

**ORANGE COUNTY INDUSTRIAL DEVELOPMENT AGENCY**

**TO**

**DANSKAMMER ENERGY, LLC**

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**LEASEBACK AGREEMENT**

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*This conveyance of leasehold interest concerns certain parcels of land located at  
West Hudson River Road and Old Post Road in the Town of Newburgh,  
Orange County, New York  
Tax Map ID Nos.: 8-1-78.2-1 and 8-1-80, respectively*

**Dated as of December 1, 2014**

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## LEASEBACK AGREEMENT

THIS LEASEBACK AGREEMENT, dated as of December 1, 2014 (the "Leaseback Agreement"), is by and between the **ORANGE COUNTY INDUSTRIAL DEVELOPMENT AGENCY**, a public benefit corporation duly existing under the laws of the State of New York with offices at Orange County Business Accelerator, 4 Crotty Lane, Suite 100, New Windsor, New York 12553 (the "Agency") and **DANSKAMMER ENERGY, LLC**, a limited liability company formed and existing under the laws of the State of Delaware, with offices at 994 River Road, Newburgh, New York 12550 (the "Company").

### WITNESSETH:

WHEREAS, Title I of Article 18-A of the General Municipal Law of the State of New York (the "Enabling Act") was duly enacted into law as Chapter 1030 of the Laws of 1969 of the State of New York (the "State"); and

WHEREAS, the Enabling Act authorizes the creation of industrial development agencies for the benefit of the several counties, cities, villages and towns in the State and empowers such agencies, among other things, to acquire, construct, reconstruct, lease, improve, maintain, equip and sell land and any building or other improvement, and all real and personal properties, including, but not limited to, machinery and equipment deemed necessary in connection therewith, whether or not now in existence or under construction, which shall be suitable for manufacturing, warehousing, research, commercial or industrial facilities, in order to advance job opportunities, health, general prosperity and the economic welfare of the people of the State and to improve their standard of living; and

WHEREAS, the Enabling Act further authorizes each such agency to lease any or all of its facilities at such rentals and on such other terms and conditions as it deems advisable; and

WHEREAS, pursuant to and in connection with the provisions of the Enabling Act, Chapter 390 of the Laws of 1972 of the State (hereinafter collectively, the "Act") created the Agency which is empowered under the Act to undertake the leasing of the facility described below; and

WHEREAS, the Company has requested the Agency's assistance with respect to a certain project (the "Project") consisting of (i) the acquisition by the Agency of a leasehold interest in an aggregate approximately 52±-acres of land located West Hudson River Road and Old Post Road in the Town of Newburgh, Orange County, New York (the "Land", being more particularly described as TMID Nos. 8-1-78.2-1 and 8-1-80) being more fully described on **Schedule A** attached hereto, together with all improvements located thereon comprising the Danskammer Power Station, including six (6) existing generators (collectively, the "Existing Improvements") and (ii) the repair or replacement "in kind" of the damaged components within the Existing Improvements, including, but not limited to, piping and valves, generators, pumps, electrical switchgear and various instrumentation (collectively, the "Equipment" and, together with the Land and the Existing Improvements, the "Facility"), all for continued use as a power plant; and

WHEREAS, in order to induce the Company to develop the Facility, the Agency is willing to take title to or a leasehold interest in the Facility and lease said Facility back to the Company pursuant to the terms and conditions contained herein; and

WHEREAS, the Agency has determined that providing the Facility will accomplish, in part, its public purposes; and

WHEREAS, the Company has agreed with the Agency, on behalf of the Agency and as the Agency's agent, to acquire the rights in and to, renovate, repair and equip the Facility in accordance with the application dated July 30, 2014 filed with the Agency; and

WHEREAS, the Agency proposes to lease the Facility to the Company, and the Company desires to rent the Facility from the Agency, upon the terms and conditions hereinafter set forth in this Leaseback Agreement.

NOW, THEREFORE, for and in consideration of the premises and the mutual covenants hereinafter contained, and other good and valuable consideration the receipt and sufficiency of which is hereby acknowledged, the parties hereto hereby formally covenant, agree and bind themselves as follows.

## ARTICLE I REPRESENTATIONS AND COVENANTS

### Section 1.1. Representations and Covenants of the Agency.

The Agency makes the following representations and covenants as the basis for the undertakings on its part herein contained:

(a) The Agency is duly established under the provisions of the Act and has the power to enter into the transaction contemplated by this Leaseback Agreement and to carry out its obligations hereunder. Based upon the representations of the Company as to the utilization of the Facility, the Agency has the authority to take the actions contemplated herein under the Act.

(b) The Agency has been duly authorized to execute and deliver this Leaseback Agreement.

(c) The Agency will take a leasehold interest in the Facility, lease the Facility to the Company pursuant to this Leaseback Agreement and designate the Company as its agent for purposes of the Project pursuant to that certain Agent Agreement, dated as of November 1, 2014, all for the purpose of promoting the industry, health, welfare, convenience and prosperity of the inhabitants of the State and Orange County and improving their standard of living.

(d) Neither the execution and delivery of this Leaseback Agreement, the consummation of the transactions contemplated hereby nor the fulfillment of or compliance with the provisions of this Leaseback Agreement will conflict with or result in a breach of any of the terms, conditions or provisions of the Act or of any corporate restriction or any agreement or instrument to which the Agency is a party or by which it is bound, or will constitute default under any of the foregoing, or result in the creation or imposition of any lien of any nature upon any of the property of the Agency under the terms of any such instrument or agreement.

(e) The Agency has been induced to enter into this Leaseback Agreement by the undertaking of the Company to acquire the rights in and to, renovate, equip, repair and maintain

the Facility and by creating related jobs within Orange County, New York.

Section 1.2. Representations and Covenants of the Company.

The Company makes the following representations and covenants as the basis for the undertakings on its part herein contained:

(a) The Company is a limited liability company formed and validly existing under the laws of the State of Delaware, is authorized to conduct business in the State of New York, has the authority to enter into this Leaseback Agreement and has duly authorized the execution and delivery of this Leaseback Agreement.

(b) Neither the execution and delivery of this Leaseback Agreement, the consummation of the transactions contemplated hereby nor the fulfillment of or compliance with the provisions of this Leaseback Agreement will conflict with or result in a breach of any of the terms, conditions or provisions of any restriction or any agreement or instrument to which the Company is a party or by which it is bound, or will constitute a default under any of the foregoing, or result in the creation or imposition of any lien of any nature upon any of the property of the Company under the terms of any such instrument or agreement.

(c) The Company has no other industrial or manufacturing plant, facility or other commercial activity within the State.

(d) The Facility and the operation thereof will conform with all applicable zoning, planning, building and environmental laws and regulations of governmental authorities having jurisdiction over the Facility, and the Company shall defend, indemnify and hold the Agency harmless from any liability or expenses resulting from any failure by the Company to comply with the provisions of this subsection (d). The Company shall operate the Facility in accordance with this Leaseback Agreement and as a qualified "project" under the Act.

(e) The Company has caused to be transferred to the Agency a leasehold interest in the Facility.

(f) There is no action, suit, proceeding, inquiry or investigation, at law or in equity, before or by any court, public board or body pending or, to the knowledge of the Company, threatened against or affecting the Company, to which the Company is a party, and in which an adverse result would in any way diminish or adversely impact on the Company's ability to fulfill its obligations under this Leaseback Agreement.

(g) During the entirety of the term of this Agreement, the Company will keep in full force and effect that certain Environmental Compliance and Indemnity Agreement between the Company and the Agency and dated of even date with this Agreement (the "Environmental Compliance Agreement").

(h) The Company covenants that it has reviewed the Agency's Labor Policy and agrees that any project employees of the general contractor, subcontractor or subcontractor to a subcontractor working on the Project shall, pursuant to said policy, reside within one of the following counties in the State of New York: Orange, Dutchess, New York, Putnam, Rockland, Sullivan, Ulster or Westchester. In connection with compliance with such Labor Policy, the

Company shall execute the Labor Policy Certificate in substantially the form attached hereto as **Exhibit A**.

(i) The Company has provided to the Agency a certificate or certificates of insurance containing all of the insurance provision requirements included under Sections 3.4 and 3.5 hereof. If the insurance is canceled for any reason whatsoever, or the same is allowed to lapse or expire, or there be any reduction in amount, or any material change is made in the coverage, such cancellation, lapse, expiration, reduction or change shall not be effective as to any mortgagee, loss payee or additional insured until at least thirty (30) days after receipt by such party of written notice by the insurer of such cancellation, lapse, expiration, reduction or change.

(j) There are no customers of the Company who personally visit the Facility for retail purchases from the Facility. For purposes of this section, "retail sales" means: (a) sales by registered vendors under Article 28 of the Tax Law of the State of New York primarily engaged in the retail sale of tangible personal property, as defined in Section 1101(b)(4)(i) of the Tax Law of the State of New York; or (b) sales of a service to said customers.

### Section 1.3. Public Authorities Law Representations.

The parties hereto hereby acknowledge that the Facility and the interest therein conveyed to the Agency under the Lease Agreement, dated as of the date hereof, by and between the Company and the Agency (the "Lease Agreement") and conveyed by the Agency back to the Company pursuant to the terms of this Leaseback Agreement are not "property" as defined in Title 5-A of the Public Authorities Law of the State because the Facility and the leasehold interests therein are securing the Company's obligations to the Agency under the Tax Agreement (hereinafter defined), the Environmental Compliance Agreement and this Leaseback Agreement, including (i) the Company's obligation to acquire, renovate, repair, equip and maintain the Facility on behalf of the Agency and (ii) the performance by the Company of the Unassigned Rights (hereinafter defined).

## ARTICLE II

### FACILITY SITE, DEMISING CLAUSES AND RENTAL PROVISIONS

#### Section 2.1. Agreement to Convey to Agency.

The Company has conveyed to the Agency a leasehold interest in the Facility. The Company agrees that the Agency's interest in the Facility resulting from said conveyances will be sufficient for the purposes intended by this Leaseback Agreement and agrees that it will defend, indemnify and hold the Agency harmless from any expense or liability arising out of a defect in the Company's rights and, as applicable, title, or a lien adversely affecting the Facility and will pay all reasonable expenses incurred by the Agency in defending any action respecting the Company's rights and, as applicable, title to or a lien affecting the Facility.

#### Section 2.2. Renovation, Repair and Equipping of the Facility.

(a) The Agency hereby confirms its appointment of the Company as the true and lawful agent of the Agency to undertake the Project. Such appointment was made by the Agency

pursuant to a resolution duly adopted by the Agency on October 9, 2014 (the "Authorizing Resolution").

(b) The Company as agent for the Agency, will undertake the Project. The Company hereby agrees to limit its activities as agent for the Agency under the authority of the Authorizing Resolution to acts reasonably related to the acquisition, renovation, repairing and equipping of the Facility. The right of the Company to act as agent of the Agency shall expire on the earlier of (a) the completion of the Project, or (b) December 31, 2015; *provided, however* that the Agency may extend the Company's agent appointment at its discretion upon the written request of the Company if such activities and improvements are not completed by such time, and further provided that the Agency shall not unreasonably withhold its consent to the extension of such appointment.

(c) The Company hereby agrees to pay the Agency administrative fee referenced in Section 2.6(b) hereof, the reasonable fees of local counsel to Agency and/or the reasonable fees of transaction counsel, and any and all reasonable fees, costs and expenses incurred in the acquisition, construction and installation of the Facility, including recording fees and taxes and any other fees or expenses due hereunder.

(d) The Company, as agent for the Agency, will undertake the Project. The Company hereby covenants and agrees to annually file with the State Department of Taxation and Finance the statement required by General Municipal Law Section 874(8) concerning the value of sales tax exemptions claimed, if any.

#### Section 2.3. Demise of Facility.

The Agency hereby demises and leases the Facility to the Company and the Company hereby rents and leases the Facility from the Agency upon the terms and conditions of this Leaseback Agreement.

#### Section 2.4. Remedies to be Pursued Against Contractors and Subcontractors and their Sureties.

In the event of a default by any contractor or any other person or subcontractor under any contract made by it in connection with the Facility or in the event of a breach of warranty or other liability with respect to any materials, workmanship, or performance guaranty, the Company at its expense, either separately or in conjunction with others, may pursue any and all remedies available to it and the Agency, as appropriate, against the contractor, subcontractor or manufacturer or supplier or other person so in default and against such surety for the performance of such contract. The Company, in its own name or in the name of the Agency, may prosecute or defend any action or proceeding or take any other action involving any such contractor, subcontractor, manufacturer, supplier or surety or other person which the Company deems reasonably necessary, and in such events the Agency, at the Company's expense, hereby agrees to cooperate fully with the Company and to take all action necessary to effect the substitution of the Company for the Agency (including but not limited to reasonable attorneys' fees) in any such action or proceeding.



Section 2.5. Duration of Lease Term; Quiet Enjoyment.

(a) The Agency shall deliver to the Company sole and exclusive possession of the Facility (subject to the provisions of Sections 5.3 and 7.1 hereof) and the leasehold estate created hereby shall commence on the date hereof.

(b) The leasehold estate created hereby shall, without any further action of the parties hereto, terminate at 11:59 P.M. on **December 31, 2021**, or on such earlier date as may be permitted by Section 8.1 hereof.

(c) The period commencing on the date described in Section 2.5(a) herein through the date described in Section 2.5(b) herein shall be herein defined as the "Lease Term".

(d) The Agency shall, subject to the provisions of Sections 5.3 and 7.1 hereof neither take nor suffer nor permit any action, other than pursuant to Articles VII or VIII of this Leaseback Agreement, to prevent the Company during the term of this Leaseback Agreement from having quiet and peaceable possession and enjoyment of the Facility and will, at the request of the Company and at the Company's cost, cooperate with the Company in order that the Company may have quiet and peaceable possession and enjoyment of the Facility as hereinabove provided.

(e) The Company hereby irrevocably appoints and designates the Agency as its attorney-in-fact for the purpose of executing and delivering and recording any necessary terminations of lease together with any documents required in connection therewith and to take such other and further actions in accordance with this Leaseback Agreement as shall be reasonably necessary to terminate the Agency's leasehold interest in the Project upon the expiration or termination hereof. Notwithstanding any such expiration or termination of this Leaseback Agreement, the Company's obligations under Sections 3.3 and 5.2 hereof and under the Environmental Compliance Agreement shall continue notwithstanding any such termination or expiration.

Section 2.6. Rents and Other Consideration.

The rental obligations during the Lease Term are hereby reserved and the Company shall pay rent for the Facility as follows:

(a) Upon execution of this Leaseback Agreement, One Dollar (\$1.00) for the period commencing on the date hereof and ending on December 31, 2014, and on January 1 of each calendar year thereafter an amount equal to One Dollar (\$1.00) annually.

(b) In addition to the payments of rent pursuant to Section 2.6(a) hereof, throughout the term of this Leaseback Agreement, the Company shall pay to the Agency as additional rent, within thirty (30) days of the receipt of demand therefor, an amount equal to the sum of the expenses of the Agency and the members thereof incurred (i) for the reason of the Agency's ownership, or leasing of the Facility and (ii) in connection with the carrying out of the Agency's duties and obligations under this Leaseback Agreement. The Company shall pay (1) the Agency an administrative fee hereunder plus (2) the reasonable fees and expenses of Harris Beach PLLC, as transaction counsel to the Agency, all payable upon execution of this Leaseback Agreement;

provided, however, prior to any such payment being required to be made by the Company, the Agency has provided the Company with an invoice, statement or other documentation reflecting the amount of all such fees and expenses.

(c) The Company agrees to make the above mentioned payments, without any further notice, in lawful money of the United States of America as, at the time of payment, shall be legal tender for the payment of public or private debts. In the event the Company shall fail to timely make any payment required in this Section 2.6 the Company shall pay the same together with interest from the date said payment is due at the rate of twelve percent (12%) per annum.

#### Section 2.7. Obligations of Company Hereunder Unconditional.

The obligations of the Company to make the payments required in Section 2.6 hereof and to perform and observe any and all of the other covenants and agreements on its part contained herein shall be a general obligation of the Company and shall be absolute and unconditional irrespective of any defense or any rights of setoff, recoupment or counterclaim it may otherwise have against the Agency. The Company agrees it will not (i) suspend, discontinue or abate any payment required by Section 2.6 hereof or (ii) fail to observe any of its other covenants or agreements in this Leaseback Agreement or (iii) except as provided in Section 8.1 hereof, terminate this Leaseback Agreement for any cause whatsoever including, without limiting the generality of the foregoing, failure to complete the Facility, any defect in the title, design, operation, merchantability, fitness or condition of the Facility or in the suitability of the Facility for the Company's purposes and needs, failure of consideration, destruction of or damage to the Facility, commercial frustration of purpose, or the taking by condemnation of title to or the use of all or any part the Facility, any change in the tax or other laws of the United States of America or administrative rulings of or administrative actions by the State or any political subdivision of either, or any failure of the Agency to perform and observe any agreement, whether expressed or implied, or any duty, liability or obligation arising out of or in connection with this Leaseback Agreement, or otherwise. Subject to the foregoing provisions, nothing contained in this Section 2.7 shall be construed to release the Agency from the performance of any of the agreements on its part contained in this Leaseback Agreement or to affect the right of the Company to seek reimbursement, and in the event the Agency should fail to perform any such agreement, the Company may institute such separate action against the Agency as the Company may deem necessary to compel performance or recover damages for nonperformance, and the Agency covenants that it will not, subject to the provisions of Section 5.2, take, suffer or permit any action which will adversely affect, or create any defect in its title to the Facility or which will otherwise adversely affect the rights or estates of the Company hereunder, except upon written consent of the Company. None of the foregoing shall relieve the Company of its obligations under Section 5.2 hereof.

### ARTICLE III

#### MAINTENANCE, MODIFICATIONS, TAXES AND INSURANCE

##### Section 3.1. Maintenance and Modifications of Facility By Company.

(a) The Company agrees that during the term of this Leaseback Agreement it or its operator will (i) keep the Facility in as reasonably safe condition as its operations shall permit;

(ii) make all necessary repairs and replacements to the Facility (whether ordinary or extraordinary, structural or nonstructural, foreseen or unforeseen); (iii) operate the Facility in a sound and prudent manner; (iv) operate the Facility such that it continues to qualify as a "project" under the Act and pursuant to the terms contained herein; and (v) indemnify and hold the Agency harmless from any liability or expenses from the failure by the Company to comply with (i), (ii), (iii) or (iv) above.

(b) The Company at its own expense from time to time may make any structural addition, modifications or improvements to the Facility or any addition, modifications or improvements to the Facility or any part thereof which it may deem desirable for its business purposes and uses. All such structural additions, modifications or improvements so made by the Company shall become a part of the Facility; provided, however, the Company shall not be qualified for a sales and use tax exemption when making said additions, modifications or improvements except to the extent (i) the Company is acting as agent for the Agency under an Agent Agreement between the Agency and the Company which contemplates said additions, modifications or improvements or (ii) as otherwise provided by law.

### Section 3.2. Installation of Additional Equipment.

The Company from time to time may install additional machinery, equipment or other personal property in the Facility (which may be attached or affixed to the Facility), and such machinery, equipment or other personal property shall not become, or be deemed to become, a part of the Facility, unless otherwise agreed to by the Company and the Agency. The Company from time to time may remove or permit the removal of such machinery, equipment or other personal property.

### Section 3.3. Taxes, Assessments and Utility Charges.

(a) The Company agrees to pay, as the same respectively become due, (i) all taxes and governmental charges of any kind whatsoever which may at any time be lawfully assessed or levied against or with respect to the Facility and any machinery, equipment or other property installed or brought by the Company therein or thereon, including without limiting the generality of the foregoing any taxes levied upon or with respect to the income or revenues of the Company from the Facility, (ii) all payments under a certain tax agreement, dated as of the date hereof by and between the Agency and the Company (the "Tax Agreement"); (iii) all utility and other charges, including "service charges", incurred or imposed for the operation, maintenance, use, occupancy, upkeep and improvement of the Facility, and (iv) all assessments and charges of any kind whatsoever lawfully made by any governmental body for public improvements; provided that, with respect to special assessments or other governmental charges that may lawfully be paid in installments over a period of years, the Company shall be obligated under this Leaseback Agreement to pay only such installments as are required to be paid during the Lease Term.

(b) The Company, at its own expense and in its own name and on behalf or in the name and on behalf of the Agency but with notice to the Agency, may in good faith contest any such taxes, assessments and other charges. In the event of any such contest, the Company may, with prior written notice to the Agency, permit the taxes, assessments or other charges so

contested to remain unpaid during the period of such contest and any appeal therefrom unless the Agency reasonably requests payment prior to settlement.

Section 3.4. Insurance Required.

At all times throughout the Lease Term, including without limitation during any period of construction of the Facility, the Company shall maintain or cause to be maintained insurance against such risks and for such amounts as are customarily insured against by businesses of like size and type paying, as the same become due and payable, all premiums in respect thereto, including, but not necessarily limited to:

(a) Insurance against loss or damage by fire, lightning and other casualties, with a uniform standard extended coverage endorsement, such insurance to be in an amount reasonably determined by the Company. The Company may insure the Facility under a blanket insurance policy or policies covering not only the Facility but other properties as well. Such insurance shall have a commercially reasonable deductible.

(b) Workers' compensation insurance, disability benefits insurance, and each other form of insurance which the Agency or the Company is required by law to provide, covering loss resulting from injury, sickness, disability or death of employees of the Company who are located at or assigned to the Facility.

(c) Insurance against loss or losses from liabilities imposed by law or assumed in any written contract and arising from personal injury and death or damage to the property of others caused by any accident or occurrence, with limits of not less than **\$1,000,000** per accident or occurrence on account of personal injury, including death resulting therefrom, and **\$1,000,000** per accident or occurrence on account of damage to the property of others, excluding liability imposed upon the Company by any applicable workers' compensation law; and a blanket excess liability policy in the amount not less than **\$3,000,000**, protecting the Company against any loss or liability or damage for personal injury or property damage.

(d) Reserved.

(e) Prior to completion of the Project, any contractor or subcontractor constructing the Facility shall be required to carry workers' compensation and general comprehensive liability insurance with limits reasonably acceptable to the Agency and containing coverages for premises operations, owner's protective, contractor's protective, contractual liability, personal injury liability, broad form property damage, explosion hazard, collapse hazard and underground property damage hazard and coverage for all owned, non-owned and hired vehicles with non-ownership protection for the contractor's or subcontractor's employees.

THE AGENCY DOES NOT IN ANY WAY REPRESENT THAT THE INSURANCE SPECIFIED HEREIN, WHETHER IN SCOPE OR IN LIMITS OF COVERAGE, IS ADEQUATE OR SUFFICIENT TO PROTECT THE COMPANY'S BUSINESS OR INTERESTS.

Section 3.5. Additional Provisions Respecting Insurance.

(a) All insurance required by Section 3.4(a)-(d) hereof shall name the Agency as an additional insured, as its interest may appear. All insurance shall be procured and maintained in financially sound and generally recognized responsible insurance companies selected by the Company and authorized to write such insurance in the State. Such insurance may be written with deductible amounts as deemed appropriate by the Company. All policies evidencing such insurance shall provide for (i) payment of the losses of the Company and the Agency as their respective interest may appear, and (ii) at least thirty (30) days' written notice of the cancellation thereof to the Company and the Agency.

(b) All such certificates of insurance of the insurers that such insurance is in force and effect, shall be provided to the Agency within no more than five (5) business days of the commencement of the term of this Leaseback Agreement. Prior to expiration of the policy evidenced by said certificates, the Company shall furnish the Agency evidence that the policy has been renewed or replaced or is no longer required by this Leaseback Agreement.

(c) Within one hundred twenty (120) days after the end of each of its fiscal years, the Company shall file with the Agency a certificate of the Company to the effect that the insurance it maintains with respect to the Project complies with the provisions of this Article III and that duplicate copies of all policies or certificates thereof have been filed with the Agency and are in full force and effect..

Section 3.6. Application of Net Proceeds of Insurance.

The net proceeds of the insurance carried pursuant to the provisions of Section 3.4 hereof shall be applied as follows:

(i) the net proceeds of the insurance required by Section 3.4(a) and (d) hereof shall be applied as provided in Section 4.1 hereof, and

(ii) the net proceeds of the insurance required by Section 3.4(b) and (c) hereof shall be applied toward extinguishment or satisfaction of the liability with respect to which such insurance proceeds may be paid.

Section 3.7. Right of Agency to Pay Taxes, Insurance Premiums and Other Charges.

If the Company fails (i) to pay any tax, assessment or other governmental charge required to be paid by Section 3.3 hereof or (ii) to maintain any insurance required to be maintained by Section 3.4 hereof, the Agency may pay such tax, assessment or other governmental charge or the premium for such insurance. The Company shall reimburse the Agency for any amount so paid together with interest thereon from the date of payment at twelve percent (12%) per annum.

## ARTICLE IV

### DAMAGE, DESTRUCTION AND CONDEMNATION

#### Section 4.1. Damage or Destruction.

(a) If the Facility shall be damaged or destroyed (in whole or in part) at any time during the term of this Leaseback Agreement:

(i) the Agency shall have no obligation to replace, repair, rebuild or restore the Facility;

(ii) there shall be no abatement or reduction in the amounts payable by the Company under this Leaseback Agreement; and

(iii) except as otherwise provided in subsection (b) of this Section 4.1, the Company shall promptly replace, repair, rebuild or restore the Facility to substantially the same condition and value as an operating entity as existed prior to such damage or destruction, with such changes, alterations and modifications as may be desired by the Company and may use insurance proceeds for all such purposes.

All such replacements, repairs, rebuilding or restoration made pursuant to this Section 4.1, whether or not requiring the expenditure of the Company's own money, shall automatically become a part of the Facility as if the same were specifically described herein.

(b) The Company shall not be obligated to replace, repair, rebuild or restore the Facility, and the net proceeds of the insurance shall not be applied as provided in subsection (a) of this Section 4.1, if the Company shall exercise its option to terminate this Leaseback Agreement pursuant to Section 8.1 hereof.

(c) The Company may adjust all claims under any policies of insurance required by Section 3.4(a) and (d) hereof.

#### Section 4.2. Condemnation.

(a) If at any time during the term of this Leaseback Agreement the whole or any part of title to, or the use of, the Facility shall be taken by condemnation, the Agency shall have no obligation to restore or replace the Facility and there shall be no abatement or reduction in the amounts payable by the Company under this Leaseback Agreement. The Agency shall not have any interest whatsoever in any condemnation award, and the Company shall have the exclusive right to same.

To the extent less than all of the Facility is taken by condemnation, the Company may, but shall not be required to, restore the Facility (excluding any land taken by condemnation) to substantially the same condition as an operating entity as existed prior to such condemnation.

To the extent so restored, whether or not requiring the expenditure of the Company's own moneys, any such restored Facility shall automatically be deemed to be the Facility hereunder.

(b) If the Company does not restore the Facility, the Company shall terminate this Leaseback Agreement pursuant to Section 8.1 hereof.

(c) The Agency shall cooperate fully with the Company in the handling and conduct of any condemnation proceeding with respect to the Facility. In no event shall the Agency voluntarily settle, or consent to the settlement of, any condemnation proceeding with respect to the Facility without the written consent of the Company.

Section 4.3. Condemnation of Company-Owned Property.

The Company shall be entitled to the proceeds of any condemnation award or portion thereof made for damage to or taking of any property which, at the time of such damage or taking, is not part of the Facility and the Agency shall have not right to or any claim upon any such proceeds either hereunder or under any other documents put in place between the Company and the Agency.

ARTICLE V

SPECIAL COVENANTS

Section 5.1. No Warranty of Condition or Suitability by the Agency.

THE AGENCY MAKES NO WARRANTY, EITHER EXPRESS OR IMPLIED, AS TO THE CONDITION, TITLE, DESIGN, OPERATION, MERCHANTABILITY OR FITNESS OF THE FACILITY OR THAT IT IS OR WILL BE SUITABLE FOR THE COMPANY'S PURPOSES OR NEEDS.

Section 5.2. Hold Harmless Provisions.

The Company hereby releases the Agency from, agrees that the Agency shall not be liable for, and agrees to indemnify, defend and hold the Agency and its executive director, directors, officers, members, directors and employees, agents (except the Company) representatives, successors and assigns harmless from and against any and all (i) liability for loss or damage to property or injury to or death of any and all persons that may be occasioned by any cause whatsoever pertaining to the Facility or arising by reason of or in connection with the occupation or the use thereof or the presence on, in or about the Facility or (ii) liability arising from or expense incurred by the Agency's financing, renovating, repairing, equipping, owning and leasing of the Facility, including without limiting the generality of the foregoing, all causes of action and attorneys' fees and any other expenses incurred in defending any suits or actions which may arise as a result of any of the foregoing. The foregoing indemnities shall apply notwithstanding the fault or negligence on the part of the Agency, or any of its respective members, directors, officers, agents or employees and irrespective of the breach of a statutory obligation or the application of any rule of comparative or apportioned liability; except, however, that such indemnities will not be applicable with respect to willful misconduct or gross negligence on the part of the Agency, its executive director, directors, officers, members, employees, agents (except the Company), representatives, successors and assigns or any other person or entity to be indemnified.

Section 5.3. Right to Inspect the Facility.

The Agency and its duly authorized agents shall have the right at all reasonable times and upon reasonable notice to inspect the Facility. The Agency shall honor and comply with any and all access policies of the Company relating to the Facility.

Section 5.4. Agreement to Provide Information.

The Company agrees, whenever reasonably requested by the Agency (no more than twice per year), to provide and certify or cause to be provided and certified, without delay, such information concerning the Company, the Company's employment history and statistics related thereto, the Facility and other topics reasonably necessary to enable the Agency to make any report required by law or governmental regulation or as otherwise reasonably requested by the Agency.

Section 5.5. Books of Record and Account; Financial Statements.

The Company at all times agrees to maintain proper accounts, records and books in which full and correct entries shall be made, in accordance with generally accepted accounting principles, of all business and affairs of the Company relating to the Facility.

Section 5.6. Compliance with Orders, Ordinances, Etc.

(a) The Company agrees that it will, throughout the term of this Leaseback Agreement, promptly comply in all material respects with all statutes, codes, laws, acts, ordinances, orders, judgments, decrees, injunctions, rules, regulations, permits, licenses, authorization, directions and requirements of all federal, state, county, municipal and other governments, departments, commissions, boards, companies or associations insuring the premises, courts, authorities, officials and officers, foreseen or unforeseen, ordinary or extraordinary, which now or at any time hereafter may be applicable to the Facility or any part thereof, or to any use, manner of use or condition of the Facility or any part thereof.

(b) Notwithstanding the provisions of subsection (a) of this Section 5.6, the Company may in good faith contest the validity of the applicability of any requirement of the nature referred to in such subsection (a). In such event, the Company may fail to comply with the requirement or requirements so contested during the period of such contest and any appeal therefrom. The Company will endeavor to give notice of the foregoing to the Agency but failure to do so shall not be a breach of this Leaseback Agreement.

Section 5.7. Discharge of Liens and Encumbrances.

(a) The Company shall not permit or create or suffer to be permitted or created any lien upon the Facility or any part thereof by reason of any labor, services or materials rendered or supplied or claimed to be rendered or supplied with respect to the Facility or any part thereof except any liens existing on the date hereof. This provision shall not prohibit the Approved Liens as they are defined in Section 6.1(a) below.



(b) Notwithstanding the provisions of subsection (a) of this Section 5.7, the Company may in good faith contest any such lien. In such event, the Company, with prior written notice to the Agency, may permit the items so contested to remain undischarged and unsatisfied during the period of such contest and any appeal therefrom, unless the Agency shall notify the Company to promptly secure payment of all such unpaid items by filing the requisite bond, in form and substance satisfactory to the Agency, thereby causing a lien to be removed.

#### Section 5.8. Depreciation Deductions and Investment Tax Credit.

The parties agree that the Company shall be entitled to all depreciation deductions with respect to any depreciable property in the Facility pursuant to Section 167 of the Internal Revenue Code and to any investment credit pursuant to Section 38 of the Internal Revenue Code with respect to any portion of the Facility which constitutes "Section 38 Property."

### ARTICLE VI

#### RELEASE OF CERTAIN LAND; ASSIGNMENTS AND SUBLEASING; MORTGAGE AND PLEDGE OF INTERESTS

##### Section 6.1. Restriction on Sale of Facility; Release of Certain Land.

Except as otherwise specifically provided in this Article VI and except for the granting of a mortgage interest and security interests to lenders designated by the Company (the "Lender") under a mortgage, security agreement and/or assignment of leases and rents in a form reasonably acceptable to the Agency, Lender and the Company, for purposes of financing (i) the Facility as completed, (ii) the construction and improvement of the Facility or (iii) any modifications, additions and/or substitutions thereof, with the Lender or its successors and/or assigns (the "Approved Liens"), the Agency shall not sell, convey, transfer, encumber or otherwise dispose of the Facility or any part thereof or any of its rights under this Leaseback Agreement, without the prior written consent of the Company (which consent may be denied in the sole discretion of the Company). Under no circumstances shall the Agency be required to mortgage, grant a security interest in or assign its rights (i) to receive the rentals described in Section 2.6 hereof or its rights to be indemnified under Sections 1.2(d), 1.2(g), 2.1, 3.1(a) and 5.2 herein; (ii) the right of the Agency on its own behalf to receive all opinions of counsel, reports, financial information, certificates, insurance policies or binders or certificates, or other notices or communications required to be delivered to the Agency hereunder or otherwise reasonably requested by the Agency; (iii) the right of the Agency to grant or withhold any consents or approvals required of the Agency hereunder; (iv) the right of the Agency in its own behalf to enforce the obligation of the Company to complete the Project and to confirm the qualification of the Project as a "project" under the Act; (v) the right of the Agency to amend with the agreement of the Company this Leaseback Agreement, and the right of the Agency to exercise its rights and remedies hereunder or under the Environmental Compliance Agreement; (vi) the right of the Agency in its own behalf to declare an Event of Default under Section 7.1 hereof; or (vii) the right of the Agency as to any of the foregoing, exercisable with respect to any sublessees or subtenants (collectively, the "Unassigned Rights").

Section 6.2. Removal of Equipment.

(a) The Agency shall not be under any obligation to remove, repair or replace any inadequate, obsolete, worn out, unsuitable, undesirable or unnecessary item of Equipment. In any instance where the Company determines that any item of Equipment has become inadequate, obsolete, worn out, unsuitable, undesirable or unnecessary, the Company may remove such item of Equipment from the Facility and may sell, trade-in, exchange or otherwise dispose of the same, as a whole or in part, as well as replace any such item of Equipment as is deemed necessary by the Company for the operation of the Facility.

(b) The Agency shall execute and deliver to the Company all instruments necessary or appropriate to enable the Company to sell or otherwise dispose of any such item of Equipment. The Company shall pay any costs (including reasonable attorneys' fees) incurred in transferring title to and releasing any item of Equipment removed pursuant to this Section 6.2.

(c) The removal of any item of Equipment pursuant to this Section 6.2 shall not entitle the Company to any abatement of or diminution of the rents payable under Section 2.6 hereof.

Section 6.3. Assignment and Subleasing.

(a) This Leaseback Agreement may not be assigned in whole or in part except to a Related Person of the Company (as that term is defined in subparagraph (C) of paragraph three of subsection (b) of section four hundred sixty-five of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986, as amended, hereinafter "Related Person"), and the Facility may not be subleased, in whole or in part, by the Company except to a Related Person of the Company without the prior written consent of the Agency. A transfer in excess of 50% of the equity voting interests of the Company, other than to a Related Person of the Company, shall be deemed an assignment and require the prior written consent of the Agency. Any assignment or sublease shall be on the following conditions, as of the time of each assignment or sublease:

(i) no assignment or sublease shall relieve the Company from primary liability for any of its obligations hereunder;

(ii) the assignee or sublessee shall assume the obligations of the Company hereunder to the extent of the interest assigned or subleased;

(iii) the Company shall, within ten (10) days after the delivery thereof, furnish or cause to be furnished to the Agency a true and complete copy of such assignment or sublease and the instrument of assumption;

(iv) the Facility shall continue to constitute a "project" as such quoted term is defined in the Act; and

(v) If the Agency shall so request, as of the purported effective date of any assignment or sublease pursuant to subsection (a) of this Section 6.3, the Company at its

cost shall furnish to the Agency with an opinion of counsel, in form and substance satisfactory to the Agency as to items (i), (ii) and (iv) above.

(b) Any such assignment or sublease is subject to the review and approval by the Agency and its counsel (at no cost to the Agency; any such cost to be paid by the Company, including reasonable attorneys' fees), and shall contain such terms and conditions as reasonably required by the Agency and its counsel. No approval by the Agency of a sublease or assignment shall be unreasonably withheld, denied or conditioned.

## ARTICLE VII

### DEFAULT

#### Section 7.1. Events of Default Defined.

(a) Each of the following shall be an "Event of Default" under this Leaseback Agreement:

(1) If the Company fails to pay the amounts required to be paid pursuant to Section 2.6 of this Leaseback Agreement and such failure shall have continued for a period of ten (10) days after the Agency gives written notice of such failure to the Company; or

(2) If there is any purposeful, willful and knowing breach by the Company of any of its other agreements or covenants set forth in this Leaseback Agreement; or

(3) If there is any failure by the Company to observe or perform any other covenant, condition or agreement required by this Leaseback Agreement to be observed or performed and such failure shall have continued for a period of thirty (30) days after the Agency gives written notice to the Company, specifying that failure and stating that it be remedied, or in the case of any such default which can be cured with due diligence but not within such thirty (30) day period, the Company's failure to proceed promptly to cure such default and thereafter prosecute the curing of such default with due diligence; or

(4) If any representation or warranty of the Company contained in this Leaseback Agreement is incorrect in any material respect; or

(5) If there exists and continues any Event of Default under the Tax Agreement.

(b) Notwithstanding the provisions of 7.1(a) hereof, if by reason of force majeure either party hereto shall be unable in whole or in part to carry out its obligations under this Leaseback Agreement and if such party shall give notice and full particulars of such force majeure in writing to the other party within a reasonable time after the occurrence of the event or cause relied upon, the obligations under this Leaseback Agreement of the party giving such notice, so far as they are affected by such force majeure, shall be suspended during continuance of the inability, which shall include a reasonable time for the removal of the effect thereof. The suspension of such obligations for such period pursuant to this subsection (b) shall not be

deemed an Event of Default under this Section 7.1. Notwithstanding anything to the contrary in this subsection (b), an event of force majeure shall not excuse, delay or in any way diminish the obligations of the Company to or make the payments required by Sections 2.6 and 3.3 hereof, to obtain and continue in full force and effect the insurance required by Section 3.4 hereof, and to provide the indemnity required by Section 5.2 hereof and to comply with the terms of Sections 5.2, 5.3, 5.6, 5.7 and 7.1(a)(1) hereof. The term "force majeure" as used herein shall include, without limitation, acts of God, strikes, lockouts or other industrial disturbances, acts of public enemies, acts, priorities or orders of any kind of the government of the United States of America or of the State or any of their departments, commissions, agencies, governmental subdivisions, or officials, any civil or military authority, insurrections, riots, epidemics, landslides, lightning, earthquakes, fire, hurricanes, storms, floods, washouts, droughts, arrests, restraint of government and people, civil disturbances, explosions, breakage or accident to machinery, transmission pipes or canals, shortages of labor or materials or delays of carriers, partial or entire failure of utilities, shortage of energy or any other cause or event not reasonably within the control of the party claiming such inability and not due to its fault. The party claiming such inability shall remove the cause for the same with all reasonable promptness. It is agreed that the settlement of strikes, lock-outs and other industrial disturbances shall be entirely within the discretion of the party having difficulty, and the party having difficulty shall not be required to settle any strike, lockout and other industrial disturbances by acceding to the demands of the opposing party or parties.

#### Section 7.2. Remedies on Default.

Whenever any Event of Default shall have occurred and be continuing, the Agency may take, to the extent permitted by law, any one or more of the following remedial steps;

(1) Declare, by written notice to the Company, to be immediately due and payable, whereupon the same shall become immediately due and payable: (i) all unpaid installments of rent payable pursuant to Section 2.6(a) hereof and (ii) all other payments due under this Leaseback Agreement.

(2) Take any other action as it shall deem necessary to cure any such Event of Default, provided that the taking of any such action shall not be deemed to constitute a waiver of such Event of Default.

(3) Take any other action at law or in equity to collect the payments then due or thereafter to become due hereunder, and to enforce the obligations, agreements or covenants of the Company under this Leaseback Agreement.

(4) Terminate this Leaseback Agreement and either reconvey the Facility to the Company if the Agency has a fee interest or terminate the Agency's leasehold interest.

#### Section 7.3. Remedies Cumulative.

No remedy herein conferred upon or reserved to the Agency is intended to be exclusive of any other available remedy, but each and every such remedy shall be cumulative and in addition to every other remedy given under this Leaseback Agreement or now or hereafter

existing at law or in equity. No delay or omission to exercise any right or power accruing upon any default shall impair any such right or power or shall be construed to be a waiver thereof, but any such right and power may be exercised from time to time and as often as may be deemed expedient.

Section 7.4. Agreement to Pay Attorneys' Fees and Expenses.

In the event the Company should default under any of the provisions of this Leaseback Agreement and the Agency should employ attorneys or incur other expenses for the collection of amounts payable hereunder or the enforcement of performance or observance of any obligations or agreements on the part of the Company herein contained, the Company shall, on demand therefor, pay to the Agency, the reasonable and actual fees of such attorneys and such other expenses so incurred.

Section 7.5. No Additional Waiver Implied by One Waiver.

In the event any agreement contained herein should be breached by any party and thereafter waived by any other party, such waiver shall be limited to the particular breach so waived and shall not be deemed to waive any other breach hereunder.

ARTICLE VIII

EARLY TERMINATION OF LEASEBACK AGREEMENT;  
OBLIGATIONS OF COMPANY

Section 8.1. Early Termination of Leaseback Agreement.

(a) The Company shall have the option at any time to terminate this Leaseback Agreement upon filing with the Agency a certificate signed by an authorized representative of the Company stating the Company's intention to do so pursuant to this Section 8.1 and upon compliance with the requirements set forth in Section 8.2 hereof.

(b) The Agency shall have the option at any time to terminate this Leaseback Agreement upon the occurrence of an Event of Default in accordance with the provisions of Section 7.2(4).

Section 8.2. Obligation to Purchase Facility.

Upon termination of this Leaseback Agreement in accordance with Sections 2.5, 7.2 or 8.1 hereof, the Company shall purchase the Facility from the Agency (or if the Agency's interest is a leasehold, the Agency shall surrender its leasehold estate) for One Dollar (\$1.00) plus all rental reserved and unpaid as described in Section 2.6 hereof (the "Purchase Payment"). The Company shall exercise its obligation to purchase or option to have the Agency's leasehold interest terminated by giving written notice to the Agency and paying said amount to the Agency.

Section 8.3. Conveyance on Purchase.

At the termination of the Company's leasehold interest in the Facility pursuant to Section 8.2 hereof, the Agency shall, upon receipt of the Purchase Payment, deliver to the Company all necessary documents to reflect either (i) a transfer by quitclaim deed of a fee interest (if the Agency holds a fee interest) or (ii) termination of the Agency's leasehold interest, as well as any additional documentation reasonably requested by the Company (and at the cost of the Company) to ensure that any right in favor of the Agency in and to the Facility are expressly terminated and withdrawn, including, but not limited to, any lien release or other documents terminating any right of the Agency which has been recorded in the applicable real property records of Orange County, New York.

ARTICLE IX

MISCELLANEOUS

Section 9.1. Notices.

All notices, certificates and other communications hereunder shall be in writing and shall be sufficiently given and shall be deemed given when delivered and, if delivered by mail, shall be sent by certified mail, postage prepaid, addressed as follows:

To the Agency:

Orange County Industrial Development Agency  
Orange County Business Accelerator  
4 Crotty Lane, Suite 100  
New Windsor, New York 12553  
Attn: Executive Director

With Copy To:

Kevin T. Dowd, Esq.  
Attorney - Orange County IDA  
46 Daisy Lane  
Montgomery, New York 12549

And To:

Harris Beach PLLC  
99 Garnsey Road  
Pittsford, New York 14534  
Attn: Russell E. Gaenzle, Esq.

To the Company:

Danskammer Energy, LLC  
994 River Road  
Newburgh, New York 12550  
Attn: Larry She

With Copy To:

Danskammer Energy, LLC  
c/o Mercuria Energy America, Inc.  
20 East Greenway Plaza, Suite 650  
Houston, Texas 77046  
Attn: Head of Legal – North America

And To:

Nixon Peabody LLP  
1300 Clinton Square  
Rochester, New York 14604  
Attn: Brian G. Flanagan, Esq.

or at such other address as any party may from time to time furnish to the other party by notice given in accordance with the provisions of this Section. All notices shall be deemed given when mailed or personally delivered in the manner provided in this Section.

Section 9.2. Binding Effect.

This Leaseback Agreement shall inure to the benefit of and shall be binding upon the Agency, the Company and their respective successors and assigns.

Section 9.3. Severability.

In the event any provision of this Leaseback Agreement shall be held invalid or unenforceable by any court of competent jurisdiction, such holding shall not invalidate or render unenforceable any other provision hereof.

Section 9.4. Amendments, Changes and Modifications.

This Leaseback Agreement may not be amended, changed, modified, altered or terminated without the concurring written consent of the parties hereto.

Section 9.5. Execution of Counterparts.

This Leaseback Agreement may be executed in several counterparts, each of which shall be an original and all of which together shall constitute but one and the same instrument.

Section 9.6. Applicable Law.

This Leaseback Agreement shall be governed, construed and enforced in accordance with the laws of the State of New York for contracts to be wholly performed therein.

Section 9.7. Recording and Filing.

This Leaseback Agreement or a memorandum thereof, shall be recorded or filed, as the case may be, in the Office of the Clerk of Orange County, New York, or in such other office as may at the time be provided by law as the proper place for the recordation or filing thereof.

Section 9.8. Survival of Obligations.

This Leaseback Agreement shall survive the performance of the obligations of the Company payments required by Section 2.6 and all indemnities shall survive any termination or expiration of this Leaseback Agreement.

Section 9.9. Section Headings Not Controlling.

The headings of the several sections in this Leaseback Agreement have been prepared for convenience of reference only and shall not control, affect the meaning or be taken as an interpretation of any provision of this Leaseback Agreement.

Section 9.10. No Broker.

Agency and Company represent and warrant to the other that neither Agency nor Company has dealt with any broker or finder entitled to any commission, fee, or other compensation by reason of the execution of this Leaseback Agreement, and each party agrees to indemnify and hold the other harmless from any charge, liability or expense (including attorneys' fees) the other may suffer, sustain, or incur with respect to any claim for a commission, fee or other compensation by a broker or finder claiming by, through or under the other party.

Section 9.11. No Recourse; Special Obligation.

(a) The obligations and agreements of the Agency contained herein and any other instrument or document executed in connection herewith, and any other instrument or document supplemental thereto or hereto, shall be deemed the obligations and agreements of the Agency, and not of any member, officer, agent (other than the Company) or employee of the Agency in his/her individual capacity, and the members, officers, agents (other than the Company) and employees of the Agency shall not be liable personally hereon or thereon or be subject to any personal liability or accountability based upon or in respect hereof or thereof or of any transaction contemplated hereby or thereby. The obligations and agreements of the Company contained herein and any other instrument or document executed in connection herewith, and any other instrument or document supplemental thereto or hereto, shall be deemed the obligations and agreements of the Company, and not of any member, officer, agent or employee of the Company in his/her individual capacity, and the members, officers, agents and employees of the Company shall not be liable personally hereon or thereon or be subject to any personal liability or accountability based upon or in respect hereof or thereof or of any transaction contemplated hereby or thereby.

(b) The obligations and agreements of the Agency contained hereby shall not constitute or give rise to an obligation of the State or of the County of Orange, New York, and neither the State nor County of Orange, New York, shall be liable hereon or thereon, and, further, such obligations and agreements shall not constitute or give rise to a general obligation of the Agency, but rather shall constitute limited obligations of the Agency, payable solely from the revenues of the Agency derived and to be derived from the sale or other disposition of the Facility (except for revenues derived by the Agency with respect to the Unassigned Rights).

(c) No order or decree of specific performance with respect to any of the obligations of either party hereunder shall be sought or enforced against the such party unless (i) the party seeking such order or decree shall first have requested the other such party in writing to take the action sought in such order or decree of specific performance, and ten (10) days shall have elapsed from the date of receipt of such request, and the other such party shall have refused to comply with such request (or, if compliance therewith would reasonably be expected to take



longer than ten (10) days, shall have failed to institute and diligently pursue action to cause compliance with such request) or failed to respond within such notice period, (ii) if the other such party refuses to comply with such request and the other such party's refusal to comply is based on its reasonable expectation that it will incur fees and expenses, the party seeking such order or decree shall place, in an account with the other such party, an amount or undertaking sufficient to cover such reasonable fees and expenses, and (iii) if the other such party refuses to comply with such request and the other such party's refusal to comply is based on its reasonable expectation that it or any of its members, officers, agents (other than the Company if the Company is the other such party) or employees shall be subject to potential liability, the party seeking such order or decree shall agree to indemnify and hold harmless the other such party and its members, officers, agents (other than the Company if the Company is the other such party) and employees against all liability expected to be incurred as a result of compliance with such request.

Section 9.12. No Joint Venture Created.

The Agency and the Company mutually agree that by entering into this Leaseback Agreement the parties hereto are not entering into a joint venture.

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IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the Agency and the Company have caused this Leaseback Agreement to be executed in their respective names, all as of the date first above written.

**ORANGE COUNTY INDUSTRIAL  
DEVELOPMENT AGENCY**

By: \_\_\_\_\_

James R. Petro, Jr., Executive Director

**DANSKAMMER ENERGY, LLC**

By: \_\_\_\_\_

Larry She, President

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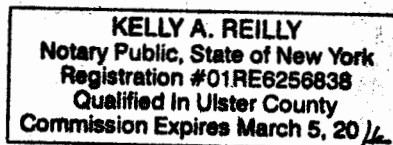
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By: \_\_\_\_\_  
Larry She, President

STATE OF NEW YORK     )  
COUNTY OF ORANGE    )     SS.:

On the 12<sup>th</sup> day of December in the year 2014, before me, the undersigned, personally appeared **James R. Petro, Jr.**, personally known to me or proved to me on the basis of satisfactory evidence to be the individual whose name is subscribed to the within instrument and acknowledged to me that he executed the same in his capacity, and that by his signature on the instrument, the individual, or the person upon behalf of which the individual acted, executed the instrument.

  
\_\_\_\_\_  
Notary Public



STATE OF NEW YORK     )  
COUNTY OF             )     SS.:

On the \_\_\_\_ day of December in the year 2014, before me, the undersigned, personally appeared **Larry She**, personally known to me or proved to me on the basis of satisfactory evidence to be the individual whose name is subscribed to the within instrument and acknowledged to me that he executed the same in his capacity, and that by his signature on the instrument, the individual, or the person upon behalf of which the individual acted, executed the instrument.

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STATE OF NEW YORK     )  
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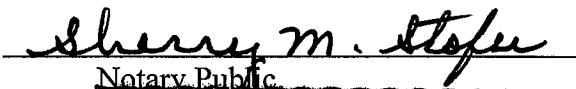
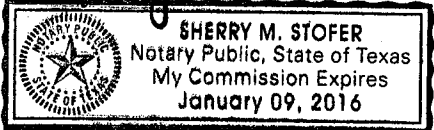
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Notary Public

STATE OF NEW YORK     )  
COUNTY OF             )     SS.:

On the 1<sup>st</sup> day of December in the year 2014, before me, the undersigned, personally appeared **Larry She**, personally known to me or proved to me on the basis of satisfactory evidence to be the individual whose name is subscribed to the within instrument and acknowledged to me that he executed the same in his capacity, and that by his signature on the instrument, the individual, or the person upon behalf of which the individual acted, executed the instrument.

  
Notary Public  


## SCHEDULE A

ALL that certain plot, piece or parcel of land, situate, lying and being in the Town of Newburgh, County of Orange and State of New York, bounded and described as follows:

BEGINNING at a point on the easterly line of lands formerly of Penn Central Railroad, now CSX Rail Corp., with its intersection with the division line between lands of Central Hudson Gas and Electric Corporation, Consolidated Edison Company of New York Inc., and Niagara Mohawk Power Corporation, as tenants in common, by Deed dated May 14, 1969 on the south and Central Hudson Gas and Electric Corporation on the north, said point also being on the northwesterly projection of the northerly line of Parcel "B" (Conversion Grant) lands under waters of the Hudson River, Letters Patent dated April 20, 1971, Book 81 page 70, also filed in the Orange County Clerk's Office May 18, 1971 in Liber 1873 of Deeds at page 233;

THENCE along the aforementioned easterly line of lands now or formerly of CSX Rail Corp., North 27 degrees 01 minutes 46 seconds East 3,082.60 feet to the southwesterly corner of lands under water conveyed by Central Hudson Gas and Electric Corporation to New York Trap Rock Corporation by Deed dated August 30, 1960 and recorded in the Orange County Clerk's Office in Liber 1567 of Deeds at page 416;

THENCE through the waters of the Hudson River and along the southerly line of the aforementioned lands now or formerly of New York Trap Rock Corporation, South 62 degrees 58 minutes 16 seconds East 490.64 feet;

THENCE continuing through the waters of the Hudson River, the following two (2) courses and distances;

- (1) South 11 degrees 50 minutes 00 seconds West 1,586.71 feet; and
- (2) South 38 degrees 18 minutes 16 seconds West 1,734.12 feet to the northeasterly corner of the aforementioned Conversion Grant;

THENCE along the northerly line of said Conversion Grant, partially under the waters of the Hudson River and partially uplands, the following two (2) courses and distances:

- (1) North 43 degrees 00 minutes 24 seconds West 451.71 feet; and
- (2) North 64 degrees 57 minutes 14 seconds West 143.02 feet to the point of BEGINNING.

## **Schedule B**

### **Equipment**

All machinery, apparatus, appliances, equipment, fittings, fixtures and furnishings and other property of every kind and nature whatsoever now or hereafter affixed to, located upon, appurtenant thereto or usable in connection with the present or future operation and occupancy of the Facility together with any replacements therefore to the extent acquired in the name of the Agency by the Company pursuant to the Agency appointment described in Section 2.2 herein or to the extent the Company conveys title to the Agency.

**ORANGE COUNTY INDUSTRIAL DEVELOPMENT AGENCY  
LOCAL LABOR MANDATORY CRITERIA**

**Property Address:** West Hudson River Road and Old Post Road, Newburgh, New York 12550

**Tax Account Nos.:** 8-1-78.2-1 and 8-1-80, respectively

**Local Labor:** Any project employees of the general contractor, subcontractor, or subcontractor to a subcontractor working on the project must reside within the following counties in the State of New York: Orange, Dutchess, Putnam, Rockland, Sullivan, Ulster or Westchester. We understand that at certain times local labor may not be available within the local area. Under this condition, project officials are required to contact the Orange County Industrial Development Agency ("OCIDA") to request a waiver of the local labor content requirement. Companies do not have to be local companies as defined herein, but must employ local people to qualify under the 100% local labor and content criteria. Under this condition, project officials are required to contact OCIDA in writing to request a written waiver.

The foregoing terms have been read, reviewed and understood by the Applicant, to wit: **Danskammer Energy, LLC** and all appropriate personnel. Furthermore, the undersigned agrees and understands that the information contained herein must be transmitted and conveyed in a timely fashion to all applicable subcontractors, suppliers and materialmen. Furthermore, the undersigned realizes that failure to abide by the terms herein could result in OCIDA revoking all or any portion of benefits it deems reasonable in its sole discretion for any violation hereof.

**DANSKAMMER ENERGY, LLC**

By:    
Larry She, President