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Martha Orlando, Controller BDL, LLC 1126 River Road New Windsor, New York 12553

RE: Orange County Industrial Development Agency

BDL, LLC Project

1116 and 1126 River Road in the Town of New Windsor, Orange County, NY

Dear Ms. Orlando:

January 18, 2017

Enclosed is the sales tax exemption letter and related documentation which provides for sales tax exemption for the project referenced above through December 31, 2017 and includes the increase approved by the IDA Board at its last meeting. Please review the enclosed package carefully to ensure full compliance with New York State sales tax requirements so they do not jeopardize your Company's benefits. Remember to send copies of these documents to all of your agents for their use from this point until expiration.

If you have any questions or need any additional information, please do not hesitate to contact me or Russ Gaenzle at (585) 419-8800.

Very truly yours,

Lori A. Palmer

Paralegal

Enclosures



SALES TAX EXEMPTION PROCEDURES LETTER

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Kevin T. Dowd

Pursuant to the resolution duly adopted on May 14, 2015, the Orange County Industrial Development Agency (the "Agency") appointed BDL, LLC (the "Company") the true and lawful agent of the Agency to undertake a certain project (the "Project") consisting of: (i) the acquisition by the Agency of a leasehold interest in an aggregate approximately 21.3-acre parcel of land (being more particularly described as TMID No. 9-1-97 and 9-1-96.1) located at 1116 and 1126 River Road in the Town of New Windsor, Orange County, New York (the "Land") and the existing improvements located thereon consisting principally of an approximately 147,698 square-foot building (the "Existing Improvements"), (ii) the renovation, rehabilitation and upgrading of the Existing Improvements (the "Improvements"); and (iii) the acquisition and installation in and around the Existing Improvements and the Improvements of certain items of equipment, machinery and other tangible personal property (the "Equipment" and, collectively with the Land, the Existing Improvements and the Improvements, the "Facility"); all to accommodate the Company's expanding business of design, development, assembly, testing and distribution of state-of-the-art LED lighting.

This appointment includes authority to purchase on behalf of the Agency all materials to be incorporated into and made an integral part of the Facility and the following activities as they relate to any construction, erection and completion of any buildings, whether or not any materials, equipment or supplies described below are incorporated into or become an integral part of such buildings: (1) all purchases, leases, rentals and other uses of tools, machinery and equipment in connection with construction and equipping, (2) all purchases, rentals, uses or consumption of supplies, materials, utilities and services of every kind and description used in connection with construction and equipping and (3) all purchases, leases, rentals and uses of equipment, machinery and other tangible personal property (including installation costs), installed or placed in upon or under such building or facility, including all repairs and replacements of such property.

This agency appointment includes the power to delegate such agency, in whole or in part to agents, subagents, contractors, subcontractors, contractors and subcontractors of such agents and subagents, if any, and to such other parties as the Company chooses, as is set forth in the Agent Agreement, dated as of October 2, 2015, by and between the Agency and the Company (the "Agent Agreement"). As further set forth in the Agent Agreement, the Company is required to complete "IDA Appointment of Project Operator or Agent For Sales Tax Purposes" (NYS Form ST-60) for each agent, subagent, contractor, subcontractor, if any, and such other parties as the Company chooses who provide materials, equipment, supplies or services and execute said form as agent for the Agency and forward said form to the New York State ("State") Department of Taxation and Finance within thirty (30) days of appointment.

As further set forth in the Agent Agreement, in order to be entitled to use the exemption from New York State Sales and Use Taxes ("Sales Tax"), the Company, its agents, subagents, contractors and subcontractors, if any, should present to the supplier or vendor of materials for the Project, a completed "IDA Agent or Project Operator Exempt Purchase Certificate" (NYS Form ST-123), to show that the Company, its agents, subagents, contractors and subcontractors are each acting as agent for the Agency in making the purchases of tangible personal property or services for use in the Project, thereby relieving such vendor or seller from the obligation to collect Sales Tax with respect to the renovation and equipping of the Facility. In connection therewith, it is necessary for the Company to identify the Project on each bill or invoice and indicate thereon which of the Company, its agents, subagents, contractors and subcontractors acted as agent for the Agency in making the purchases.

As further set forth in the Agent Agreement, the Company is required to file an annual statement with the State Department of Taxation and Finance on "Annual Report of Sales and Use Tax Exemptions" (NYS Form ST-340) regarding the value of sales and use tax exemptions the Company, its agents, consultants or subcontractors have claimed pursuant to the agency conferred on the Company by the Agency with respect to this Project, and the Company is required to provide a copy of same to the Agency within thirty (30) days of each filing; provided, however, in no event later than February 15th of each year.

The agent status conferred on the Company by the Agency is limited to the Project, and will expire on **December 31, 2017.** The Company may apply to extend this agency authority by showing good cause; provided, however, the exemption for leases executed prior to said date shall continue through the term or extended term of said lease and any acquisition of said leased property. Should the agency authority be extended beyond such date, the agency created will continue for as long as the period of the Agency resolution approving such extension.

This letter is provided for the sole purpose of describing the exemption from Sales Tax for this Project only. No other principal/agent relationship is intended or may be implied or inferred by this letter.

This letter is being issued pursuant to the Agent Agreement. All agents, consultants, subcontractors, or any other party authorized to make purchases for the benefit of the Project should be aware of the Agent Agreement and obtain a copy thereof.

As further set forth in the Agent Agreement, except to the extent of bond proceeds (to the extent bonds are issued by the Agency with respect to the Project), the Agency is not liable, either directly or indirectly or contingently, upon any such contract, agreement, invoice, bill or purchase order in any manner and to any extent whatsoever (including payment or performance obligations), and the Company is the sole party liable thereunder.

Very truly yours,

ORANGE COUNTY INDUSTRIAL DEVELOPMENT AGENCY

Bv:

Laurie Villasuso, Chief Operating Officer and

Executive Vice President

COPY

AGENT AGREEMENT

THIS AGREEMENT, made as of the 2nd day of October, 2015, by and between the ORANGE COUNTY INDUSTRIAL DEVELOPMENT AGENCY, a public benefit corporation of the State of New York, having its offices at Orange County Business Accelerator, 4 Crotty Lane, Suite 100, New Windsor, New York 12553 (the "Agency") and BDL, LLC, a limited liability company duly formed and validly existing under the laws of the State of New York with offices at 1126 River Road, New Windsor, New York 12553 (the "Company").

WITNESSETH:

WHEREAS, the Agency was created by Chapter 565 of the Laws of 1970 of the State of New York pursuant to Title I of Article 18-A of the General Municipal Law of the State of New York (collectively, the "Act") as a body corporate and politic and as a public benefit corporation of the State of New York; and

WHEREAS, the Company has submitted an application (the "Application") to the Agency requesting 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 21.3-acre parcel of land (being more particularly described as TMID No. 9-1-97 and 9-1-96.1) located at 1116 and 1126 River Road in the Town of New Windsor, Orange County, New York (the "Land") and the existing improvements located thereon consisting principally of an approximately 140,000 square-foot building (the "Existing Improvements"), (ii) the renovation, rehabilitation and upgrading of the Existing Improvements (the "Improvements"); and (iii) the acquisition and installation in and around the Existing Improvements and the Improvements of certain items of equipment, machinery and other tangible personal property (the "Equipment" and, collectively with the Land, the Existing Improvements and the Improvements, the "Facility"); all for lease to USAI, LLC to accommodate it's expanding business of design, development, assembly, testing and distribution of state-of-the-art LED lighting; and

WHEREAS, by Resolution adopted on May 14, 2015 (the "Resolution"), the Agency authorized the Company to act as its agent for the purposes of undertaking the Project subject to the Company entering into this Agent Agreement and, pursuant to the Resolution and this Agent Agreement, the Company has the power to delegate such agency, in whole or in part, to agents, subagents, contractors, subcontractors, contractors and subcontractors of such agents and subagents and to such other parties as the Company chooses including but not limited to the individuals and entities described on <u>Schedule A</u> attached hereto. The Company shall have the right to amend <u>Schedule A</u> from time to time and shall be responsible for maintaining an accurate list of all parties acting as agent for the Agency.

NOW THEREFORE, in consideration of the covenants herein contained and other good and valuable consideration the receipt and sufficiency of which are hereby acknowledged, it is mutually agreed as follows:

1. Scope of Agency. The Company hereby agrees to limit its activities as agent for the Agency under the authority of the Resolution to acts reasonably related to the undertaking of the Project. The right of the Company to act as agent of the Agency shall expire on **December**

31, 2016, unless extended as contemplated by the Resolution. The aggregate amount of work performed as Agent for the Agency shall not exceed the amounts described in the Application of the Company in this matter. All contracts entered into by the Company as agent for the Agency shall include the following language:

"This contract is being entered into by BDL, LLC (the "Agent"), as agent for and on behalf of the ORANGE COUNTY INDUSTRIAL DEVELOPMENT AGENCY (the "Agency"), in connection with a certain project of the Agency for the benefit of the Agent consisting in part of the acquisition and installation of certain machinery, equipment and building materials, all for incorporation and installation in certain premises located at 1116 and 1126 River Road in the Town of New Windsor, Orange County, New York (being more particularly described as TMID Nos. 9-1-97 and 9-1-96.1) (collectively, the "Premises"). machinery, equipment and building materials to be incorporated and installed in the Premises and all services and rentals of equipment related to the acquisition, renovation and equipping of the Project shall be exempt from the sales and use taxes levied by the State of New York if the acquisition thereof is effected in accordance with the terms and conditions set forth in the attached sales tax exemption letter of the Agency; and the Agent hereby represents that this contract is in compliance with the terms of the Agent Agreement by and between the Agent and the Agency. This contract is non-recourse to the Agency, and the Agency shall not be directly, indirectly or contingently liable or obligated hereunder in any manner or to any extent whatsoever. By execution or acceptance of this contract, the vendor/contractor hereby acknowledges and agrees to the terms and conditions set forth is this paragraph."

- 2. Representations and Covenants of the Company. The Company makes the following representations and covenants in order to induce the Agency to proceed with the Project:
- (a) The Company is a limited liability company duly formed and validly existing under the laws of the State of New York (the "State"), has the authority to enter into this Agreement and has duly authorized the execution and delivery of this Agreement.
- (b) Neither the execution and delivery of this Agreement, the consummation of the transactions contemplated hereby nor the fulfillment of or compliance with the provisions of this 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 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 (c).

- (d) 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 Agreement.
- (e) The Company covenants that the Facility will comply in all respects with all environmental laws and regulations, and, except in compliance with environmental laws and regulations, (i) that no pollutants, contaminants, solid wastes, or toxic or hazardous substances will be stored, treated, generated, disposed of, or allowed to exist on the Facility except in compliance with all material applicable laws, (ii) the Company will take all reasonable and prudent steps to prevent an unlawful release of hazardous substances onto the Facility or onto any other property, (iii) that no asbestos will be incorporated into or disposed of on the Facility. (iv) that no underground storage tanks will be located on the Facility, and (v) that no investigation, order, agreement, notice, demand or settlement with respect to any of the above is threatened, anticipated, or in existence. The Company upon receiving any information or notice contrary to the representations contained in this Section shall immediately notify the Agency in writing with full details regarding the same. The Company hereby releases the Agency from liability with respect to, and agrees to defend, indemnify, and hold harmless the Agency, its executive director, directors, members, officers, employees, agents (other than the Company). representatives, successors, and assigns from and against any and all claims, demands, damages, costs, orders, liabilities, penalties, and expenses (including reasonable attorneys' fees) related in any way to any violation of the covenants or failure to be accurate of the representations contained in this Section. In the event the Agency in its reasonable discretion deems it necessary to perform due diligence with respect to any of the above, or to have an environmental audit performed with respect to the Facility, the Company agrees to pay the expenses of same to the Agency upon demand, and agrees that upon failure to do so, its obligation for such expenses shall be deemed to be additional rent.
- (f) Any personal property acquired by the Company in the name of the Agency shall be located in the Town of New Windsor, New York, except for temporary periods during ordinary use.
- Company covenants and agrees that, if it receives New York State and local sales and use tax exemption benefits ("sales and use tax exemption benefits") from the Agency, and it is determined that: (i) the Company is not entitled to the sales and use tax exemption benefits; (ii) the sales and use tax exemption benefits are in excess of the amounts authorized by the Agency to be taken by the Company; (iii) the sales and use tax exemption benefits are for property or services not authorized by the Agency as part of the Project; or (iv) the sales and use tax exemption benefits are taken in cases where the Company falls to comply with a material term or condition to use property or services in the manner approved by the Agency in connection with the Project, then the Company will (1) cooperate with the Agency in its efforts to recover or recapture any sales and use tax exemption benefits, and (2) promptly pay over any such amounts to the Agency that the Agency demands in connection therewith. The Company further understands and agrees that in the event that the Company fails to pay over such amounts to the Agency, the New York State Tax Commissioner may assess and determine New York State and

local sales and use taxes due from the Company, together with any relevant penalties and interest due on such amounts.

- (h) The Company further covenants and agrees that the purchase of goods and services relating to the Project and subject to New York State and local sales and use taxes are estimated in the amount up to \$3,500,000, and, therefore, the value of the sales and use tax exemption benefits authorized and approved by the Agency cannot exceed \$284,375.
- (i) The Company further covenants and agrees to complete "IDA Appointment of Project Operator or Agent For Sales Tax Purposes" (NYS Form ST-60), in the form attached hereto as Exhibit A, for each agent, subagent, contractor, subcontractor, if any, contractors or subcontractors of such agents and subagents, if any, and such other parties as the Company chooses who provide materials, equipment, supplies or services and forward said form to the State Department of Taxation and Finance within thirty (30) days of appointment.
- (j) The Company further covenants and agrees to file an annual statement with the State Department of Taxation and Finance on "Annual Report of Sales and Use Tax Exemptions" (NYS Form ST-340) regarding the value of sales and use tax exemptions the Company, its agents, subagents, consultants or subcontractors have claimed pursuant to the agency conferred on the Company with respect to the Project in accordance with General Municipal Law Section 874(8). The Company further covenants and agrees that it will, within thirty (30) days of each filing, provide a copy of same to the Agency; provided, however, in no event later than February 15th of each year. The Company understands and agrees that the failure to file such annual statement will result in the removal of the Company's authority to act as agent for the Agency.
- The Company acknowledges and agrees that all purchases made in furtherance of the Project shall be made using "IDA Agent or Project Operator Exempt Purchase Certificate" (NYS Form ST-123, a copy of which is attached hereto as Exhibit B, and it shall be the responsibility of the Company (and not the Agency) to complete NYS Form ST-123. The Company acknowledges and agrees that it shall identify the Project on each bill and invoice for such purchases and further indicate on such bills or invoices that the Company is making purchases of tangible personal property or services for use in the Project as agent of the Agency. For purposes of indicating who the purchaser is, the Company acknowledges and agrees that the bill of invoice should state, "I, [NAME OF AGENT/SUBAGENT], certify that I am a duly appointed agent of the Orange County Industrial Development Agency and that I am purchasing the tangible personal property or services for use in the following IDA project and that such purchases qualify as exempt from sales and use taxes under my agent agreement with the Orange County Industrial Development Agency." The Company further acknowledges and agrees that the following information shall be used by the Company to identify the Project on each bill and invoice: "BDL, LLC Project, 1116 and 1126 River Road in the Town of New Windsor, Orange County, New York, and IDA project number 3305-15-12A."
- (I) The Company acknowledges and agrees that, except to the extent of bond proceeds (to the extent bonds are issued by the Agency with respect to the Project), the Agency shall not be liable, either directly or indirectly or contingently, upon any such contract, agreement, invoice, bill or purchase order in any manner and to any extent whatsoever (including payment or performance obligations), and the Company shall be the sole party liable thereunder.

- (m) The Company covenants and agrees that it has reviewed the Agency's Labor Policy and agrees that at least 85% of the construction workers, as that term is defined in the Labor Policy, shall, pursuant to said policy, reside within one of the following counties in the State of New York: Orange, Dutchess, Putnam, Rockland, Sullivan, Ulster or Westchester, unless the Agency's Executive Director exempts the Company from such requirement.
- Hold Harmless Provision. 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, 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 breach by the Company of this Agent Agreement or (ii) liability arising from or expense incurred by the Agency's financing, acquiring, renovating, equipping, owning and leasing of the Equipment or the Facility, including without limiting the generality of the foregoing, all causes of action and reasonable 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 (other than the Company) or employees and irrespective of the breach of a statutory obligation or the application of any rule of comparative or apportioned liability, except that such indemnities will not be applicable with respect to willful misconduct or gross negligence on the part of the Agency or any other person or entity to be indemnified.
- 4. <u>Insurance Required</u>. Effective as of the date hereof and until the Agency consents in writing to a termination, 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 and paying, as the same become due and payable, all premiums in respect thereto, including, but not necessarily limited to:
- (a) (i) 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 not less than the full replacement value of the Facility, exclusive of excavations and foundations, as determined by a recognized appraiser or insurer selected by the Company or (ii) as an alternative to the above requirements (including the requirement of periodic appraisal), 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.

- Additional Provisions Respecting Insurance. (a) All insurance required by Section 4 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 commercially reasonably deductible amounts comparable to those on similar policies carried by other companies engaged in businesses similar in size, character and other respects to those in which the Company is engaged. 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 prior written notice of the cancellation thereof to the Company and the Agency, except in the event of non-payment, in which at least ten (10) days prior written notice of the cancellation shall be delivered to the Company and the Agency. All insurance requirements in Section 4 may be satisfied by blanket policies subject to the reasonable approval by the Agency; provided however, that approval or acceptance by a commercial lender (if any) in connection with the financing of the Project shall not require approval by the Agency. All or some of Section 4 insurance requirements may be satisfied by an Owner Controlled Insurance Program ("OCIP") subject to approval by the Agency, provided, however, that approval or acceptance by a commercial lender in connection with the financing of the Project shall not require approval by the Agency.
- (b) All such policies of insurance, or a certificate or certificates of insurance that such insurance is in force and effect, shall be deposited with the Agency on the date hereof. Prior to expiration of any such policy, the Company shall furnish evidence to the Agency that the policy has been renewed or replaced or is no longer required by this Agent Agreement.
- 6. This Agent Agreement may be executed in any number of counterparts each of which shall be deemed an original but which together shall constitute a single instrument.
- 7. All notices, claims and other communications hereunder shall be in writing and shall be deemed to be duly given if personally delivered or mailed first class, postage propaid, as follows:

To the Agency:

Orange County Industrial Development Agency

Orange County Business Accelerator

4 Crotty Lane, Suite 100

New Windsor, New York 12553

Attention: James R. Petro, Jr., Executive Director

With a 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

Attention: Russell E. Gaenzle, Esq.

To the Company:

BDL, LLC 1126 River Road

New Windsor, New York 14553 Attention: Martha Orlando, Controller

With a Copy to:

Jacobowitz & Gubitz, LLP

P.O. Box 367 158 Orange Ave.

Walden, New York 12589 Attention: John Cappello, 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 received or delivery of same is refused by the recipient or personally delivered in the manner provided in this Section.

- 8. This Agreement shall be governed by, and all matters in connection herewith shall be construed and enforced in accordance with, the laws of the State applicable to agreements executed and to be wholly performed therein and the parties hereto hereby agree to submit to the personal jurisdiction of the federal or state courts located in Orange County, New York.
- 9. The parties are contemplating that, after any applicable public hearings, the Agency will negotiate and enter into a lease agreement ("Lease Agreement"), leaseback agreement (the "Leaseback Agreement") and tax agreement ("Tax Agreement") with the Company. The Company agrees not to take title to any real property as agent for the Agency until the Lease Agreement, Leaseback Agreement and Tax Agreement, have been executed and delivered. At any time prior to the execution of the Lease Agreement, Leaseback Agreement and Tax Agreement, the Agency can transfer title to the Company of all assets acquired by the Company as agent for the Agency. Additionally, at any time prior to execution of the Lease Agreement, Leaseback Agreement and Tax Agreement, the Company can demand that the Agency transfer title to the Company with respect to all assets acquired by the Company as agent for the Agency, provided all amounts owed the Agency have been paid current.
- 10. By executing this Agent Agreement, the Company covenants and agrees to pay all fees, costs and expenses incurred by the Agency for (1) legal services, including but not limited to those provided by the Agency's general counsel or transaction counsel, and (2) other consultants retained by the Agency in connection with the Project; with all such charges to be paid by the Company at the closing or, if the closing does not occur, within ten (10) business days of receipt of the Agency's invoices therefore. The Company is entitled to receive a written estimate of fees and costs of the Agency's transaction counsel.

The Company further covenants and agrees that the Company is liable for payment to the Agency of all charges referred to above, as well as all other actual costs and expenses incurred

by the Agency in undertaking the Project notwithstanding the occurrence of any of (i) the Company's withdrawal, abandonment, cancellation or failure to pursue the Project; (ii) the inability of the Agency or the Company to procure the services of one or more financial institutions to provide financing for the Project; or (iii) the Company's failure, for whatever reason, to undertake and/or successfully complete the Project.

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[Signature Page to Agent Agreement]

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the parties hereto have executed this Agent Agreement as of the day and year first above written.

Dated: October 2, 2015

ORANGE COUNTY INDUSTRIAL DEVELOPMENT AGENCY

James R. Petro, Jr., Executive director

Dated: October 28, 2015

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BDL, LLC

By:

SCHEDULE A

LIST OF APPOINTED AGENTS

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FOR EACH AGENT APPOINTED BY THE COMPANY, A NYS FORM ST-60 MUST BE COMPLETED AND FILED BY THE COMPANY WITH THE NYS DEPARTMENT OF TAXATION AND FINANCE ÎDA UNIT INDICATING THE APPOINTMENT OF SUCH AGENT OF THE COMPANY.



New York State Department of Taxation and Finance

IDA Appointment of Project Operator or Agent For Sales Tax Purposes

The industrial development agency or authority (IDA) must submit this form within 30 days of the appointment of a project operator or agent, whether appointed directly by the IDA or indirectly by the operator or another agent.

For IDA use only

Name of IDA Orange County Industrial Development Agency				IDA project number (use QSC numbering system for projects after 1998) 3305-15-12A				
Street address					Telephone number			
Orange County Business Accelerator, 4 Crotty Lane, Suite 100					(845) 234-4192			
City New Windsor						ZIP code 12553		
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Certification: I certify that the above statements are true, complete, and correct, and that no material information has been omitted. I make these statements with the knowledge that willfully providing false or fraudulent information with this document may constitute a felony or other crime under New York State Law, punishable by a substantial fine and possible jail sentence. I also understand that the Tax Department is authorized to investigate the validity of any information entered on this document.								
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Filing requirements

An IDA must file this form within 30 days of the date the IDA appoints any project operator or other person as agent of the IDA, for purposes of extending any sales and compensating use tax exemptions.

The IDA must file a separate form for each person it appoints as agent, whether directly or indirectly, and regardless of whether the person is the primary project operator or agent. If the IDA authorizes a project operator or agent to appoint other persons as agent of the IDA, the operator or agent making such an appointment must advise the IDA that it has done so, so that the IDA can file a form within 30 days of the date of the new agent's appointment. The IDA should not file this form for a person hired to work on an IDA project if that person is not appointed as agent of the IDA. The IDA need not file this form if the IDA does not extend any sales or use tax exemption benefits for the project.

If an IDA modifies a project, such as by extending it beyond its original completion date, or by increasing or decreasing the amount of sales and use tax exemption benefits authorized for the project, the IDA must, within 30 days of the change, file a new form with the new information.

If an IDA amends, revokes, or cancels the appointment of an agent, or if an agent's appointment becomes invalid for any reason, the IDA must, within 30 days, send a letter to the address below for filling this form, indicating that the appointment has been amended, revoked, or cancelled, or is no longer valid, and the effective date of the change. It should attach to the letter a copy of the form it originally filed. The IDA need not send a letter for a form that is not valid merely because the "Completion date of project" has passed.

Purpose of project

For Purpose of project, enter one of the following:

- Services
- Agriculture, forestry, fishing
- Finance, insurance, real estate
- Transportation, communication, electric, gas, sanitary services
- Construction Wholesale trade
- Retail trade
- Manufacturing
- Other (specify)

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IDA Agent or Project Operator

Exempt Purchase Certificate

Effective for projects beginning on or after June 1, 2014

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Annual Report of Sales and Use Tax Exemptions Claimed by Agent/Project Operator of Industrial Development Agency/Authority (IDA)

For Period Ending December 31, _____ (enter year)

		Project info	ormation			
Name of IDA agent/project operator	· · ·	·		Federal e	mployer identificat	ion number (FEIN)
BDL, LLC				46-2	681983	
Street address		-		Telephon	number) 565-8500	
1126 River Road				State	/ 505-6500	ZIP code
New Windsor				NY		12553
Name of IDA agent/project operator's auth	horized representative, if any			Title		· ,
Street address			#	Telephon (number)	
City				State		ZIP code
Name of IDA Orange County Industrial Devel	Innment Agency					
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BDL, LLC Project		IDA OS	SC Project #: 3	305-15-12A		
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New Windsor				State NY		ZIP code 12553
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5 Completion date of project (m	nm/dd/yy; see instruction	ns): 12 / 31	/ <u>2017</u> ; [□ actual □ e	xpected	
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Instructions

General information

Who must file?

The General Municipal Law (GML) and the Public Authorities Law require the agent/project operator (also known as the project occupant) of an Industrial Development Agency or Authority (IDA) to file an annual report with the Tax Department. The agent/project operator required to file this report is the person **directly** appointed by the IDA to act for and to represent the IDA for the project. The agent/project operator is ordinarily the one for whom the IDA project was created.

There is usually only one agent/project operator directly appointed by the IDA for an IDA project. However, if the IDA directly appoints multiple agents/project operators, each agent/project operator must file this form (unless they are related corporations).

Only the agent/project operator(s) directly appointed by the IDA must file Form ST-340. Contractors, subcontractors, consultants, or agents appointed by the agent/project operator(s) should **not** themselves file Form ST-340. However, the agent/project operator(s) must include on Form ST-340 information obtained from such contractors, subcontractors, consultants, and agents, as described below.

What must be reported?

The report must show the total value of all state and local sales and use taxes exempted during the calendar year, as a result of the project's designation as an IDA project. This includes:

- the value of the exemptions obtained by the agent/project operator; and
- the value of the exemptions obtained by your contractors, subcontractors, consultants, and others, whether or not appointed as agents of the IDA.

The report requires only the **total combined** exemptions obtained by the above people. A break down of the total is not required. However, since the report must include the value of the exemptions they obtained, the agent/project operator must keep records of the amounts others report to the agent/project operator.

It is important that the agent/project operator make it clear to the contractors, subcontractors, consultants, and others that they must keep accurate tax information and have it available so that the agent/project operator can comply with the annual reporting requirements.

Do not include in this report the amount of any sales and use tax exemptions arising out of other provisions of the Tax Law (for example, manufacturer's production equipment exemption, research and development exemption, or contractor's exemption for tangible personal property incorporated into a project of an exempt organization).

See instructions below for additional information required.

When is the report due?

You must file Form ST-340 on a calendar-year basis. It is due by the last day of February of the following year. The reporting requirement applies to IDA projects started on or after July 21, 1993.

Project information

At the top of the form, identify the reporting period by entering the year in the space provided. If an address is required, always include the ZIP code.

Name of IDA agent/project operator

Enter the name, address, federal employer identification number (FEIN), and telephone number of the IDA agent/project operator.

Name of IDA agent/project operator's authorized representative

Enter the name, address, title (for example, attorney or accountant), and telephone number of the individual authorized by the IDA agent/project operator to submit this report.

Name of IDA

Enter the name and address of the IDA. If more than one IDA is involved in a particular project, the IDA agent/project operator must file a separate report for the tax exemptions attributable to each IDA.

Name of project

Enter the name of the project and the address of the project site. If the IDA agent is involved in more than one project, a separate report must be filed by the IDA agent/project operator for each project, even if authorized by the same IDA.

Line instructions

Line 1 — Project purpose — Mark an X in the box that identifies the purpose of the project. If you mark *Other*, please be specific in identifying its purpose.

Line 2 — Enter the date the project started (this means the earliest of the date of any bond or inducement resolution, the execution of any lease, or any bond issuance). Include month, day, and year.

Line 3 — Enter the date you, or your general contractor or subcontractor, actually began, or expect to begin, construction or installation on the project. Mark an X in the appropriate box to indicate if the date entered is actual or expected. If the project does not involve any construction, enter **Does not apply**.

Line 4 — Enter the date the construction phase of the project was completed or is expected to be completed. Mark an \boldsymbol{X} in the appropriate box to indicate if the date entered is actual or expected.

Line 5 — Enter the date installation, lease, or rental of property (for example, machinery or computers) on the project ended or the date the project is expected to be completed. Mark an *X* in the appropriate box to indicate if the date entered is actual or expected.

Line 6 — Enter the total number of years and months from the project's inception to its completion or expected completion.

Line 7 — Enter the total amount of New York State and local sales and use taxes exempted during the reporting period (if none, enter 0) as a result of the project's receipt of IDA financial assistance. This includes exemptions obtained at the time of purchase as well as through a refund or credit of tax paid. Include the sales and use taxes exempted on purchases of property or services incorporated into or used on the exempt project. This includes the taxes exempted on purchases made by or on behalf of the agent/project operator, the general contractor for the project, and any subcontractors, consultants, or others. Do **not** enter total purchases on line 7.

Signature area

Enter the name and title of the person signing on behalf of the IDA agent/project operator (for example, the IDA agent/project operator's officer, employee, or other authorized representative). The IDA agent/project operator's officer, employee, or authorized representative must sign the report. Enter the date signed.

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Re: Orange County Industrial Development Agency

Increase and Extension of Appointment of Project Operator

or Agency

Dear Sir/Madam:

January 1, 2017

On behalf of the Orange County Industrial Development Agency, I have enclosed, for filing, a *revised* NYS Form ST-60 for **BDL**, **LLC**, as agent. The <u>only</u> changes to this form are (i) the increase in square footage of the building; (ii) the increase in the amount of sales tax exemptions; and (iii) the extension of the sales tax exemption through December 31, 2017.

If you have any questions or concerns regarding the foregoing, please don't hesitate to contact me at (585) 419-8681. Thank you.

Very truly yours,

Lori A. Palmer Paralegal

Enclosures

cc.

Laurie Villasuso (OCIDA)

Martha Orlando



New York State Department of Taxation and Finance

IDA Appointment of Project Operator or Agent

For Sales Tax Purposes The industrial development agency or authority (IDA) must submit this form within 30 days of the appointment of a project operator or agent, whether appointed directly by the IDA or indirectly by the operator or another agent.

For IDA use only

Name of IDA Orange County Industrial Development Agency		E		IDA project number (use QSC	umpaqua ay	rajem for projects at	fter 1998)
Street address					Telephone	number	
Orange County Business Accelerator, 4 Crotty Lane,	Suite 100					234-4192	
City New Windsor					State NY	ZIP code 12553	
Name of IDA project operator or agent BDL, LLC		in the box if pointed by the			3-268198	13	
Street address 1126 River Road			Telephone ni (845) 56				r agent?
City New Windsor					State NY	ZIP ∞de 12553	
Name of project BDL, LLC Project			Purpose of p	roject (see instructions) Tring			
Street address of project site 1116 and 1126 River Road							
City New Windsor					State NY	ZIP code 12553	
Description of goods and services intended to be exempted from New York State and local sales and use taxes	Materials, equipme	ent, services	s & other tan	gibie personai prop	erty use	d	
in connection with the rehabilitation, upgrading & rend	ovation of an existing	ng 140,000	sq. ft. buildin	g located			
at 1116 & 1126 River Road In the Town of New Wind	sor, Orange Count	y, New Yorl	k.				
Date project operator or agent appointed (mm/dd/yy) 10/02/15	Date project operator agent status ends (m.	r or nm/dd/yy) 12	2/31/17	Mark an extension	X in the bo	ox if this is an ginal project:	X
Estimated value of goods and services that will be exempt fre and local sales and use tax:	om New York State	Estimated val	lue of New Yor	k State and local sai	es and us	e tax exempti	on
\$9,500,000 (All Agents, All In)		\$771,875 (<i>A</i>	All Agents, Al	l In)			
Certification: I certify that the above statements are true, complete, and correct, and that no material information has been omitted. I make these statements with the knowledge that willfully providing false or fraudulent information with this document may constitute a felony or other crime under New York State Law, punishable by a substantial fine and possible jail sentence. I also understand that the Tax Department is authorized to investigate the validity of any information entered on this document.							
Print name of officer or employee signing on behalf of the IDA Laurie Villasus		Print title COO & E	Executive VIc	e President			
Signature Aux III.			Di	te 1/01/2017	Telephone (845)	number 234-4192	

Filing requirements

An IDA must file this form within 30 days of the date the IDA appoints any project operator or other person as agent of the IDA, for purposes of extending any sales and compensating use tax exemptions.

The IDA must file a separate form for each person it appoints as agent, The IDA must file a separate rorm for each person it appoints as agent, whether directly or indirectly, and regardless of whether the person is the primary project operator or agent. If the IDA authorizes a project operator or agent to appoint other persons as agent of the IDA, the operator or agent making such an appointment must advise the IDA that it has done so, so that the IDA can file a form within 30 days of the date of the new agent's appointment. The IDA should not file this form for a person hired to work on an IDA project if that person is not appointed as agent of the IDA. The IDA need not file this form if the IDA does not extend any sales or use tax exemption benefits for the project. exemption benefits for the project.

if an IDA modifies a project, such as by extending it beyond its original completion date, or by increasing or decreasing the amount of sales and use tax exemption benefits authorized for the project, the IDA must, within 30 days of the change, file a new form with the new information.

If an IDA amends, revokes, or cancels the appointment of an agent, or if an agent's appointment becomes invalid for any reason, the IDA must, within 30 days, send a letter to the address below for filing this form, indicating that the appointment has been amended, revoked, or cancelled, or is no longer valid, and the effective date of the change. It should attach to the letter a copy of the form it originally filed. The IDA need not send a letter for a form that is not valid merely because the "Completion date of project" has

Purpose of project

For Purpose of project, enter one of the following:

- Services - Agriculture, forestry, fishing

- Wholesale trade Finance, insurance, real estate
 Transportation, communication, - Retall trade

electric, gas, sanitary services

- Manufacturino - Other (specify)

Construction

Instructions

Malling Instructions Mail completed form to:

> **NYS TAX DEPARTMENT** IDA UNIT WA HARRIMAN CAMPUS ALBANY NY 12227

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Failure to provide the required information may subject you to civil or criminal penalties, or both, under the Tax Law.

This information is maintained by the Manager of Document Management, NYS Tax Department, W A Harriman Campus, Albany NY 12227; telephone (518) 457-5181.

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(518) 457-5431

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(518) 485-5082