (including, without limitation, any bankruptcy law, foreign, state or federal law, common law or equitable cause of action), then to the extent of any such restoration the obligation or part thereof originally intended to be satisfied shall be revived and continued in full force and effect as if such payment had not been made or such enforcement or setoff had not occurred. Unless otherwise expressly indicated, all dollar amounts referred to in this Agreement and the other Transaction Documents are in United States Dollars ("U.S. Dollars"), and all amounts owing under this Agreement and all other Transaction Documents shall be paid in U.S. Dollars. All amounts denominated in other currencies (if any) shall be converted into the U.S. Dollar equivalent amount in accordance with the Exchange Rate on the date of calculation. "Exchange Rate" means, in relation to any amount of currency to be converted into U.S. Dollars pursuant to this Agreement, the U.S. Dollar exchange rate as published in the Wall Street Journal on the relevant date of calculation.

#### (p) Judgment Currency.

- (i) If for the purpose of obtaining or enforcing judgment against the Company in connection with this Agreement or any other Transaction Document in any court in any jurisdiction it becomes necessary to convert into any other currency (such other currency being hereinafter in this Section 9(p) referred to as the "Judgment Currency") an amount due in US Dollars under this Agreement, the conversion shall be made at the Exchange Rate prevailing on the Trading Day immediately preceding:
  - (1) the date actual payment of the amount due, in the case of any proceeding in the courts of New York or in the courts of any other jurisdiction that will give effect to such conversion being made on such date: or

- (2) the date on which the foreign court determines, in the case of any proceeding in the courts of any other jurisdiction (the date as of which such conversion is made pursuant to this Section 9(p)(i)(2) being hereinafter referred to as the "Judgment Conversion Date").
- (ii) If in the case of any proceeding in the court of any jurisdiction referred to in Section 9(p)(i)(2) above, there is a change in the Exchange Rate prevailing between the Judgment Conversion Date and the date of actual payment of the amount due, the applicable party shall pay such adjusted amount as may be necessary to ensure that the amount paid in the Judgment Currency, when converted at the Exchange Rate prevailing on the date of payment, will produce the amount of US Dollars which could have been purchased with the amount of Judgment Currency stipulated in the judgment or judicial order at the Exchange Rate prevailing on the Judgment Conversion Date.
- (iii) Any amount due from the Company under this provision shall be due as a separate debt and shall not be affected by judgment being obtained for any other amounts due under or in respect of this Agreement or any other Transaction Document.
- (q) Independent Nature of Buyers' Obligations and Rights. The obligations of each Buyer under the Transaction Documents are several and not joint with the obligations of any other Buyer, and no Buyer shall be responsible in any way for the performance of the obligations of any other Buyer under any Transaction Document. Nothing contained herein or in any other Transaction Document, and no action taken by any Buyer pursuant hereto or thereto, shall be deemed to constitute the Buyers as, and the Company acknowledges that the Buyers do not so constitute, a partnership, an association, a joint venture or any other kind of group or entity, or create a presumption that the Buyers are in any way acting in concert or as a group or entity, and the Company shall not assert any such claim with respect to such obligations or the transactions contemplated by the Transaction Documents or any matters, and the Company acknowledges that the Buyers are not acting in concert or as a group, and the Company shall not assert any such claim, with respect to such obligations or the transactions contemplated by the Transaction Documents. The decision of each Buyer to purchase Securities pursuant to the Transaction Documents has been made by such Buyer independently of any other Buyer. Each Buyer acknowledges that no other Buyer has acted as agent for such Buyer in connection with such Buyer making its investment hereunder and that no other Buyer will be acting as agent of such Buyer in connection with monitoring such Buyer's investment in the Securities or enforcing its rights under the Transaction Documents. The Company and each Buyer confirms that each Buyer has independently participated with the Company and its Subsidiaries in the negotiation of the transaction contemplated hereby with the advice of its own counsel and advisors. Each Buyer shall be entitled to independently protect and enforce its rights, including, without limitation, the rights arising out of this Agreement or out of any other Transaction Documents, and it shall not be necessary for any other Buyer to be joined as an additional party in any proceeding for such purpose. The use of a single agreement to effectuate the purchase and sale of the Securities contemplated hereby was solely in the control of the Company, not the action or decision of any Buyer, and was done solely for the convenience of the Company and its Subsidiaries and not because it was required or requested to do so by any Buyer. It is expressly understood and agreed that each provision contained in this Agreement and in each other Transaction Document is between the Company, each Subsidiary and a Buyer, solely, and not between the Company, its Subsidiaries and the Buyers collectively and not between and among the Buyers.

[signature pages follow]

${\bf IN}$ WITNESS WHEREOF, each Buyer and the Company have caused their written above.	respective signature page to this Agreement to be duly executed as of the date first
	COMPANY:
	APIMEDS PHARMACEUTICALS US, INC.
	By: Name: Title:

BUYER:	
By: Name: Title:	

# SCHEDULE OF BUYERS

(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(8)
Buyer	Mailing Address and E-mail Address	Original Principal Amount of Initial Notes	Aggregate Maximum Original Principal Amount of Additional Notes for Additional Optional Closings	Maximum Original Principal Amount of Additional Notes for Additional	Aggregate Maximum Original Principal Amount of Additional Notes for the Additional Mutual Closings	Initial Purchase Price	Aggregate Maximum Additional Purchase Price	Legal Representative's Mailing Address and E-mail Address

#### REGISTRATION RIGHTS AGREEMENT

This **REGISTRATION RIGHTS AGREEMENT** (this "**Agreement**"), dated as of December 1, 2025, is by and among Apimeds Pharmaceuticals US, Inc., a Delaware corporation with offices located at 100 Matawan Road, Suite 325, New Jersey, NJ 07747 (the "**Company**"), and the undersigned buyers (each, a "**Buyer**," and collectively, the "**Buyers**").

## RECITALS

- A. In connection with the Securities Purchase Agreement by and among the parties hereto, dated as of December 1, 2025 (the "Securities Purchase Agreement"), the Company has agreed, upon the terms and subject to the conditions of the Securities Purchase Agreement, to issue and sell to each Buyer the Notes (as defined in the Securities Purchase Agreement) which will be convertible into Conversion Shares (as defined in the Securities Purchase Agreement) in accordance with the terms of the Notes.
- B. To induce the Buyers to consummate the transactions contemplated by the Securities Purchase Agreement, the Company has agreed to provide certain registration rights under the Securities Act of 1933, as amended, and the rules and regulations thereunder, or any similar successor statute (collectively, the "1933 Act"), and applicable state securities laws.

#### **AGREEMENT**

NOW, THEREFORE, in consideration of the premises and the mutual covenants contained herein and for other good and valuable consideration, the receipt and sufficiency of which are hereby acknowledged, the Company and each of the Buyers hereby agree as follows:

#### 1. Definitions.

Capitalized terms used herein and not otherwise defined herein shall have the respective meanings set forth in the Securities Purchase Agreement. As used in this Agreement, the following terms shall have the following meanings:

- (a) "Business Day" means any day other than Saturday, Sunday or other day on which commercial banks in The City of New York are authorized or required by law to remain closed; provided, however, for clarification, commercial banks shall not be deemed to be authorized or required by law to remain closed due to "stay at home", "shelter-in-place", "non-essential employee" or any other similar orders or restrictions or the closure of any physical branch locations at the direction of any governmental authority so long as the electronic funds transfer systems (including for wire transfers) of commercial banks in The City of New York generally are open for use by customers on such day.
  - (b) "Effective Date" means the date that the applicable Registration Statement has been declared effective by the SEC.

- (c) "Effectiveness Deadline" means (i) with respect to the initial Registration Statement required to be filed pursuant to Section 2(a), the earlier of the (A) 75<sup>th</sup> calendar day (or 120<sup>th</sup> calendar day in the event of a full SEC review) after the Initial Closing Date and (B) 2<sup>nd</sup> Business Day after the date the Company is notified (orally or in writing, whichever is earlier) by the SEC that such Registration Statement will not be reviewed or will not be subject to further review and (ii) with respect to any additional Registration Statements that may be required to be filed by the Company pursuant to this Agreement, the earlier of the (A) 75<sup>th</sup> calendar day (or 120<sup>th</sup> calendar day in the event of a full SEC review)following the date on which the Company was required to file such additional Registration Statement and (B) 2<sup>nd</sup> Business Day after the date the Company is notified (orally or in writing, whichever is earlier) by the SEC that such Registration Statement will not be reviewed or will not be subject to further review. Notwithstanding the foregoing, if the SEC is closed on any Trading Day or otherwise does not accept filings on a Trading Day (in each case, other than a Holiday) (each, an "Unavailable Trading Day"), the Effectiveness Deadline above is subject to extension, on a day-by-day basis for each such Unavailable Trading Day not in excess of thirty (30) Trading Days.
- (d) "Filing Deadline" means (i) with respect to the initial Registration Statement required to be filed pursuant to Section 2(a), the 45<sup>th</sup> calendar day after the Initial Closing Date and (ii) with respect to any additional Registration Statements that may be required to be filed by the Company pursuant to this Agreement, the date on which the Company was required to file such additional Registration Statement pursuant to the terms of this Agreement; provided that the Filing Deadline shall be extended by the number of days, if any, that the SEC is closed or otherwise is not accepting filings up to a maximum extension of thirty (30) calendar days.
  - (e) "Initial Closing Date" shall have the meaning set forth in the Securities Purchase Agreement.
- (f) "Investor" means a Buyer or any transferee or assignee of any Registrable Securities or Notes, as applicable, to whom a Buyer assigns its rights under this Agreement and who agrees to become bound by the provisions of this Agreement in accordance with Section 9 and any transferee or assignee thereof to whom a transferee or assignee of any Registrable Securities or Notes, as applicable, assigns its rights under this Agreement and who agrees to become bound by the provisions of this Agreement in accordance with Section 9.
- (g) "Person" means an individual, a limited liability company, a partnership, a joint venture, a corporation, a trust, an unincorporated organization or a government or any department or agency thereof.
- (h) "registered," and "registration" refer to a registration effected by preparing and filing one or more Registration Statements in compliance with the 1933 Act and pursuant to Rule 415 and the declaration of effectiveness of such Registration Statement(s) by the SEC.
- (i) "Registrable Securities" means (i) the Conversion Shares, and (ii) any capital stock of the Company issued or issuable with respect to the Conversion Shares or the Notes, including, without limitation, (1) as a result of any stock split, stock dividend, recapitalization, exchange or similar event or otherwise and (2) shares of capital stock of the Company into which the shares of Common Stock (as defined in the Notes) are converted or exchanged and shares of capital stock of a Successor Entity (as defined in the Notes) into which the shares of Common Stock are converted or exchanged, in each case, without regard to any limitations on conversion of the Notes.

- (j) "Registration Statement" means a registration statement or registration statements of the Company filed under the 1933 Act covering Registrable Securities.
- (k) "Required Holders" shall have the meaning as set forth in the Securities Purchase Agreement.
- (l) "Required Registration Amount" means, as of any time of determination, 300% of the maximum number of Conversion Shares issuable upon conversion of the Notes (assuming for purposes hereof that (w) all Additional Notes (as defined in the Securities Purchase Agreement) issuable pursuant to the Securities Purchase Agreement shall have been issued at an Additional Closing (as defined in the Securities Purchase Agreement) on the Initial Closing Date, (x) the Notes are convertible at the Conversion Price (as defined in the Notes) assuming an Conversion Date (as defined in the Notes) as of such time of determination, and (y) any such conversion shall not take into account any limitations on the conversion of the Notes set forth in the Notes), all subject to adjustment as provided in Section 2(d) and/or Section 2(f).
- (m) "Rule 144" means Rule 144 promulgated by the SEC under the 1933 Act, as such rule may be amended from time to time, or any other similar or successor rule or regulation of the SEC that may at any time permit the Investors to sell securities of the Company to the public without registration.
- (n) "Rule 415" means Rule 415 promulgated by the SEC under the 1933 Act, as such rule may be amended from time to time, or any other similar or successor rule or regulation of the SEC providing for offering securities on a continuous or delayed basis.
  - (o) "SEC" means the United States Securities and Exchange Commission or any successor thereto.

#### 2. Registration.

- (a) Mandatory Registration. The Company shall prepare and, as soon as practicable, but in no event later than the Filing Deadline, file with the SEC an initial Registration Statement on Form S-3 covering the resale of all of the Registrable Securities, provided that such initial Registration Statement shall register for resale at least the number of shares of Common Stock equal to the Required Registration Amount as of the date such Registration Statement is initially filed with the SEC; provided further that if Form S-3 is unavailable for such a registration, the Company shall use such other form as is required by Section 2(c). Such initial Registration Statement, and each other Registration Statement required to be filed pursuant to the terms of this Agreement, shall contain (except if otherwise directed by the Required Holders) the "Selling Stockholders" and "Plan of Distribution" sections in substantially the form attached hereto as Exhibit B. The Company shall use its reasonable best efforts to have such initial Registration Statement, and each other Registration Statement required to be filed pursuant to the terms of this Agreement, declared effective by the SEC as soon as practicable, but in no event later than the applicable Effectiveness Deadline for such Registration Statement.
- (b) <u>Legal Counsel</u>. Subject to Section 5 hereof, Kelley Drye & Warren LLP, counsel solely to the lead investor ("Legal Counsel") shall review and oversee any registration, solely on behalf of the lead investor, pursuant to this Section 2.
- (c) Ineligibility to Use Form S-3. In the event that Form S-3 is not available for the registration of the resale of Registrable Securities hereunder, the Company shall (i) register the resale of the Registrable Securities on Form S-1 or another appropriate form reasonably acceptable to the Required Holders and (ii) undertake to register the resale of the Registrable Securities on Form S-3 as soon as such form is available, provided that the Company shall maintain the effectiveness of all Registration Statements then in effect until such time as a Registration Statement on Form S-3 covering the resale of all the Registrable Securities has been declared effective by the SEC and the prospectus contained therein is available for use.

(d) <u>Sufficient Number of Shares Registered.</u> In the event the number of shares available under any Registration Statement is insufficient to cover all of the Registrable Securities required to be covered by such Registration Statement or an Investor's allocated portion of the Registrable Securities pursuant to Section 2(h), the Company shall amend such Registration Statement (if permissible), or file with the SEC a new Registration Statement (on the short form available therefor, if applicable), or both, so as to cover at least the Required Registration Amount as of the Trading Day (as defined in the Notes) immediately preceding the date of the filing of such amendment or new Registration Statement, in each case, as soon as practicable, but in any event not later than fifteen (15) days after the necessity therefor arises (but taking account of any Staff position with respect to the date on which the Staff will permit such amendment to the Registration Statement and/or such new Registration Statement (as the case may be) to be filed with the SEC). The Company shall use its reasonable best efforts to cause such amendment to such Registration Statement and/or such new Registration Statement (as the case may be) to become effective as soon as practicable following the filing thereof with the SEC, but in no event later than the applicable Effectiveness Deadline for such Registration Statement. For purposes of the foregoing provision, the number of shares available under a Registration Statement shall be deemed "insufficient to cover all of the Registrable Securities" if at any time the number of shares of Common Stock available for resale under the applicable Registration Statement is less than the product determined by multiplying (i) the Required Registration Amount as of such time by (ii) 0.90. The calculation set forth in the foregoing sentence shall be made without regard to any limitations on conversion, amortization and/or redemption of the Notes (and such calculation shall assume (A) that the Notes are then

(e) Effect of Failure to File and Obtain and Maintain Effectiveness of any Registration Statement. If (i) a Registration Statement covering the resale of all of the Registrable Securities required to be covered thereby (disregarding any reduction pursuant to Section 2(f)) and required to be filed by the Company pursuant to this Agreement is (A) not filed with the SEC on or before the Filing Deadline for such Registration Statement (a "Filing Failure") (it being understood that if the Company files a Registration Statement without affording each Investor and Legal Counsel the opportunity to review and comment on the same as required by Section 3(c) hereof, the Company shall be deemed to not have satisfied this clause (i)(A) and such event shall be deemed to be a Filing Failure) or (B) not declared effective by the SEC on or before the Effectiveness Deadline for such Registration Statement (an "Effectiveness Failure") (it being understood that if on the Business Day immediately following the Effective Date for such Registration Statement the Company shall not have filed a "final" prospectus for such Registration Statement with the SEC under Rule 424(b) in accordance with Section 3(b) (whether or not such a prospectus is technically required by such rule), the Company shall be deemed to not have satisfied this clause (i)(B) and such event shall be deemed to be an Effectiveness Failure). (ii) other than during an Allowable Grace Period (as defined below), on any day after the Effective Date of a Registration Statement sales of all of the Registrable Securities required to be included on such Registration Statement (disregarding any reduction pursuant to Section 2(f)) cannot be made pursuant to such Registration Statement (including, without limitation, because of a failure to keep such Registration Statement effective, a failure to disclose such information as is necessary for sales to be made pursuant to such Registration Statement, a suspension or delisting of (or a failure to timely list) the shares of Common Stock on the Principal Market (as defined in the Securities Purchase Agreement) or any other limitations imposed by the Principal Market, or a failure to register a sufficient number of shares of Common Stock or by reason of a stop order) or the prospectus contained therein is not available for use for any reason (a "Maintenance Failure"), or (iii) if a Registration Statement is not effective for any reason or the prospectus contained therein is not available for use for any reason, and either (x) the Company fails for any reason to satisfy the requirements of Rule 144(c)(1), including, without limitation, the failure to satisfy the current public information requirement under Rule 144(c) or (y) the Company has ever been an issuer described in Rule 144(i)(1)(i) or becomes such an issuer in the future, and the Company shall fail to satisfy any condition set forth in Rule 144(i)(2) (a "Current Public Information Failure") as a result of which any of the Investors are unable to sell Registrable Securities without restriction under Rule 144 (including, without limitation, volume restrictions), then, as partial relief for the damages to any holder by reason of any such delay in, or reduction of, its ability to sell the underlying shares of Common Stock (which remedy shall not be exclusive of any other remedies available at law or in equity, including, without limitation, specific performance), the Company shall pay to each holder of Registrable Securities relating to such Registration Statement an amount in cash equal to one percent (1%) of such Investor's original principal amount stated in such Investor's Note on the Initial Closing Date (1) on the date of such Filing Failure, Effectiveness Failure, Maintenance Failure or Current Public Information Failure, as applicable, and (2) on every thirty (30) day anniversary of (I) a Filing Failure until such Filing Failure is cured; (II) an Effectiveness Failure until such Effectiveness Failure is cured; (III) a Maintenance Failure until such Maintenance Failure is cured; and (IV) a Current Public Information Failure until the earlier of (i) the date such Current Public Information Failure is cured and (ii) such time that such public information is no longer required pursuant to Rule 144 (in each case, prorated for periods totaling less than thirty (30) days). The payments to which a holder of Registrable Securities shall be entitled pursuant to this Section 2(e) are referred to herein as "Registration Delay Payments." Following the initial Registration Delay Payment for any particular event or failure (which shall be paid on the date of such event or failure, as set forth above), without limiting the foregoing, if an event or failure giving rise to the Registration Delay Payments is cured prior to any thirty (30) day anniversary of such event or failure, then such Registration Delay Payment shall be made on the third (3<sup>rd</sup>) Business Day after such cure. In the event the Company fails to make Registration Delay Payments in a timely manner in accordance with the foregoing, such Registration Delay Payments shall bear interest at the rate of one percent (1%) per month (prorated for partial months) until paid in full. Notwithstanding the foregoing, no Registration Delay Payments shall be owed to an Investor (other than with respect to a Maintenance Failure resulting from a suspension or delisting of (or a failure to timely list) the shares of Common Stock on the Principal Market) with respect to any period during which all of such Investor's Registrable Securities may be sold by such Investor without restriction under Rule 144 (including, without limitation, volume restrictions) and without the need for current public information required by Rule 144(c)(1) (or Rule 144(i)(2), if applicable).

(f) Offering. Notwithstanding anything to the contrary contained in this Agreement, but subject to the payment of the Registration Delay Payments pursuant to Section 2(e), in the event the staff of the SEC (the "Staff") or the SEC seeks to characterize any offering pursuant to a Registration Statement filed pursuant to this Agreement as constituting an offering of securities by, or on behalf of, the Company, or in any other manner, such that the Staff or the SEC do not permit such Registration Statement to become effective and used for resales in a manner that does not constitute such an offering and that permits the continuous resale at the market by the Investors participating therein (or as otherwise may be acceptable to each Investor) without being named therein as an "underwriter," then the Company shall reduce the number of shares to be included in such Registration Statement by all Investors until such time as the Staff and the SEC shall so permit such Registration Statement to become effective as aforesaid. In making such reduction, the Company shall reduce the number of shares to be included by all Investors on a pro rata basis (based upon the number of Registrable Securities otherwise required to be included for each Investor) unless the inclusion of shares by a particular Investor or a particular set of Investors are resulting in the Staff or the SEC's "by or on behalf of the Company" offering position, in which event the shares held by such Investor or set of Investors shall be the only shares subject to reduction (and if by a set of Investors on a pro rata basis by such Investors or on such other basis as would result in the exclusion of the least number of shares by all such Investors); provided, that, with respect to such pro rata portion allocated to any Investor, such Investor may elect the allocation of such pro rata portion among the Registrable Securities of such Investor. In addition, in the event that the Staff or the SEC requires any Investor seeking to sell securities under a Registration Statement filed pursuant to this Agreement to be specifically identified as an "underwriter" in order to permit such Registration Statement to become effective, and such Investor does not consent to being so named as an underwriter in such Registration Statement, then, in each such case, the Company shall reduce the total number of Registrable Securities to be registered on behalf of such Investor, until such time as the Staff or the SEC does not require such identification or until such Investor accepts such identification and the manner thereof. Any reduction pursuant to this paragraph will first reduce all Registrable Securities other than those issued pursuant to the Securities Purchase Agreement. In the event of any reduction in Registrable Securities pursuant to this paragraph, an affected Investor shall have the right to require, upon delivery of a written request to the Company signed by such Investor, the Company to file a registration statement within twenty (20) days of such request (subject to any restrictions imposed by Rule 415 or required by the Staff or the SEC) for resale by such Investor in a manner acceptable to such Investor, and the Company shall following such request cause to be and keep effective such registration statement in the same manner as otherwise contemplated in this Agreement for registration statements hereunder, in each case until such time as: (i) all Registrable Securities held by such Investor have been registered and sold pursuant to an effective Registration Statement in a manner acceptable to such Investor or (ii) all Registrable Securities may be resold by such Investor without restriction (including, without limitation, volume limitations) pursuant to Rule 144 (taking account of any Staff position with respect to "affiliate" status) and without the need for current public information required by Rule 144(c)(1) (or Rule 144(i)(2), if applicable) or (iii) such Investor agrees to be named as an underwriter in any such Registration Statement in a manner acceptable to such Investor as to all Registrable Securities held by such Investor and that have not theretofore been included in a Registration Statement under this Agreement (it being understood that the special demand right under this sentence may be exercised by an Investor multiple times and with respect to limited amounts of Registrable Securities in order to permit the resale thereof by such Investor as contemplated above).

(g) <u>Piggyback Registrations</u>. Without limiting any obligation of the Company hereunder or under the Securities Purchase Agreement, if there is not an effective Registration Statement covering all of the Registrable Securities or the prospectus contained therein is not available for use and the Company shall determine to prepare and file with the SEC a registration statement or offering statement relating to an offering for its own account or the account of others under the 1933 Act of any of its equity securities (other than on Form S-4 or Form S-8 (each as promulgated under the 1933 Act) or their then equivalents relating to equity securities to be issued solely in connection with any acquisition of any entity or business or equity securities issuable in connection with the Company's stock option or other employee benefit plans), then the Company shall deliver to each Investor a written notice of such determination and, if within fifteen (15) days after the date of the delivery of such notice, any such Investor shall so request in writing, the Company shall include in such registration statement or offering statement all or any part of such Registrable Securities such Investor requests to be registered; provided, however, the Company shall not be required to register any Registrable Securities pursuant to this Section 2(g) that are eligible for resale pursuant to Rule 144 without restriction (including, without limitation, volume restrictions) and without the need for current public information required by Rule 144(c)(1) (or Rule 144(i)(2), if applicable) or that are the subject of a then-effective Registration Statement.

- (h) Allocation of Registrable Securities. The initial number of Registrable Securities included in any Registration Statement and any increase in the number of Registrable Securities included therein shall be allocated pro rata among the Investors based on the number of Registrable Securities held by each Investor at the time such Registration Statement covering such initial number of Registrable Securities or increase thereof is declared effective by the SEC. In the event that an Investor sells or otherwise transfers any of such Investor's Registrable Securities, each transferee or assignee (as the case may be) that becomes an Investor shall be allocated a pro rata portion of the then-remaining number of Registrable Securities included in such Registration Statement for such transferor or assignee (as the case may be). Any shares of Common Stock included in a Registration Statement and which remain allocated to any Person which ceases to hold any Registrable Securities covered by such Registration Statement shall be allocated to the remaining Investors, pro rata based on the number of Registrable Securities then held by such Investors which are covered by such Registration Statement.
- (i) No Inclusion of Other Securities. The Company shall in no event include any securities other than Registrable Securities on any Registration Statement filed in accordance herewith without the prior written consent of the Required Holders. Until the Applicable Date (as defined in the Securities Purchase Agreement), the Company shall not enter into any agreement providing any registration rights to any of its security holders, except as otherwise permitted under the Securities Purchase Agreement.

## 3. Related Obligations.

The Company shall use its reasonable best efforts to effect the registration of the Registrable Securities in accordance with the intended method of disposition thereof, and, pursuant thereto, the Company shall have the following obligations:

(a) The Company shall promptly prepare and file with the SEC a Registration Statement with respect to all the Registrable Securities (but in no event later than the applicable Filing Deadline) and use its reasonable best efforts to cause such Registration Statement to become effective as soon as practicable after such filing (but in no event later than the Effectiveness Deadline). Subject to Allowable Grace Periods, the Company shall keep each Registration Statement effective (and the prospectus contained therein available for use) pursuant to Rule 415 for resales by the Investors on a delayed or continuous basis at then-prevailing market prices (and not fixed prices) at all times until the earlier of (i) the date as of which all of the Investors may sell all of the Registrable Securities required to be covered by such Registration Statement (disregarding any reduction pursuant to Section 2(f)) without restriction pursuant to Rule 144 (including, without limitation, volume restrictions) and without the need for current public information required by Rule 144(c)(1) (or Rule 144(i)(2), if applicable) or (ii) the date on which the Investors shall have sold all of the Registrable Securities covered by such Registration Statement (the "Registration Period"). Notwithstanding anything to the contrary contained in this Agreement, the Company shall ensure that, when filed and at all times while effective, each Registration Statement (including, without limitation, all amendments and supplements thereto) and the prospectus (including, without limitation, all amendments and supplements thereto) used in connection with such Registration Statement (1) shall not contain any untrue statement of a material fact or omit to state a material fact required to be stated therein, or necessary to make the statements therein (in the case of prospectuses, in the light of the circumstances in which they were made) not misleading and (2) will disclose (whether directly or through incorporation by reference to other SEC filings to the extent permitted) all material information regarding the Company and its securities. The Company shall submit to the SEC, within one (1) Business Day after the later of the date that (i) the Company learns that no review of a particular Registration Statement will be made by the Staff or that the Staff has no further comments on a particular Registration Statement (as the case may be) and (ii) the consent of Legal Counsel is obtained pursuant to Section 3(c) (which consent shall be immediately sought), a request for acceleration of effectiveness of such Registration Statement to a time and date not later than twenty-four (24) hours after the submission of such request. The Company shall respond in writing to comments made by the SEC in respect of a Registration Statement as soon as practicable, but in no event later than fifteen (15) days after the receipt of comments by or notice from the SEC that an amendment is required in order for a Registration Statement to be declared effective.

- (b) Subject to Section 3(r) of this Agreement, the Company shall prepare and file with the SEC such amendments (including, without limitation, post-effective amendments) and supplements to each Registration Statement and the prospectus used in connection with each such Registration Statement, which prospectus is to be filed pursuant to Rule 424 promulgated under the 1933 Act, as may be necessary to keep each such Registration Statement effective at all times during the Registration Period for such Registration Statement, and, during such period, comply with the provisions of the 1933 Act with respect to the disposition of all Registrable Securities of the Company required to be covered by such Registration Statement until such time as all of such Registrable Securities shall have been disposed of in accordance with the intended methods of disposition by the seller or sellers thereof as set forth in such Registration Statement; provided, however, by 8:30 a.m. (New York time) on the Business Day immediately following each Effective Date, the Company shall file with the SEC in accordance with Rule 424(b) under the 1933 Act the final prospectus to be used in connection with sales pursuant to the applicable Registration Statement (whether or not such a prospectus is technically required by such rule). In the case of amendments and supplements to any Registration Statement which are required to be filed pursuant to this Agreement (including, without limitation, pursuant to this Section 3(b)) by reason of the Company filing a report on Form 8-K, Form 10-Q or Form 10-K or any analogous report under the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended (the "1934 Act"), the Company shall, if permitted under the applicable rules and regulations of the SEC, have incorporated such report by reference into such Registration Statement, if applicable, or shall file such amendments or supplements with the SEC on the same day on which the 1934 Act report is filed which created the requirement for the Company to amend or supplement su
- (c) The Company shall (A) permit Legal Counsel and legal counsel for each other Investor to review and comment upon (i) each Registration Statement at least five (5) Business Days prior to its filing with the SEC and (ii) all amendments and supplements to each Registration Statement (including, without limitation, the prospectus contained therein) (except for Annual Reports on Form 10-K, Quarterly Reports on Form 10-Q, Current Reports on Form 8-K, and any similar or successor reports) within a reasonable number of days prior to their filing with the SEC, and (B) not file any Registration Statement or amendment or supplement thereto in a form to which Legal Counsel or any legal counsel for any other Investor reasonably objects. The Company shall not submit a request for acceleration of the effectiveness of a Registration Statement or any amendment or supplement thereto or to any prospectus contained therein without the prior consent of Legal Counsel, which consent shall not be unreasonably withheld. The Company shall promptly furnish to Legal Counsel and legal counsel for each other Investor, without charge, (i) copies of any correspondence from the SEC or the Staff to the Company or its representatives relating to each Registration Statement, provided that such correspondence shall not contain any material, non-public information regarding the Company or any of its Subsidiaries (as defined in the Securities Purchase Agreement), (ii) after the same is prepared and filed with the SEC, one (1) copy of each Registration Statement and any amendment(s) and supplement(s) thereto, including, without limitation, financial statements and schedules, all documents incorporated therein by reference, if requested by an Investor, and all exhibits and (iii) upon the effectiveness of each Registration Statement, one (1) copy of the prospectus included in such Registration Statement and all amendments and supplements thereto. The Company shall reasonably cooperate with Legal Counsel and legal counsel for each other Investor in p
- (d) The Company shall promptly furnish to each Investor whose Registrable Securities are included in any Registration Statement, without charge, (i) after the same is prepared and filed with the SEC, at least one (1) copy of each Registration Statement and any amendment(s) and supplement(s) thereto, including, without limitation, financial statements and schedules, all documents incorporated therein by reference, if requested by an Investor, all exhibits and each preliminary prospectus, (ii) upon the effectiveness of each Registration Statement, ten (10) copies of the prospectus included in such Registration Statement and all amendments and supplements thereto (or such other number of copies as such Investor may reasonably request from time to time) and (iii) such other documents, including, without limitation, copies of any preliminary or final prospectus, as such Investor may reasonably request from time to time in order to facilitate the disposition of the Registrable Securities owned by such Investor.

(e) The Company shall use its reasonable best efforts to (i) register and qualify, unless an exemption from registration and qualification applies, the resale by Investors of the Registrable Securities covered by a Registration Statement under such other securities or "blue sky" laws of all applicable jurisdictions in the United States, (ii) prepare and file in those jurisdictions, such amendments (including, without limitation, post-effective amendments) and supplements to such registrations and qualifications as may be necessary to maintain the effectiveness thereof during the Registration Period, (iii) take such other actions as may be necessary to maintain such registrations and qualifications in effect at all times during the Registration Period, and (iv) take all other actions reasonably necessary or advisable to qualify the Registrable Securities for sale in such jurisdictions; provided, however, the Company shall not be required in connection therewith or as a condition thereto to (x) qualify to do business in any jurisdiction where it would not otherwise be required to qualify but for this Section 3(e), (y) subject itself to general taxation in any such jurisdiction, or (z) file a general consent to service of process in any such jurisdiction. The Company shall promptly notify Legal Counsel, legal counsel for each other Investor and each Investor who holds Registrable Securities of the receipt by the Company of any notification with respect to the suspension of the registration or qualification of any of the Registrable Securities for sale under the securities or "blue sky" laws of any jurisdiction in the United States or its receipt of actual notice of the initiation or threatening of any proceeding for such purpose.

(f) The Company shall notify Legal Counsel, legal counsel for each other Investor and each Investor in writing of the happening of any event, as promptly as practicable after becoming aware of such event, as a result of which the prospectus included in a Registration Statement, as then in effect, may include an untrue statement of a material fact or omission to state a material fact required to be stated therein or necessary to make the statements therein, in the light of the circumstances under which they were made, not misleading (provided that in no event shall such notice contain any material, non-public information regarding the Company or any of its Subsidiaries), and, subject to Section 3(r), promptly prepare a supplement or amendment to such Registration Statement and such prospectus contained therein to correct such untrue statement or omission and deliver ten (10) copies of such supplement or amendment to Legal Counsel, legal counsel for each other Investor and each Investor (or such other number of copies as Legal Counsel, legal counsel for each other Investor or such Investor may reasonably request). The Company shall also promptly notify Legal Counsel, legal counsel for each other Investor and each Investor in writing (i) when a prospectus or any prospectus supplement or post-effective amendment has been filed, when a Registration Statement or any post-effective amendment has become effective (notification of such effectiveness shall be delivered to Legal Counsel, legal counsel for each other Investor and each Investor by e-mail on the same day of such effectiveness and by overnight mail), and when the Company receives written notice from the SEC that a Registration Statement or any post-effective amendment will be reviewed by the SEC, (ii) of any request by the SEC for amendments or supplements to a Registration Statement or related prospectus or related information, (iii) of the Company's reasonable determination that a post-effective amendment to a Registration Statement would be appropriate; and (iv) of the receipt of any request by the SEC or any other federal or state governmental authority for any additional information relating to the Registration Statement or any amendment or supplement thereto or any related prospectus. The Company shall respond as promptly as practicable to any comments received from the SEC with respect to each Registration Statement or any amendment thereto (it being understood and agreed that the Company's response to any such comments shall be delivered to the SEC no later than fifteen (15) Business Days after the receipt thereof).

- (g) The Company shall (i) use its best efforts to prevent the issuance of any stop order or other suspension of effectiveness of each Registration Statement or the use of any prospectus contained therein, or the suspension of the qualification, or the loss of an exemption from qualification, of any of the Registrable Securities for sale in any jurisdiction and, if such an order or suspension is issued, to obtain the withdrawal of such order or suspension at the earliest possible moment and (ii) notify Legal Counsel, legal counsel for each other Investor and each Investor who holds Registrable Securities of the issuance of such order and the resolution thereof or its receipt of actual notice of the initiation or threat of any proceeding for such purpose.
- (h) If any Investor may be required under applicable securities law to be described in any Registration Statement as an underwriter and such Investor consents to so being named an underwriter, at the request of any Investor, the Company shall furnish to such Investor, on the date of the effectiveness of such Registration Statement and thereafter from time to time on such dates as an Investor may reasonably request (i) a letter, dated such date, from the Company's independent certified public accountants in form and substance as is customarily given by independent certified public accountants to underwriters in an underwritten public offering, addressed to the Investors, and (ii) an opinion, dated as of such date, of counsel representing the Company for purposes of such Registration Statement, in form, scope and substance as is customarily given in an underwritten public offering, addressed to the Investors.
- (i) If any Investor may be required under applicable securities law to be described in any Registration Statement as an underwriter and such Investor consents to so being named an underwriter, upon the written request of such Investor, the Company shall make available for inspection by (i) such Investor, (ii) legal counsel for such Investor and (iii) one (1) firm of accountants or other agents retained by such Investor (collectively, the "Inspectors"), all pertinent financial and other records, and pertinent corporate documents and properties of the Company (collectively, the "Records"), as shall be reasonably deemed necessary by each Inspector, and cause the Company's officers, directors and employees to supply all information which any Inspector may reasonably request; provided, however, each Inspector shall agree in writing to hold in strict confidence and not to make any disclosure (except to such Investor) or use of any Record or other information which the Company's board of directors determines in good faith to be confidential, and of which determination the Inspectors are so notified, unless (1) the disclosure of such Records is necessary to avoid or correct a misstatement or omission in any Registration Statement or is otherwise required under the 1933 Act, (2) the release of such Records is ordered pursuant to a final, non-appealable subpoena or order from a court or government body of competent jurisdiction, or (3) the information in such Records has been made generally available to the public other than by disclosure in violation of this Agreement or any other Transaction Document (as defined in the Securities Purchase Agreement). Such Investor agrees that it shall, upon learning that disclosure of such Records is sought in or by a court or governmental body of competent jurisdiction or through other means, give prompt notice to the Company and allow the Company, at its expense, to undertake appropriate action to prevent disclosure of, or to obtain a protective order for, the Records deemed confiden

- (j) The Company shall hold in confidence and not make any disclosure of information concerning an Investor provided to the Company unless (i) disclosure of such information is necessary to comply with federal or state securities laws, (ii) the disclosure of such information is necessary to avoid or correct a misstatement or omission in any Registration Statement or is otherwise required to be disclosed in such Registration Statement pursuant to the 1933 Act, (iii) the release of such information is ordered pursuant to a subpoena or other final, non-appealable order from a court or governmental body of competent jurisdiction, or (iv) such information has been made generally available to the public other than by disclosure in violation of this Agreement or any other Transaction Document. The Company agrees that it shall, upon learning that disclosure of such information concerning an Investor is sought in or by a court or governmental body of competent jurisdiction or through other means, give prompt written notice to such Investor and allow such Investor, at such Investor's expense, to undertake appropriate action to prevent disclosure of, or to obtain a protective order for, such information.
- (k) Without limiting any obligation of the Company under the Securities Purchase Agreement, the Company shall use its best efforts either to (i) cause all of the Registrable Securities covered by each Registration Statement to be listed on each securities exchange on which securities of the same class or series issued by the Company are then listed, if any, if the listing of such Registrable Securities is then permitted under the rules of such exchange, (ii) secure designation and quotation of all of the Registrable Securities covered by each Registration Statement on an Eligible Market (as defined in the Securities Purchase Agreement), or (iii) if, despite the Company's best efforts to satisfy the preceding clauses (i) or (ii) the Company is unsuccessful in satisfying the preceding clauses (i) or (ii), without limiting the generality of the foregoing, to use its best efforts to arrange for at least two market makers to register with the Financial Industry Regulatory Authority ("FINRA") as such with respect to such Registrable Securities. In addition, the Company shall cooperate with each Investor and any broker or dealer through which any such Investor proposes to sell its Registrable Securities in effecting a filing with FINRA pursuant to FINRA Rule 5110 as requested by such Investor. The Company shall pay all fees and expenses in connection with satisfying its obligations under this Section 3(k).
- (l) The Company shall cooperate with the Investors who hold Registrable Securities being offered and, to the extent applicable, facilitate the timely preparation and delivery of certificates (not bearing any restrictive legend) representing the Registrable Securities to be offered pursuant to a Registration Statement and enable such certificates to be in such denominations or amounts (as the case may be) as the Investors may reasonably request from time to time and registered in such names as the Investors may request.
- (m) If requested by an Investor, the Company shall as soon as practicable after receipt of notice from such Investor and subject to Section 3(r) hereof, (i) incorporate in a prospectus supplement or post-effective amendment such information as an Investor reasonably requests to be included therein relating to the sale and distribution of Registrable Securities, including, without limitation, information with respect to the number of Registrable Securities being offered or sold, the purchase price being paid therefor and any other terms of the offering of the Registrable Securities to be sold in such offering; (ii) make all required filings of such prospectus supplement or post-effective amendment after being notified of the matters to be incorporated in such prospectus supplement or post-effective amendment; and (iii) supplement or make amendments to any Registration Statement or prospectus contained therein if reasonably requested by an Investor holding any Registrable Securities.

- (n) The Company shall use its best efforts to cause the Registrable Securities covered by a Registration Statement to be registered with or approved by such other governmental agencies or authorities as may be necessary to consummate the disposition of such Registrable Securities.
- (o) The Company shall make generally available to its security holders as soon as practical, but not later than ninety (90) days after the close of the period covered thereby, an earnings statement (in form complying with, and in the manner provided by, the provisions of Rule 158 under the 1933 Act) covering a twelve-month period beginning not later than the first day of the Company's fiscal quarter next following the applicable Effective Date of each Registration Statement.
- (p) The Company shall otherwise use its reasonable best efforts to comply with all applicable rules and regulations of the SEC in connection with any registration hereunder.
- (q) Within one (1) Business Day after a Registration Statement which covers Registrable Securities is declared effective by the SEC, the Company shall deliver, and shall cause legal counsel for the Company to deliver, to the transfer agent for such Registrable Securities (with copies to the Investors whose Registrable Securities are included in such Registration Statement) confirmation that such Registration Statement has been declared effective by the SEC in the form attached hereto as **Exhibit A**.
- (r) Notwithstanding anything to the contrary herein (but subject to the last sentence of this Section 3(r)), at any time after the Effective Date of a particular Registration Statement, the Company may delay the disclosure of material, non-public information concerning the Company or any of its Subsidiaries the disclosure of which at the time is not, in the good faith opinion of the board of directors of the Company, in the best interest of the Company and, in the opinion of counsel to the Company, otherwise required (a "Grace Period"), provided that the Company shall promptly notify the Investors in writing of the (i) existence of material, non-public information giving rise to a Grace Period (provided that in each such notice the Company shall not disclose the content of such material, non-public information to any of the Investors) and the date on which such Grace Period will begin and (ii) date on which such Grace Period ends, provided further that (I) no Grace Period shall exceed ten (10) consecutive days and during any three hundred sixty five (365) day period all such Grace Periods shall not exceed an aggregate of thirty (30) days, (II) the first day of any Grace Period must be at least five (5) Trading Days after the last day of any prior Grace Period and (III) no Grace Period may exist during the sixty (60) Trading Day period immediately following the Effective Date of such Registration Statement (provided that such sixty (60) Trading Day period shall be extended by the number of Trading Days during such period and any extension thereof contemplated by this proviso during which such Registration Statement is not effective or the prospectus contained therein is not available for use) (each, an "Allowable Grace Period"). For purposes of determining the length of a Grace Period above, such Grace Period shall begin on and include the date the Investors receive the notice referred to in clause (i) above and shall end on and include the later of the date the Investors receive the notice referred to in clause (ii) above and the date referred to in such notice. The provisions of Section 3(g) hereof shall not be applicable during the period of any Allowable Grace Period. Upon expiration of each Grace Period, the Company shall again be bound by the first sentence of Section 3(f) with respect to the information giving rise thereto unless such material, non-public information is no longer applicable. Notwithstanding anything to the contrary contained in this Section 3(r), the Company shall cause its transfer agent to deliver unlegended shares of Common Stock to a transferee of an Investor in accordance with the terms of the Securities Purchase Agreement in connection with any sale of Registrable Securities with respect to which such Investor has entered into a contract for sale, and delivered a copy of the prospectus included as part of the particular Registration Statement to the extent applicable, prior to such Investor's receipt of the notice of a Grace Period and for which the Investor has not yet settled.

- (s) The Company shall take all other reasonable actions necessary to expedite and facilitate disposition by each Investors of its Registrable Securities pursuant to each Registration Statement.
- (t) Neither the Company nor any Subsidiary or affiliate thereof shall identify any Investor as an underwriter in any public disclosure or filing with the SEC, the Principal Market or any Eligible Market and any Buyer being deemed an underwriter by the SEC shall not relieve the Company of any obligations it has under this Agreement or any other Transaction Document (as defined in the Securities Purchase Agreement); provided, however, that the foregoing shall not prohibit the Company from including the disclosure found in the "Plan of Distribution" section attached hereto as Exhibit B in the Registration Statement.
- (u) Neither the Company nor any of its Subsidiaries has entered, as of the date hereof, nor shall the Company or any of its Subsidiaries, on or after the date of this Agreement, enter into any agreement with respect to its securities, that would have the effect of impairing the rights granted to the Buyers in this Agreement or otherwise conflicts with the provisions hereof.

## 4. Obligations of the Investors.

- (a) At least five (5) Business Days prior to the first anticipated filing date of each Registration Statement, the Company shall notify each Investor in writing of the information the Company requires from each such Investor with respect to such Registration Statement. It shall be a condition precedent to the obligations of the Company to complete the registration pursuant to this Agreement with respect to the Registrable Securities of a particular Investor that such Investor shall furnish to the Company such information regarding itself, the Registrable Securities held by it and the intended method of disposition of the Registrable Securities held by it, as shall be reasonably required to effect and maintain the effectiveness of the registration of such Registrable Securities and shall execute such documents in connection with such registration as the Company may reasonably request.
- (b) Each Investor, by such Investor's acceptance of the Registrable Securities, agrees to cooperate with the Company as reasonably requested by the Company in connection with the preparation and filing of each Registration Statement hereunder, unless such Investor has notified the Company in writing of such Investor's election to exclude all of such Investor's Registrable Securities from such Registration Statement.

(c) Each Investor agrees that, upon receipt of any notice from the Company of the happening of any event of the kind described in Section 3(g) or the first sentence of 3(f), such Investor will immediately discontinue disposition of Registrable Securities pursuant to any Registration Statement(s) covering such Registrable Securities until such Investor's receipt of the copies of the supplemented or amended prospectus contemplated by Section 3(g) or the first sentence of Section 3(f) or receipt of notice that no supplement or amendment is required. Notwithstanding anything to the contrary in this Section 4(c), the Company shall cause its transfer agent to deliver unlegended shares of Common Stock to a transferee of an Investor in accordance with the terms of the Securities Purchase Agreement in connection with any sale of Registrable Securities with respect to which such Investor has entered into a contract for sale prior to the Investor's receipt of a notice from the Company of the happening of any event of the kind described in Section 3(g) or the first sentence of Section 3(f) and for which such Investor has not yet settled.

## 5. Expenses of Registration.

All reasonable expenses, other than underwriting discounts and commissions, incurred in connection with registrations, filings or qualifications pursuant to Sections 2 and 3, including, without limitation, all registration, listing and qualifications fees, printers and accounting fees, FINRA filing fees (if any) and fees and disbursements of counsel for the Company shall be paid by the Company. The Company shall reimburse Legal Counsel for its fees and disbursements in connection with registration, filing or qualification pursuant to Sections 2 and 3 of this Agreement which amount shall be limited to \$10,000 for each such registration, filing or qualification.

#### 6. Indemnification.

(a) To the fullest extent permitted by law, the Company will, and hereby does, indemnify, hold harmless and defend each Investor and each of its directors, officers, stockholders, members, partners, employees, agents, advisors, representatives (and any other Persons with a functionally equivalent role of a Person holding such titles notwithstanding the lack of such title or any other title) and each Person, if any, who controls such Investor within the meaning of the 1933 Act or the 1934 Act and each of the directors, officers, stockholders, members, partners, employees, agents, advisors, representatives (and any other Persons with a functionally equivalent role of a Person holding such titles notwithstanding the lack of such title or any other title) of such controlling Persons (each, an "Indemnified Person"), against any losses, obligations, claims, damages, liabilities, contingencies, judgments, fines, penalties, charges, costs (including, without limitation, court costs, reasonable attorneys' fees and costs of defense and investigation), amounts paid in settlement or expenses, joint or several, (collectively, "Claims") incurred in investigating, preparing or defending any action, claim, suit, inquiry, proceeding, investigation or appeal taken from the foregoing by or before any court or governmental, administrative or other regulatory agency, body or the SEC, whether pending or threatened, whether or not an Indemnified Person is or may be a party thereto ("Indemnified Damages"), to which any of them may become subject insofar as such Claims (or actions or proceedings, whether commenced or threatened, in respect thereof) arise out of or are based upon: (i) any untrue statement or alleged untrue statement of a material fact in a Registration Statement or any post-effective amendment thereto or in any filing made in connection with the qualification of the offering under the securities or other "blue sky" laws of any jurisdiction in which Registrable Securities are offered ("Blue Sky Filing"), or the omission or alleged omission to state a material fact required to be stated therein or necessary to make the statements therein not misleading, (ii) any untrue statement or alleged untrue statement of a material fact contained in any preliminary prospectus if used prior to the effective date of such Registration Statement, or contained in the final prospectus (as amended or supplemented, if the Company files any amendment thereof or supplement thereto with the SEC) or the omission or alleged omission to state therein any material fact necessary to make the statements made therein, in light of the circumstances under which the statements therein were made, not misleading or (iii) any violation or alleged violation by the Company of the 1933 Act, the 1934 Act, any other law, including, without limitation, any state securities law, or any rule or regulation thereunder relating to the offer or sale of the Registrable Securities pursuant to a Registration Statement or (iv) any violation of this Agreement (the matters in the foregoing clauses (i) through (iv) being, collectively, "Violations"). Subject to Section 6(c), the Company shall reimburse the Indemnified Persons, promptly as such expenses are incurred and are due and payable, for any legal fees or other reasonable expenses incurred by them in connection with investigating or defending any such Claim. Notwithstanding anything to the contrary contained herein, the indemnification agreement contained in this Section 6(a): (i) shall not apply to a Claim by an Indemnified Person arising out of or based upon a Violation which occurs in reliance upon and in conformity with information furnished in writing to the Company by such Indemnified Person for such Indemnified Person expressly for use in connection with the preparation of such Registration Statement or any such amendment thereof or supplement thereto, if such prospectus was timely made available by the Company pursuant to Section 3(d); and (ii) shall not apply to amounts paid in settlement of any Claim if such settlement is effected without the prior written consent of the Company, which consent shall not be unreasonably withheld or delayed. Such indemnity shall remain in full force and effect regardless of any investigation made by or on behalf of the Indemnified Person and shall survive the transfer of any of the Registrable Securities by any of the Investors pursuant to Section 9.

(b) In connection with any Registration Statement in which an Investor is participating, such Investor agrees to severally and not jointly indemnify, hold harmless and defend, to the same extent and in the same manner as is set forth in Section 6(a), the Company, each of its directors, each of its officers who signs the Registration Statement and each Person, if any, who controls the Company within the meaning of the 1933 Act or the 1934 Act (each, an "Indemnified Party"), against any Claim or Indemnified Damages to which any of them may become subject, under the 1933 Act, the 1934 Act or otherwise, insofar as such Claim or Indemnified Damages arise out of or are based upon any Violation, in each case, to the extent, and only to the extent, that such Violation occurs in reliance upon and in conformity with written information furnished to the Company by such Investor expressly for use in connection with such Registration Statement; and, subject to Section 6(c) and the below provisos in this Section 6(b), such Investor will reimburse an Indemnified Party any legal or other expenses reasonably incurred by such Indemnified Party in connection with investigating or defending any such Claim; provided, however, the indemnity agreement contained in this Section 6(b) and the agreement with respect to contribution contained in Section 7 shall not apply to amounts paid in settlement of any Claim if such settlement is effected without the prior written consent of such Investor, which consent shall not be unreasonably withheld or delayed, provided further that such Investor shall be liable under this Section 6(b) for only that amount of a Claim or Indemnified Damages as does not exceed the net proceeds to such Investor as a result of the applicable sale of Registrable Securities pursuant to such Registration Statement. Such indemnity shall remain in full force and effect regardless of any investigation made by or on behalf of such Indemnified Party and shall survive the transfer of any of the Registrable Securities by any

(c) Promptly after receipt by an Indemnified Person or Indemnified Party (as the case may be) under this Section 6 of notice of the commencement of any action or proceeding (including, without limitation, any governmental action or proceeding) involving a Claim, such Indemnified Person or Indemnified Party (as the case may be) shall, if a Claim in respect thereof is to be made against any indemnifying party under this Section 6, deliver to the indemnifying party a written notice of the commencement thereof, and the indemnifying party shall have the right to participate in, and, to the extent the indemnifying party so desires, jointly with any other indemnifying party similarly noticed, to assume control of the defense thereof with counsel mutually satisfactory to the indemnifying party and the Indemnified Person or the Indemnified Party (as the case may be); provided, however, an Indemnified Person or Indemnified Party (as the case may be) shall have the right to retain its own counsel with the fees and expenses of such counsel to be paid by the indemnifying party if: (i) the indemnifying party has agreed in writing to pay such fees and expenses; (ii) the indemnifying party shall have failed promptly to assume the defense of such Claim and to employ counsel reasonably satisfactory to such Indemnified Person or Indemnified Party (as the case may be) in any such Claim; or (iii) the named parties to any such Claim (including, without limitation, any impleaded parties) include both such Indemnified Person or Indemnified Party (as the case may be) and the indemnifying party, and such Indemnified Person or such Indemnified Party (as the case may be) shall have been advised by counsel that a conflict of interest is likely to exist if the same counsel were to represent such Indemnified Person or such Indemnified Party and the indemnifying party (in which case, if such Indemnified Person or such Indemnified Party (as the case may be) notifies the indemnifying party in writing that it elects to employ separate counsel at the expense of the indemnifying party, then the indemnifying party shall not have the right to assume the defense thereof and such counsel shall be at the expense of the indemnifying party), provided further that in the case of clause (iii) above the indemnifying party shall not be responsible for the reasonable fees and expenses of more than one (1) separate legal counsel for such Indemnified Person or Indemnified Party (as the case may be). The Indemnified Party or Indemnified Person (as the case may be) shall reasonably cooperate with the indemnifying party in connection with any negotiation or defense of any such action or Claim by the indemnifying party and shall furnish to the indemnifying party all information reasonably available to the Indemnified Party or Indemnified Person (as the case may be) which relates to such action or Claim. The indemnifying party shall keep the Indemnified Party or Indemnified Person (as the case may be) reasonably apprised as to the status of the defense or any settlement negotiations with respect thereto. No indemnifying party shall be liable for any settlement of any action, claim or proceeding effected without its prior written consent; provided, however, the indemnifying party shall not unreasonably withhold, delay or condition its consent. No indemnifying party shall, without the prior written consent of the Indemnified Party or Indemnified Person (as the case may be), consent to entry of any judgment or enter into any settlement or other compromise which does not include as an unconditional term thereof the giving by the claimant or plaintiff to such Indemnified Party or Indemnified Person (as the case may be) of a release from all liability in respect to such Claim or litigation, and such settlement shall not include any admission as to fault on the part of the Indemnified Party. Following indemnification as provided for hereunder, the indemnifying party shall be subrogated to all rights of the Indemnified Party or Indemnified Person (as the case may be) with respect to all third parties, firms or corporations relating to the matter for which indemnification has been made. The failure to deliver written notice to the indemnifying party within a reasonable time of the commencement of any such action shall not relieve such indemnifying party of any liability to the Indemnified Person or Indemnified Party (as the case may be) under this Section 6, except to the extent that the indemnifying party is materially and adversely prejudiced in its ability to defend such action.

- (d) The indemnification required by this Section 6 shall be made by periodic payments of the amount thereof during the course of the investigation or defense, as and when bills are received or Indemnified Damages are incurred.
- (e) The indemnity and contribution agreements contained herein shall be in addition to (i) any cause of action or similar right of the Indemnified Party or Indemnified Person against the indemnifying party or others, and (ii) any liabilities the indemnifying party may be subject to pursuant to the law.

## 7. Contribution.

To the extent any indemnification by an indemnifying party is prohibited or limited by law, the indemnifying party agrees to make the maximum contribution with respect to any amounts for which it would otherwise be liable under Section 6 to the fullest extent permitted by law; provided, however: (i) no contribution shall be made under circumstances where the maker would not have been liable for indemnification under the fault standards set forth in Section 6 of this Agreement, (ii) no Person involved in the sale of Registrable Securities which Person is guilty of fraudulent misrepresentation (within the meaning of Section 11(f) of the 1933 Act) in connection with such sale shall be entitled to contribution from any Person involved in such sale of Registrable Securities who was not guilty of fraudulent misrepresentation; and (iii) contribution by any seller of Registrable Securities shall be limited in amount to the amount of net proceeds received by such seller from the applicable sale of such Registrable Securities pursuant to such Registration Statement. Notwithstanding the provisions of this Section 7, no Investor shall be required to contribute, in the aggregate, any amount in excess of the amount by which the net proceeds actually received by such Investor from the applicable sale of the Registrable Securities subject to the Claim exceeds the amount of any damages that such Investor has otherwise been required to pay, or would otherwise be required to pay under Section 6(b), by reason of such untrue or alleged untrue statement or omission or alleged omission.

#### 8. Reports Under the 1934 Act.

With a view to making available to the Investors the benefits of Rule 144, the Company agrees to:

- (a) make and keep public information available, as those terms are understood and defined in Rule 144:
- (b) file with the SEC in a timely manner all reports and other documents required of the Company under the 1933 Act and the 1934 Act so long as the Company remains subject to such requirements (it being understood and agreed that nothing herein shall limit any obligations of the Company under the Securities Purchase Agreement) and the filing of such reports and other documents is required for the applicable provisions of Rule 144; and

(c) furnish to each Investor so long as such Investor owns Registrable Securities, promptly upon request, (i) a written statement by the Company, if true, that it has complied with the reporting, submission and posting requirements of Rule 144, the 1933 Act and the 1934 Act, (ii) a copy of the most recent annual or quarterly report of the Company and such other reports and documents so filed by the Company with the SEC if such reports are not publicly available via EDGAR, and (iii) such other information as may be reasonably requested to permit the Investors to sell such securities pursuant to Rule 144 without registration.

## 9. Assignment of Registration Rights.

All or any portion of the rights under this Agreement shall be automatically assignable by each Investor to any transferee or assignee (as the case may be) of all or any portion of such Investor's Registrable Securities or Notes if: (i) such Investor agrees in writing with such transferee or assignee (as the case may be) to assign all or any portion of such rights, and a copy of such agreement is furnished to the Company within a reasonable time after such transfer or assignment (as the case may be); (ii) the Company is, within a reasonable time after such transfer or assignment (as the case may be), furnished with written notice of (a) the name and address of such transferee or assignee (as the case may be); (iii) immediately following such transfer or assignment (as the case may be) the further disposition of such securities by such transferee or assignee (as the case may be) is restricted under the 1933 Act or applicable state securities laws if so required; (iv) at or before the time the Company receives the written notice contemplated by clause (ii) of this sentence such transferee or assignee (as the case may be) agrees in writing with the Company to be bound by all of the provisions contained herein; (v) such transfer or assignment (as the case may be); and (vi) such transfer or assignment (as the case may be) shall have been made in accordance with the applicable requirements of the Securities Purchase Agreement and the Notes (as the case may be); and (vi) such transfer or assignment (as the case may be) shall have been conducted in accordance with all applicable federal and state securities laws.

## 10. Amendment of Registration Rights.

Provisions of this Agreement may be amended and the observance thereof may be waived (either generally or in a particular instance and either retroactively or prospectively), only with the written consent of the Company and the Required Holders; provided that any such amendment or waiver that complies with the foregoing, but that disproportionately, materially and adversely affects the rights and obligations of any Investor relative to the comparable rights and obligations of the other Investors shall require the prior written consent of such adversely affected Investor. Any amendment or waiver effected in accordance with this Section 10 shall be binding upon each Investor and the Company, provided that no such amendment shall be effective to the extent that it (1) applies to less than all of the holders of Registrable Securities or (2) imposes any obligation or liability on any Investor without such Investor's prior written consent (which may be granted or withheld in such Investor's sole discretion). No waiver shall be effective unless it is in writing and signed by an authorized representative of the waiving party. No consideration shall be offered or paid to any Person to amend or consent to a waiver or modification of any provision of this Agreement unless the same consideration (other than the reimbursement of legal fees) also is offered to all of the parties to this Agreement.

## 11. Miscellaneous.

- (a) Solely for purposes of this Agreement, a Person is deemed to be a holder of Registrable Securities whenever such Person owns, or is deemed to own, of record such Registrable Securities. If the Company receives conflicting instructions, notices or elections from two or more Persons with respect to the same Registrable Securities, the Company shall act upon the basis of instructions, notice or election received from such record owner of such Registrable Securities.
- (b) Any notices, consents, waivers or other communications required or permitted to be given under the terms of this Agreement must be in writing and will be deemed to have been delivered: (i) upon receipt, when delivered personally; (ii) upon receipt, when sent by electronic mail (provided that such sent email is kept on file (whether electronically or otherwise) by the sending party and the sending party does not receive an automatically generated message from the recipient's email server that such e-mail could not be delivered to such recipient); or (iii) one (1) Business Day after deposit with an overnight courier service with next day delivery specified, in each case, properly addressed to the party to receive the same. The mailing addresses and e-mail addresses for such communications shall be:

On or before the Initial Closing, if to the Company:

Apimeds Pharmaceuticals US, Inc. 100 Matawan Road, Suite 325 New Jersey, NJ 07747 Attention: Erik Emerson E-Mail: erik@apimedsus.com

On or before the Initial Closing, with a copy (for informational purposes only) to:

Nelson Mullins Riley & Scarborough LLP 301 Hillsborough Street, Suite 1400 Raleigh, NC 27603

Attn: David Mannheim; Mike Bradshaw

E-mail: david.mannheim@nelsonmullins.com; mike.bradshaw@nelsonmullins.com

Following the Initial Closing, if to the Company:

TechyTrade Innovations Pte Ltd 60 Paya Lebar Road. #04-23 Singapore 409051 Attn: Vin Menon E-mail: vin@mindwavedao.com

Following the Initial Closing, with a copy (for informational purposes only) to:

Duane Morris LLP 901 New York Avenue N.W., Suite 700 East Washington, D.C. 20001-4795 Attention: Andrew M. Tucker E-Mail: atucker@duanemorris.com

## If to the Transfer Agent:

VStock Transfer, LLC 18 Lafayette Place Woodmere, NY 11598 Telephone: (212) 828-8436 Attention: Young Kim

E-Mail: young@vstocktransfer.com; action@vstocktransfer.com

E-Mail: If to Legal Counsel:

Kelley Drye & Warren LLP 3 World Trade Center 175 Greenwich Street New York, NY 10007 Telephone: (212) 808-7540

Attention: Michael A. Adelstein, Esq. E-mail: madelstein@kelleydrye.com

If to a Buyer, to its mailing address and/or email address set forth on the Schedule of Buyers attached to the Securities Purchase Agreement, with copies to such Buyer's representatives as set forth on the Schedule of Buyers, or to such other mailing address and/or email address and/or to the attention of such other Person as the recipient party has specified by written notice given to each other party five (5) days prior to the effectiveness of such change, provided that Kelley Drye & Warren LLP shall only be provided notices sent to the lead investor. Written confirmation of receipt (A) given by the recipient of such notice, consent, waiver or other communication, (B) mechanically or electronically generated by the sender's e-mail containing the time, date and recipient's e-mail or (C) provided by a courier or overnight courier service shall be rebuttable evidence of personal service, receipt by e-mail or receipt from a nationally recognized overnight delivery service in accordance with clause (i), (ii) or (iii) above, respectively.

- (c) Failure of any party to exercise any right or remedy under this Agreement or otherwise, or delay by a party in exercising such right or remedy, shall not operate as a waiver thereof. The Company and each Investor acknowledge and agree that irreparable damage would occur in the event that any of the provisions of this Agreement were not performed in accordance with their specific terms or were otherwise breached. It is accordingly agreed that each party hereto shall be entitled to an injunction or injunctions to prevent or cure breaches of the provisions of this Agreement by any other party hereto and to enforce specifically the terms and provisions hereof (without the necessity of showing economic loss and without any bond or other security being required), this being in addition to any other remedy to which any party may be entitled by law or equity.
- (d) All questions concerning the construction, validity, enforcement and interpretation of this Agreement shall be governed by the internal laws of the State of New York, without giving effect to any provision of law or rule (whether of the State of New York or any other jurisdictions) that would cause the application of the laws of any jurisdictions other than the State of New York. Each party hereby irrevocably submits to the exclusive jurisdiction of the state and federal courts sitting in The City of New York, Borough of Manhattan, for the adjudication of any dispute hereunder or in connection herewith or with any transaction contemplated hereby or discussed herein, and hereby irrevocably waives, and agrees not to assert in any suit, action or proceeding, any claim that it is not personally subject to the jurisdiction of any such court, that such suit, action or proceeding is brought in an inconvenient forum or that the venue of such suit, action or proceeding is improper. Each party hereby irrevocably waives personal service of process and consents to process being served in any such suit, action or proceeding by mailing a copy thereof to such party at the address for such notices to it under this Agreement and agrees that such service shall constitute good and sufficient service of process and notice thereof. Nothing contained herein shall be deemed to limit in any way any right to serve process in any manner permitted by law. EACH PARTY HEREBY IRREVOCABLY WAIVES ANY RIGHT IT MAY HAVE TO, AND AGREES NOT TO REQUEST, A JURY TRIAL FOR THE ADJUDICATION OF ANY DISPUTE HEREUNDER OR IN CONNECTION HEREWITH OR ARISING OUT OF THIS AGREEMENT OR ANY TRANSACTION CONTEMPLATED HEREBY.
- (e) If any provision of this Agreement is prohibited by law or otherwise determined to be invalid or unenforceable by a court of competent jurisdiction, the provision that would otherwise be prohibited, invalid or unenforceable shall be deemed amended to apply to the broadest extent that it would be valid and enforceable, and the invalidity or unenforceability of such provision shall not affect the validity of the remaining provisions of this Agreement so long as this Agreement as so modified continues to express, without material change, the original intentions of the parties as to the subject matter hereof and the prohibited nature, invalidity or unenforceability of the provision(s) in question does not substantially impair the respective expectations or reciprocal obligations of the parties or the practical realization of the benefits that would otherwise be conferred upon the parties. The parties will endeavor in good faith negotiations to replace the prohibited, invalid or unenforceable provision(s) with a valid provision(s), the effect of which comes as close as possible to that of the prohibited, invalid or unenforceable provision(s).

- (f) This Agreement, the other Transaction Documents, the schedules and exhibits attached hereto and thereto and the instruments referenced herein and therein constitute the entire agreement among the parties hereto and thereto solely with respect to the subject matter hereof and thereof. There are no restrictions, promises, warranties or undertakings, other than those set forth or referred to herein and therein. This Agreement, the other Transaction Documents, the schedules and exhibits attached hereto and thereto and the instruments referenced herein and therein supersede all prior agreements and understandings among the parties hereto solely with respect to the subject matter hereof and thereof; provided, however, nothing contained in this Agreement or any other Transaction Document shall (or shall be deemed to) (i) have any effect on any agreements any Investor has entered into with the Company or any of its Subsidiaries prior to the date hereof with respect to any prior investment made by such Investor in the Company, (ii) waive, alter, modify or amend in any respect any obligations of the Company or any of its Subsidiaries or any rights of or benefits to any Investor or any other Person in any agreement entered into prior to the date hereof between or among the Company and/or any of its Subsidiaries and any Investor and all such agreements shall continue in full force and effect or (iii) limit any obligations of the Company under any of the other Transaction Documents.
- (g) Subject to compliance with Section 9 (if applicable), this Agreement shall inure to the benefit of and be binding upon the permitted successors and assigns of each of the parties hereto. This Agreement is not for the benefit of, nor may any provision hereof be enforced by, any Person, other than the parties hereto, their respective permitted successors and assigns and the Persons referred to in Sections 6 and 7 hereof.
- (h) The headings in this Agreement are for convenience of reference only and shall not limit or otherwise affect the meaning hereof. Unless the context clearly indicates otherwise, each pronoun herein shall be deemed to include the masculine, feminine, neuter, singular and plural forms thereof. The terms "including," "includes," "include" and words of like import shall be construed broadly as if followed by the words "without limitation." The terms "herein," "hereunder," "hereof" and words of like import refer to this entire Agreement instead of just the provision in which they are found.
- (i) This Agreement may be executed in two or more identical counterparts, each of which shall be deemed an original, but all of which shall be considered one and the same agreement and shall become effective when counterparts have been signed by each party and delivered to the other party. In the event that any signature is delivered by facsimile transmission or by an email which contains a portable document format (.pdf) file of an executed signature page, such signature page shall create a valid and binding obligation of the party executing (or on whose behalf such signature is executed) with the same force and effect as if such signature page were an original thereof.
- (j) Each party shall do and perform, or cause to be done and performed, all such further acts and things, and shall execute and deliver all such other agreements, certificates, instruments and documents as any other party may reasonably request in order to carry out the intent and accomplish the purposes of this Agreement and the consummation of the transactions contemplated hereby.

- (k) The language used in this Agreement will be deemed to be the language chosen by the parties to express their mutual intent and no rules of strict construction will be applied against any party. Notwithstanding anything to the contrary set forth in Section 10, terms used in this Agreement but defined in the other Transaction Documents shall have the meanings ascribed to such terms on the Initial Closing Date in such other Transaction Documents unless otherwise consented to in writing by each Investor.
- (l) All consents and other determinations required to be made by the Investors pursuant to this Agreement shall be made, unless otherwise specified in this Agreement, by the Required Holders, determined as if all of the outstanding Notes then held by the Investors have been converted for Registrable Securities without regard to any limitations on redemption, amortization and/or conversion of the Notes then held by Investors.
- (m) This Agreement is intended for the benefit of the parties hereto and their respective permitted successors and assigns, and is not for the benefit of, nor may any provision hereof be enforced by, any other Person.
- (n) The obligations of each Investor under this Agreement and the other Transaction Documents are several and not joint with the obligations of any other Investor, and no Investor shall be responsible in any way for the performance of the obligations of any other Investor under this Agreement or any other Transaction Document. Nothing contained herein or in any other Transaction Document, and no action taken by any Investor pursuant hereto or thereto, shall be deemed to constitute the Investors as, and the Company acknowledges that the Investors do not so constitute, a partnership, an association, a joint venture or any other kind of group or entity, or create a presumption that the Investors are in any way acting in concert or as a group or entity with respect to such obligations or the transactions contemplated by the Transaction Documents or any matters, and the Company acknowledges that the Investors are not acting in concert or as a group, and the Company shall not assert any such claim, with respect to such obligations or the transactions contemplated by this Agreement or any of the other the Transaction Documents. Each Investor shall be entitled to independently protect and enforce its rights, including, without limitation, the rights arising out of this Agreement or out of any other Transaction Documents, and it shall not be necessary for any other Investor to be joined as an additional party in any proceeding for such purpose. The use of a single agreement with respect to the obligations of the Company contained herein was solely in the control of the Company, not the action or decision of any Investor, and was done solely for the convenience of the Company and not because it was required or requested to do so by any Investor. It is expressly understood and agreed that each provision contained in this Agreement and in each other Transaction Document is between the Company and an Investors, solely, and not between the Company and the Investors collectively and not between and among Investors.

[signature page follows]

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, each Buyer and the Company have caused their respective sig the date first written above.	gnature page to this Registration Rights Agreement to be duly executed as of
	COMPANY:
	APIMEDS PHARMACEUTICALS US, INC.
	By: Name: Title:

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	BUYERS:	
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	By:	
	Name: Title:	

# $\frac{FORM\ OF\ NOTICE\ OF\ EFFECTIVENESS}{OF\ REGISTRATION\ STATEMENT}$

Attention:
Re: Apimeds Pharmaceuticals US, Inc.
Ladies and Gentlemen:
[We are][I am] counsel to Apimeds Pharmaceuticals US, Inc., a Delaware corporation (the "Company"), and have represented the Company in connection with that certain Securities Purchase Agreement (the "Securities Purchase Agreement") entered into by and among the Company and the buyers named therein (collectively, the "Holders") pursuant to which the Company issued to the Holders senior secured convertible notes (the "Notes") convertible into the Company's shares of common stock, \$0.01 par value per share (the "Common Stock"). Pursuant to the Securities Purchase Agreement, the Company also has entered into a Registration Rights Agreement") pursuant to which the Company agreed, among other things, to register the Registrable Securities (as defined in the Registration Rights Agreement), including the shares of Common Stock issuable upon conversion of the Notes under the Securities Act of 1933, as amended (the "1933 Act"). In connection with the Company's obligations under the Registration Rights Agreement, on
In connection with the foregoing, [we][I] advise you that [a member of the SEC's staff has advised [us][me] by telephone that [the SEC has entered an order declaring the Registration Statement effective under the 1933 Act at [ENTER TIME OF EFFECTIVENESS] on [ENTER DATE OF EFFECTIVENESS]] [an order declaring the Registration Statement effective under the 1933 Act at [ENTER TIME OF EFFECTIVENESS] on [ENTER DATE OF EFFECTIVENESS]] has been posted on the web site of the SEC at www.sec.gov] and [we][I] have no knowledge, after a review of information posted on the website of the SEC at http://www.sec.gov/litigation/stoporders.shtml, that any stop order suspending its effectiveness has been issued or that any proceedings for that purpose are pending before, or threatened by, the SEC and the Registrable Securities are available for resale under the 1933 Act pursuant to the Registration Statement.
This letter shall serve as our standing opinion to you that the shares of Common Stock underlying the Notes are freely transferable by the Holders pursuant to the Registration Statement. You need not require further letters from us to effect any future legend-free issuance or reissuance of such shares of Common Stock to the Holders as contemplated by the Company's Irrevocable Transfer Agent Instructions dated, 20
Very truly yours,
[ISSUER'S COUNSEL]
By:
CC: [●]

## SELLING STOCKHOLDERS

The shares of common stock being offered by the selling stockholders are those issuable to the selling stockholders upon conversion of the notes. For additional information regarding the issuance of the notes, see "Private Placement of Notes" above. We are registering the shares of common stock in order to permit the selling stockholders to offer the shares for resale from time to time. Except for the ownership of the notes issued pursuant to the Securities Purchase Agreement, the selling stockholders have not had any material relationship with us within the past three years.

The table below lists the selling stockholders and other information regarding the beneficial ownership (as determined under Section 13(d) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended, and the rules and regulations thereunder) of the shares of common stock held by each of the selling stockholders. The second column lists the number of shares of common stock beneficially owned by the selling stockholders, based on their respective ownership of shares of common stock and notes, as of \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_, 20\_\_\_\_, assuming conversion of the notes held by each such selling stockholder on that date but taking account of any limitations on conversion set forth therein.

The third column lists the shares of common stock being offered by this prospectus by the selling stockholders and does not take in account any limitations on conversion of the notes set forth therein.

In accordance with the terms of a registration rights agreement with the holders of the notes, this prospectus generally covers the resale of 500% of the maximum number of shares of common stock issued or issuable pursuant to the Notes, including payment of interest on the notes through [DATE], determined as if the outstanding notes (including interest on the notes through [DATE]) were converted in full (without regard to any limitations on conversion contained therein solely for the purpose of such calculation) at conversion price in effect on the date this registration statement was initially filed with the SEC. Because the conversion price of the notes may be adjusted, the number of shares that will actually be issued may be more or less than the number of shares being offered by this prospectus. The fourth column assumes the sale of all of the shares offered by the selling stockholders pursuant to this prospectus.

Under the terms of the notes, a selling stockholder may not convert the notes to the extent (but only to the extent) such selling stockholder or any of its affiliates would beneficially own a number of shares of our common stock which would exceed 4.99% of the outstanding shares of the Company. The number of shares in the second column reflects these limitations. The selling stockholders may sell all, some or none of their shares in this offering. See "Plan of Distribution."

Name of Selling Stockholder	Number of Shares of Common Stock Owned Prior to Offering	Maximum Number of Shares of Common Stock to be Sold Pursuant to this Prospectus	Number of Shares of Common Stock of Owned After Offering
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## PLAN OF DISTRIBUTION

We are registering the shares of common stock issuable upon conversion of the notes to permit the resale of these shares of common stock by the holders of the notes from time to time after the date of this prospectus. We will not receive any of the proceeds from the sale by the selling stockholders of the shares of common stock. We will bear all fees and expenses incident to our obligation to register the shares of common stock.

The selling stockholders may sell all or a portion of the shares of common stock held by them and offered hereby from time to time directly or through one or more underwriters, broker-dealers or agents. If the shares of common stock are sold through underwriters or broker-dealers, the selling stockholders will be responsible for underwriting discounts or commissions or agent's commissions. The shares of common stock may be sold in one or more transactions at fixed prices, at prevailing market prices at the time of the sale, at varying prices determined at the time of sale or at negotiated prices. These sales may be effected in transactions, which may involve crosses or block transactions, pursuant to one or more of the following methods:

- on any national securities exchange or quotation service on which the securities may be listed or quoted at the time of sale;
- in the over-the-counter market;
- in transactions otherwise than on these exchanges or systems or in the over-the-counter market;
- through the writing or settlement of options, whether such options are listed on an options exchange or otherwise;
- ordinary brokerage transactions and transactions in which the broker-dealer solicits purchasers;
- block trades in which the broker-dealer will attempt to sell the shares as agent but may position and resell a portion of the block as principal to facilitate the transaction:
- purchases by a broker-dealer as principal and resale by the broker-dealer for its account;
- an exchange distribution in accordance with the rules of the applicable exchange;
- privately negotiated transactions;
- short sales made after the date the Registration Statement is declared effective by the SEC;

- broker-dealers may agree with a selling security holder to sell a specified number of such shares at a stipulated price per share;
- a combination of any such methods of sale; and
- any other method permitted pursuant to applicable law.

The selling stockholders may also sell shares of common stock under Rule 144 promulgated under the Securities Act of 1933, as amended, if available, rather than under this prospectus. In addition, the selling stockholders may transfer the shares of common stock by other means not described in this prospectus. If the selling stockholders effect such transactions by selling shares of common stock to or through underwriters, broker-dealers or agents, such underwriters, broker-dealers or agents may receive commissions in the form of discounts, concessions or commissions from the selling stockholders or commissions from purchasers of the shares of common stock for whom they may act as agent or to whom they may sell as principal (which discounts, concessions or commissions as to particular underwriters, broker-dealers or agents may be in excess of those customary in the types of transactions involved). In connection with sales of the shares of common stock or otherwise, the selling stockholders may enter into hedging transactions with broker-dealers, which may in turn engage in short sales of the shares of common stock in the course of hedging in positions they assume. The selling stockholders may also sell shares of common stock short and deliver shares of common stock covered by this prospectus to close out short positions and to return borrowed shares in connection with such short sales. The selling stockholders may also loan or pledge shares of common stock to broker-dealers that in turn may sell such shares.

The selling stockholders may pledge or grant a security interest in some or all of the notes or shares of common stock owned by them and, if they default in the performance of their secured obligations, the pledgees or secured parties may offer and sell the shares of common stock from time to time pursuant to this prospectus or any amendment to this prospectus under Rule 424(b)(3) or other applicable provision of the Securities Act amending, if necessary, the list of selling stockholders to include the pledgee, transferee or other successors in interest as selling stockholders under this prospectus. The selling stockholders also may transfer and donate the shares of common stock in other circumstances in which case the transferees, donees, pledgees or other successors in interest will be the selling beneficial owners for purposes of this prospectus.

To the extent required by the Securities Act and the rules and regulations thereunder, the selling stockholders and any broker-dealer participating in the distribution of the shares of common stock may be deemed to be "underwriters" within the meaning of the Securities Act, and any commission paid, or any discounts or concessions allowed to, any such broker-dealer may be deemed to be underwriting commissions or discounts under the Securities Act. At the time a particular offering of the shares of common stock is made, a prospectus supplement, if required, will be distributed, which will set forth the aggregate amount of shares of common stock being offered and the terms of the offering, including the name or names of any broker-dealers or agents, any discounts, commissions and other terms constituting compensation from the selling stockholders and any discounts, commissions or concessions allowed or re-allowed or paid to broker-dealers.

Under the securities laws of some states, the shares of common stock may be sold in such states only through registered or licensed brokers or dealers. In addition, in some states the shares of common stock may not be sold unless such shares have been registered or qualified for sale in such state or an exemption from registration or qualification is available and is complied with.

There can be no assurance that any selling stockholder will sell any or all of the shares of common stock registered pursuant to the registration statement, of which this prospectus forms a part.

The selling stockholders and any other person participating in such distribution will be subject to applicable provisions of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended, and the rules and regulations thereunder, including, without limitation, to the extent applicable, Regulation M of the Exchange Act, which may limit the timing of purchases and sales of any of the shares of common stock by the selling stockholders and any other participating person. To the extent applicable, Regulation M may also restrict the ability of any person engaged in the distribution of the shares of common stock to engage in market-making activities with respect to the shares of common stock. All of the foregoing may affect the marketability of the shares of common stock and the ability of any person or entity to engage in market-making activities with respect to the shares of common stock.

We will pay all expenses of the registration of the shares of common stock pursuant to the registration rights agreement, estimated to be \$[] in total, including, without limitation, Securities and Exchange Commission filing fees and expenses of compliance with state securities or "blue sky" laws; provided, however, a selling stockholder will pay all underwriting discounts and selling commissions, if any. We will indemnify the selling stockholders against liabilities, including some liabilities under the Securities Act in accordance with the registration rights agreements or the selling stockholders will be entitled to contribution. We may be indemnified by the selling stockholders against civil liabilities, including liabilities under the Securities Act that may arise from any written information furnished to us by the selling stockholder specifically for use in this prospectus, in accordance with the related registration rights agreements or we may be entitled to contribution.

Once sold under the registration statement, of which this prospectus forms a part, the shares of common stock will be freely tradable in the hands of persons other than our affiliates.

#### VOTING AGREEMENT

VOTING AGREEMENT, dated as of December 1, 2025 (this "Agreement"), by and between Apimeds Pharmaceuticals US, Inc., a Delaware corporation with offices located at 100 Matawan Road, Suite 325, New Jersey, NJ 07747 (the "Company") and [ ] (the "Stockholder").

WHEREAS, the Company and certain investors (each, an "Investor", and collectively, the "Investors") have entered into a Securities Purchase Agreement, dated as of December 1, 2025 (the "Securities Purchase Agreement"), pursuant to which, among other things, the Company has agreed to issue and sell to the Investors and the Investors have, severally but not jointly, agreed to purchase certain senior convertible notes of the Company (the "Notes"), which will be convertible into shares of the Company's common stock, \$0.01 par value per share (the "Common Stock", as converted, the "Conversion Shares"), in accordance with the terms of the Notes.

WHEREAS, as of the date hereof, the Stockholder owns, directly or indirectly, [\_\_\_\_\_] shares of Common Stock (the "Pre-Merger Shares") or has the right, following the Transaction Closing (as defined in the Securities Purchase Agreement), to receive [ \_\_\_\_\_] shares of Common Stock (the "Post-Merger Shares", and together with the Pre-Merger Shares, collectively, the "Stockholder Shares"); and

WHEREAS, as a condition to the willingness of each Investor to enter into the Securities Purchase Agreement and to consummate the transactions contemplated thereby (collectively, the "Transaction"), the Investors have required that the Stockholder agree, and in order to induce each Investor to enter into the Securities Purchase Agreement, the Stockholder has agreed, to enter into this Agreement with respect to all the Stockholder Shares now owned and which may hereafter be acquired by the Stockholder and any other securities of the Company (the "Other Securities", and together with the Stockholder Shares, the "Stockholder Securities"), if any, which Stockholder is currently entitled to vote, or after the date hereof becomes entitled to vote, at any meeting of the stockholders of the Company.

NOW, THEREFORE, in consideration of the foregoing and the mutual covenants and agreements contained herein, and intending to be legally bound hereby, the parties hereto hereby agree as follows:

#### ARTICLE I

#### VOTING AGREEMENT OF THE STOCKHOLDER

SECTION 1.01. <u>Voting Agreement</u>. Subject to the last sentence of this Section 1.01, the Stockholder hereby agrees that at any meeting of the stockholders of the Company, however called, and in any action by written consent of the Company's stockholders, the Stockholder shall vote the Stockholder Securities, which Stockholder is currently entitled to vote, or after the date hereof becomes entitled to vote: (a) in favor of the stockholder approval matters described in Section 4(y) of the Securities Purchase Agreement (the "**Stockholder Approval**"); (b) in favor of any proposal or other corporate action or agreement presented by the Company to such Stockholder, whether at a meeting of the stockholders of the Company or written consent, as applicable, for the benefit of the holders of Notes and/or the Investors (including, without limitation, any increase in the authorized shares of the Common Stock of the Company and/or reverse stock split), and (c) against any proposal or any other corporate action or agreement that would result in a breach of any covenant, representation or warranty or any other obligation or agreement of the Company under the Transaction Documents (as defined in the Securities Purchase Agreement) or which would result in any of the conditions to the Company's obligations under the Transaction Documents not being fulfilled. The Stockholder acknowledges receipt and review of a copy of the Securities Purchase Agreement and the other Transaction Documents. The obligations of the Stockholder under this Section 1.01 shall terminate immediately upon fulfillment of the obligations required in the Securities Purchase Agreement with respect to the Stockholder Approval.

#### ARTICLE II

## REPRESENTATIONS AND WARRANTIES OF THE STOCKHOLDER

The Stockholder hereby represents and warrants to the Company and each of the Investors as follows:

SECTION 2.01. <u>Authority Relative to this Agreement</u>. The Stockholder has all requisite power and authority to execute and deliver this Agreement, to perform its obligations hereunder and to consummate the transactions contemplated hereby. This Agreement has been duly executed and delivered by the Stockholder and constitutes a legal, valid and binding obligation of the Stockholder, enforceable against the Stockholder in accordance with its terms, except (a) as such enforceability may be limited by applicable bankruptcy, insolvency, reorganization, fraudulent conveyance, moratorium or similar laws now or hereafter in effect relating to, or affecting generally, the enforcement of creditors' and other obligees' rights and (b) where the remedy of specific performance or other forms of equitable relief may be subject to certain equitable defenses and principles and to the discretion of the court before which the proceeding may be brought.

SECTION 2.02. No Conflict. (a) The execution and delivery of this Agreement by the Stockholder does not, and the performance of this Agreement by the Stockholder shall not, (i) conflict with or violate any federal, state or local law, statute, ordinance, rule, regulation, order, judgment or decree applicable to the Stockholder or by which the Stockholder Securities owned by the Stockholder are bound or affected or (ii) result in any breach of or constitute a default (or an event that with notice or lapse of time or both would become a default) under, or give to others any rights of termination, amendment, acceleration or cancellation of, or result in the creation of a lien or encumbrance on any of the Stockholder Securities owned by the Stockholder pursuant to, any note, bond, mortgage, indenture, contract, agreement, lease, license, permit, franchise or other instrument or obligation to which the Stockholder is a party or by which the Stockholder or the Stockholder Securities owned by the Stockholder is bound.

(b) The execution and delivery of this Agreement by the Stockholder does not, and the performance of this Agreement by the Stockholder shall not, require any consent, approval, authorization or permit of, or filing with or notification to, any governmental entity by the Stockholder.

SECTION 2.03. <u>Title to Pre-Merger Shares</u>. As of the date hereof, the Stockholder is the owner of the Pre-Merger Shares, entitled to vote, without restriction, on all matters brought before holders of capital stock of the Company. Such Pre-Merger Shares are all the securities of the Company owned, either of record or beneficially, by the Stockholder prior to the Transaction Closing. Such Pre-Merger Shares are owned free and clear of all Encumbrances (as defined below). The Stockholder has not appointed or granted any proxy, which appointment or grant is still effective, with respect to the Pre-Merger Shares or Other Securities owned by the Stockholder.

#### ARTICLE III

## **COVENANTS**

SECTION 3.01. No Disposition or Encumbrance of Stock. Prior to the Transaction Closing, the Stockholder hereby covenants and agrees that the Stockholder shall not offer or agree to sell, transfer, tender, assign, hypothecate or otherwise dispose of, grant a proxy or power of attorney (other than to the proxy designated by the Company for purposes of voting as directed by the Stockholder at any meeting of stockholders) with respect to, or create or permit to exist any security interest, lien, claim, pledge, option, right of first refusal, agreement, limitation on the Stockholder's voting rights, charge or other encumbrance of any nature whatsoever ("Encumbrance") with respect to the Stockholder Securities, directly or indirectly, or initiate, solicit or encourage any person to take actions which could reasonably be expected to lead to the occurrence of any of the foregoing.

SECTION 3.02. Company Cooperation. Prior to the Transaction Closing, the Company hereby covenants and agrees that it will not, and the Stockholder irrevocably and unconditionally acknowledges and agrees that the Company will not (and waives any rights against the Company in relation thereto), recognize any Encumbrance or agreement (other than this Agreement) on any of the Stockholder Securities subject to this Agreement.

#### ARTICLE IV

## **MISCELLANEOUS**

SECTION 4.01. <u>Further Assurances</u>. The Stockholder shall execute and deliver such further documents and instruments and take all further action as may be reasonably necessary in order to consummate the transactions contemplated hereby.

SECTION 4.02. Specific Performance. The parties hereto agree that irreparable damage would occur in the event any provision of this Agreement was not performed in accordance with the terms hereof and that any Investor (without being joined by any other Investor) shall be entitled to specific performance of the terms hereof, in addition to any other remedy at law or in equity. Any Investor shall be entitled to its reasonable attorneys' fees in any action brought to enforce this Agreement in which it is the prevailing party.

SECTION 4.03. Entire Agreement. This Agreement constitutes the entire agreement between the Company and the Stockholder (other than the Securities Purchase Agreement and the other Transaction Documents) with respect to the subject matter hereof and supersedes all prior agreements and understandings, both written and oral, among the Company and the Stockholder with respect to the subject matter hereof.

SECTION 4.04. Amendment. This Agreement may not be amended except by an instrument in writing signed by the parties hereto.

SECTION 4.05. Severability. If any term or other provision of this Agreement is invalid, illegal or incapable of being enforced by any rule of law, or public policy, all other conditions and provisions of this Agreement shall nevertheless remain in full force and effect so long as the economic or legal substance of this Agreement is not affected in any manner materially adverse to any party. Upon such determination that any term or other provision is invalid, illegal or incapable of being enforced, the parties hereto shall negotiate in good faith to modify this Agreement so as to effect the original intent of the parties as closely as possible in a mutually acceptable manner in order that the terms of this Agreement remain as originally contemplated to the fullest extent possible.

SECTION 4.06. No Third Party Beneficiaries. This Agreement is intended for the benefit of the parties hereto and their respective permitted successors and assigns, and is not for the benefit of, nor may any provision hereof be enforced by, any other person.

SECTION 4.07. Governing Law. All questions concerning the construction, validity, enforcement and interpretation of this Agreement shall be governed by the internal laws of the State of New York, without giving effect to any choice of law or conflict of law provision or rule (whether of the State of New York or any other jurisdictions) that would cause the application of the laws of any jurisdictions other than the State of New York. The Company hereby irrevocably submits to the exclusive jurisdiction of the state and federal courts sitting in The City of New York, Borough of Manhattan, for the adjudication of any dispute hereunder or in connection herewith or under any of the other Transaction Documents or with any transaction contemplated hereby or thereby, and hereby irrevocably waives, and agrees not to assert in any suit, action or proceeding, any claim that it is not personally subject to the jurisdiction of any such court, that such suit, action or proceeding is brought in an inconvenient forum or that the venue of such suit, action or proceeding is improper. The parties consent to the jurisdiction and venue of the foregoing courts and consent that any process or notice of motion or other application to any of said courts or a judge thereof may be served inside or outside the State of New York by registered mail, return receipt requested, directed to the party being served at its address set forth on the signature pages to this Agreement (and service so made shall be deemed complete three (3) days after the same has been posted as aforesaid) or by personal service or in such other manner as may be permissible under the rules of said courts. Each of the Company and the Stockholder irrevocably waives, to the fullest extent permitted by law, any objection which it may now or hereafter have to the laying of the venue of any such suit, action, or proceeding has been brought in an inconvenient forum. EACH PARTY HEREBY IRREVOCABLY WAIVES ANY RIGHT IT MAY HAVE, AND AGREES NOT TO REQUEST, A JURY TRIAL FOR THE ADJ

SECTION 4.08. <u>Termination</u>. This Agreement shall automatically terminate at such time as the later of (x) the Additional Closing Expiration Date (as defined in the Securities Purchase Agreement and (y) such time no Notes remain outstanding.

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THE COMPANY:
APIMEDS PHARMACEUTICALS US, INC.
By:
Name: Erik Emerson
Title: President
Address: 100 Matawan Road, Suite 325, New
Jersey, NJ 07747
STOCKHOLDER:
[STOCKHOLDER]

Address:

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the Stockholder and the Company have duly executed this Voting Agreement as of the date first written above.

#### Apimeds and MindWave Announce Merger, Integrating Biotech Growth with AI-Driven Digital Treasury Yield Generation Backed by \$100M PIPE

Apimeds Pharmaceuticals US, Inc. (NYSE American: APUS) announced a merger with MindWave Innovations Inc, uniting Apimeds' late-stage, non-opioid pain-management biologic portfolio with MindWave's AI-driven Bitcoin treasury, digital asset yield generation, and \$NILA-powered ecosystem. The combined company integrates high-growth biotechnology and institutional digital-treasury capabilities, with the merger supported by a simultaneous PIPE of up to \$100 million to advance Apimeds' clinical programs and expand MindWave's digital asset infrastructure.

Matawan, N.J. -- (BUSINESS WIRE) -- (NYSE American: APUS) Apimeds Pharmaceuticals US, Inc. ("Apimeds"), a clinical-stage biotechnology company that completed its IPO in May 2025, today announced that it has merged with MindWave Innovations Inc ("MindWave"; the transaction, the "Merger"). Today, Apimeds and MindWave signed the merger agreement (the "Merger Agreement") outlining the terms of the Merger, thus paving the way for a dual-growth enterprise spanning advanced biotechnology and institutional digital-asset treasury solutions.

The Merger brings together two high-growth industries—biopharmaceutical innovation and digital-asset financial technology—forming a combined entity positioned to pursue diversified revenue streams and accelerate product development.

MindWave is a global leader in AI-driven Bitcoin and yield-generation technologies, operating in one of the fastest-growing segments of the digital-asset market. Bitcoin remains the most established and highly valued cryptocurrency, and MindWave's platform is designed to help institutions securely hold, manage, and generate yield from Bitcoin reserves.

MindWave's three-pronged strategic framework includes:

- 1. Secure Digital Treasury Wallets for Corporations,
- 2. AI-Enhanced Bitcoin Yield Generation, and
- 3. A Validator-Powered Ecosystem supported by the \$NILA Token.

Together, these capabilities make MindWave one of the first companies to pursue a publicly traded, institutional-focused Digital Asset Treasury (DAT) model.

Apimeds focuses on developing non-opioid, biologic-based therapies for pain management. Its lead product candidate, Apitox, is in late-stage clinical development for the treatment of knee osteoarthritis (the "Apimeds Business"). Promptly following the closing of the Merger and pursuant to the Merger Agreement, Apimeds will transfer its assets and liabilities to its wholly owned subsidiary, where the Apimeds Business will continue.

Erik Emerson, CEO of Apimeds, commented:

"As Apimeds moves toward its Phase 3 clinical trial initiation, we continue to focus on financing and expansion. When I met the leadership team at MindWave and saw the strength and scalability of their business, it became clear this merger represented a unique opportunity. Biotech requires significant capital, and integrating a high-yield digital asset business with strong cash-flow potential will allow us to accelerate our therapeutic programs."

Dr. Vin Menon, Founder and CEO of MindWave, noted:

"The NYSE American listing, combined with our three-pronged approach to Bitcoin Treasury infrastructure, refined AI-supported yield capabilities, and a scalable multivertical ecosystem powered by the \$NILA token, positions MindWave at the forefront of institutional digital treasury management. Joining forces with Apimeds creates a diversified organization designed to drive long-term value and maximize stockholder returns."

#### **ADVISORS**

E.F. Hutton & Co. ("E.F. Hutton") is proud to have served as the exclusive M&A advisor to Apimeds and MindWave in connection with the merger, and as the exclusive placement agent for the concurrent PIPE of up to \$100 million in financing. E.F. Hutton's role reflects its commitment to supporting the combined company's strategic growth across late-stage biotech development and institutional Digital Asset Treasury Solutions.

Nelson Mullins Riley & Scarborough LLP acted as legal advisor to Apimeds. Thunder Rock Capital LLC, a division of Finalis Securities LLC, acted as an advisor to MindWave. Duane Morris LLP acted as legal advisor to MindWave.

## ABOUT APIMEDS PHARMACEUTICALS US, INC.

Apimeds Pharmaceuticals US, Inc. (NYSE American: APUS) is a clinical-stage biopharmaceutical company focused on developing non-opioid, biologic-based therapies for pain management. For more information visit www.apimedsus.com.

#### ABOUT MINDWAVE INNOVATIONS INC

MindWave Innovations Inc is a leading provider of institutional Digital Asset Treasury (DAT) solutions, specializing in compliant Bitcoin treasury infrastructure, AI-driven yield capabilities, ClimateTech impact systems, and AdTech engagement platforms.

The company's multi-vertical ecosystem is powered by its native token, \$NILA, which enables governance, utility, and value flow across its blockchain-integrated operations. For more information visit www.mindwavedao.com.

#### ADDITIONAL INFORMATION AND WHERE TO FIND IT

In connection with the Merger and the related transactions, Apimeds intends to file with the U.S. Securities and Exchange Commission (the "SEC") an Information Statement pursuant to Section 14(c) of the Exchange Act of 1934 (the "Information Statement"), in preliminary and definitive form, and other required documents regarding the Merger with the SEC. INVESTORS AND SECURITY HOLDERS ARE URGED TO READ THE INFORMATION STATEMENT, AS MAY BE AMENDED OR SUPPLEMENTED FROM TIME TO TIME, AND OTHER RELEVANT DOCUMENTS FILED BY APIMEDS WITH THE SEC BECAUSE THEY WILL CONTAIN IMPORTANT INFORMATION ABOUT APIMEDS, MINDWAVE, THE MERGER, AND THE RELATED RISKS AND RELATED MATTERS.

The Definitive Information Statement will be mailed to stockholders of Apimeds. Investors will be able to obtain free copies of the Information Statement, as may be amended from time to time, and other relevant documents filed by Apimeds with the SEC (when they become available) through the website maintained by the SEC at www.sec.gov. Copies of documents filed with the SEC by Apimeds, including the Information Statement (when available), will be available free of charge from Apimeds' website at www.apimedsus.com under the "Investors" tab.

#### FORWARD-LOOKING STATEMENTS

All statements, other than statements of historical fact, included in this report that address activities, events or developments that Apimeds expects, believes or anticipates will or may occur in the future are forward-looking statements. Words such as "estimate," "project," "predict," "believe," "expect," "anticipate," "potential," "create," "intend," "could," "would," "may," "plan," "will," "guidance," "look," "goal," "future," "build," "focus," "continue," "strive," "allow" or the negative of such terms or other variations and words and terms of similar substance used in connection with any discussion of future plans, actions, or events identify forward-looking statements. However, the absence of these words does not mean that the statements are not forward-looking.

These forward-looking statements include, but are not limited to, statements regarding the Merger (including any related post-closing actions), the post-Merger company and its operations, strategies and plans, integration of businesses, governance changes, debt levels and leverage ratio, capital expenditures, cash flows and anticipated uses, synergies, opportunities and anticipated future performance, including the management team and board of directors of the post-Merger company, expected use of proceeds from financing activities, any future acquisitions and the maintenance of bitcoin reserves and related collateral arrangements. Information adjusted for the impact of the Merger should not be considered a forecast of future results.

There are a number of risks and uncertainties that could cause actual results to differ materially from the forward-looking statements included in this report. These include the risk that Apimeds' and MindWave's businesses will not be integrated successfully, synergies and growth from the Merger may not be fully realized or may take longer to realize than expected; potential adverse reactions or changes to business or employee relationships, including those resulting from the announcement or completion of the Merger; failure to obtain or maintain required listing approvals or satisfy NYSE American continued listing standards; inability to consummate planned financings on acceptable terms or within expected timeframes; volatility in bitcoin markets impacting collateral requirements; the risk that changes in Apimeds' capital structure and governance following the Merger could have adverse effects on the market value of its securities; the ability of Apimeds and the post-Merger company to retain customers and retain and hire key personnel and maintain relationships with their suppliers and customers and on Apimeds and the post-Merger company's operating results and business generally; the risk the Merger could distract management from ongoing business operations or cause Apimeds or the post-Merger company to incur substantial costs; the risk that Apimeds may be unable to reduce expenses or access financing or liquidity; the impact of any related economic downturn; the risk of changes in governmental regulations or enforcement practices: and other important factors that could cause actual results to differ materially from those projected. All such factors are difficult to predict and are beyond Apimeds' and MindWave's control, including those detailed in Apimeds' Annual Reports on Form 10-K, Quarterly Reports on Form 10-Q, Current Reports on Form 8-K, and such other documents of Apimeds filed, or to be filed, with the SEC that are or will be available on Apimeds' website at www.apimedsus.com and on the website of the SEC at www.sec.gov. All forward-looking statements are based on assumptions that Apimeds and MindWave believe to be reasonable but that may not prove to be accurate. Any forward-looking statement speaks only as of the date on which such statement is made, and neither Apimeds nor MindWave undertakes any obligation to correct or update any forward-looking statement, whether as a result of new information, future events or otherwise, except as required by applicable law. Readers are cautioned not to place undue reliance on these forward-looking statements, which speak only as of the date of this press release.

## PARTICIPANTS IN THE SOLICITATION

MindWave, Apimeds, and their respective directors, executive officers, management and employees, under SEC rules, may be deemed to be participants in a solicitation of proxies of Apimeds' stockholders. Investors and stockholders may obtain more detailed information regarding the names, affiliations, and interests of Apimeds' directors and executive officers in its filings with the SEC. Information regarding the persons who may, under SEC rules, be deemed participants in the solicitation of proxies of Apimeds stockholders will be set forth in the Information Statement. Such interests may in some cases be different from those of MindWave's or Apimeds' equity holders generally.

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