

**AGREEMENT TO MEDIATE**

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The undersigned parties hereby request the alternative dispute resolution services of Elizabeth Goree, JD in the attempt to mediate the stated dispute between such parties. The parties involved in this dispute fully understand that this is a voluntary process which may be terminated at any time and by any party. We collectively agree to maintain the confidentiality of all information disclosed in the course and scope of this mediation.

Our rules of engagement are as follows:

- Mediation sessions are private. The complainant and respondent are entitled to be present along with designated counsel upon request.
- Any statements made by the parties, designated participants or the mediator during said process are inadmissible and not discoverable for any purpose. Thus, the parties will not seek to compel the testimony by subpoena or otherwise, the production of documents created for, during and/or in anticipation of said mediation.
- The mediator will establish the tenor of the session with the concurrence of all parties. As such, there shall not be any voice, video recording or otherwise during the course and scope of this mediation.
- The mediator makes no promise of the successful resolution of the matter(s) at hand. Legal advice will not be given by the mediator. However, upon the request of the parties, the mediator may issue oral recommendations or opinion for the purpose of solving the dispute.
- Any lawful obligation(s) imposed by this agreement do not supersede any applicable local, state or federal laws regarding mediation confidentiality.
- The mediator shall be held harmless of any claim for damages for any act or omission occurring during or in connection with the mediation process.
- The parties agree to this mediation proceeding willingly and hereby do certify that they have full authority to bind their respective entities and/or members to this agreement.

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