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#### NOTICE OF APPLICATION

#### TO THE RESPONDENT:

A LEGAL PROCEEDING HAS BEEN COMMENCED AGAINST YOU by the Applicant. The claim made by the Applicant is set out on the following pages.

**THIS APPLICATION** will come on for a hearing (*choose one of the following*)

- 1. ☐ In person
- 2. ☐ By telephone conference
- 3.  $\boxtimes$  By video conference

at the following location: **50 Eagle St. W. Newmarket, Ontario L3Y 6B1** on June 2, 2026 at 9:00 am with the Zoom link to be provided by the Court.

Please advise Thomas Gertner if you intend to join the hearing of this Application by emailing <a href="mailto:Thomas.gertner@gowlingwlg.com">Thomas.gertner@gowlingwlg.com</a>.

**IF YOU WISH TO OPPOSE THIS APPLICATION**, to receive notice of any step in the application or to be served with any documents in the application, you or an Ontario lawyer acting for you must forthwith prepare a notice of appearance in Form 38C prescribed by the *Rules of Civil Procedure*, serve it on the Applicant's lawyer or, where the Applicant does not have a lawyer, serve it on the Applicant, and file it, with proof of service, in this court office, and you or your lawyer must appear at the hearing.

## IF YOU WISH TO PRESENT AFFIDAVIT OR OTHER DOCUMENTARY EVIDENCE TO THE COURT OR TO EXAMINE OR CROSS-EXAMINE WITNESSES ON

**THE APPLICATION**, you or your lawyer must, in addition to serving your notice of appearance, serve a copy of the evidence on the Applicant's lawyer or, where the Applicant does not have a lawyer, serve it on the Applicant, and file it, with proof of service, in the court office where the application is to be heard as soon as possible, but not later than 2:00 p.m. on the day before the hearing.

IF YOU FAIL TO APPEAR AT THE HEARING, JUDGMENT MAY BE GIVEN IN YOUR ABSENCE AND WITHOUT FURTHER NOTICE TO YOU. IF YOU WISH TO OPPOSE THIS APPLICATION BUT ARE UNABLE TO PAY LEGAL FEES, LEGAL AID MAY BE AVAILABLE TO YOU BY CONTACTING A LOCAL LEGAL AID OFFICE.

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#### 1. THE APPLICANT, MAKES APPLICATION FOR, inter alia:

- An Order substantially in the form of Order attached at Tab 3 of the Application Record appointing msi Spergel inc. as receiver and manager (in such capacity, the "Receiver"), without security, of all of the assets, undertakings and properties of the Respondent (the "Company") and all proceeds thereof, pursuant to Section 243(1) of the *Bankruptcy and Insolvency Act*, R.S.C. 1986, c B-3, as amended (the "BIA") and Section 101 of the *Courts of Justice Act*, R.S.O. 1990, c. C43, as amended (the "CJA"); and
- (b) Such further and other relief as may be just and equitable.

#### 2. THE GROUNDS FOR THE APPLICATION ARE:

- (a) The Company is a subcontractor specializing in heating and plumbing work;
- (b) The Applicant ("**RBC**") and the Company are party to a credit agreement dated as of May 28, 2024, as amended by an amendment dated as of April 8, 2025 (collectively, the "**Credit Agreement**"), pursuant to which RBC established a revolving facility in the principal amount of \$2,000,000.00, and a credit card facility in the maximum principal amount of \$400,000.00;
- (c) In connection with the Credit Agreement, the Company executed a general security agreement in favour of the Bank dated as of May 29, 2024 (the "GSA"), pursuant to which the Company granted the Bank a security interest over all of its personal property;
- (d) On August 8, 2025, the Bank issued a formal demand letter demanding repayment of all amounts owing under the Credit Agreement (the "**Demand Letter**"). The Demand Letter

additionally enclosed a notice of intention to enforce security pursuant to section 244 of the BIA (the "NITES");

- (e) The statutory notice period provided for under the BIA and outlined in the Demand Letter and the NITES has expired;
- (f) As of October 7, 2025, the Company is indebted to the Bank in the amount of \$2,285,530.10 not including legal fees. This amount remains outstanding;
- (g) Under the terms of the GSA, the Debtor agreed that RBC would have the ability to appoint a receiver over all Property;
- (h) It is just and convenient, at this time, for the Court to appoint the Receiver;
- (i) Those other grounds set forth in the affidavit of Peter Gordon sworn October 10, 2025;
- (j) The provisions of the BIA, including Section 243;
- (k) Section 101 of the CJA;
- (I) Rules 1.04, 3.02, 16.08, and 38 of the *Rules of Civil Procedure*, R.R.O. 1990, c. C.43; and
- (m) Such further and other grounds as counsel may advise and this Honourable Court permit.
- 3. **THE FOLLOWING DOCUMENTARY EVIDENCE** will be used at the hearing of the Application:
  - (a) The Affidavit of Peter Gordon sworn October 10, 2025 and the exhibits thereto; and
  - (b) Such further material as counsel may advise and this Honourable Court may permit.

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#### AFFIDAVIT OF PETER GORDON

(Sworn October 10, 2025)

I, PETER GORDON, of the Town of Oakville, in the Province of Ontario, AFFIRM AS FOLLOWS:

- I am a Senior Manager in the Special Loans & Advisory Services Group at Royal Bank of Canada ("RBC" or the "Bank") and am currently responsible for overseeing the credit facilities of the Respondent operating as "Ferro Mechanical" (the "Company"). As a result, I have personal knowledge of the matters to which I herein depose, except where I refer to matters based on information and belief, in which case I state the source of that information and verily believe it to be true.
- 2. I swear this affidavit in support of an application ("Receivership Application") by the Bank for an Order (the "Appointment Order") appointing msi Spergel inc. ("Spergel") as receiver and manager (in such capacity, the "Receiver") of all of the assets, undertakings and properties of the Company (the "Property").

- 3. As described further below, the Bank is seeking the Appointment Order, on the basis, among other things, that:
  - (a) defaults have occurred under the Credit Agreement (as defined below);
  - (b) the Indebtedness (as defined below) is due and owing and has not been repaid despite demand having been made by the Bank;
  - (c) under the terms of the GSA (as defined below), the Bank has the right to appoint a receiver over the Property in the circumstances; and
  - (d) there has been an irreparable breakdown in the relationship between the Bank and the Company.

#### I. THE PARTIES

- (a) RBC
- 4. RBC is a "Schedule I" bank regulated under the *Bank Act*, S.C. 1991, c. 46.
  - (b) The Company
- 5. The Company is a subcontractor specializing in heating and plumbing work in the greater Toronto area, providing services for new and retrofit buildings, including low-rise condos. The Company operates out of an office located at 133 Milani Blvd., Unit 106 Woodbridge, Ontario. As noted above, it operates under the trade name "Ferro Mechanical".
- 6. Michael Filippo ("Mr. Filippo") is the sole director of the Company, and also holds the position of President. Attached hereto as Exhibit A is a true copy of a corporate profile report for the Company.

#### II. THE CREDIT AGREEMENT AND SECURITY

- 7. RBC and the Company are party to a credit agreement dated as of May 28, 2024, as amended by an amendment dated as of April 8, 2025 (collectively, the "Credit Agreement"), pursuant to which RBC established a revolving facility in the principal amount of \$2,000,000.00, and a credit card facility in the maximum principal amount of \$400,000.00. Amounts advanced by RBC pursuant to the Credit Agreement are repayable upon demand by the Bank. The Credit Agreement is attached as **Exhibit B**.
- 8. In connection with the Credit Agreement, the Company executed a general security agreement in favour of the Bank dated as of May 29, 2024 (the "GSA"), pursuant to which the Company granted the Bank a security interest over all of its personal property. The GSA is attached as **Exhibit C**.

#### III. REGISTRATIONS AGAINST THE PERSONAL PROPERTY

- 9. The Bank has registered its security interest in the Company's personal property with the provincial registry maintained under the *Personal Property Security Act* (Ontario) R.S.O. 1990, c. P.10 (the "**PPSA**"). Attached as **Exhibit D** is a true copy of Ontario PPSA searches against the Company with a file currency date of September 21, 2025 (the "**PPSA Searches**").
- 10. The Ontario PPSA Searches indicate several other registrations against the Company, as follows:
  - (a) Lithia Canada Leasing GP, Inc. / Lithia Canada Leasing, LP registered a PPSA financing statement against the Company on September 23, 2024 listing collateral classified as "inventory", "equipment", "other", and "motor vehicle included";

- (b) Toyota Credit Canada Inc. registered PPSA financing statements against the Company on December 31, 2024 listing collateral classified as "goods", "equipment", "other", and "motor vehicle included";
- (c) Lithia Canada Leasing, LP / Lithia Canada Leasing GP, Inc. registered a PPSA financing statement against the Company on March 6, 2025 listing collateral classified as "inventory", "equipment", "other", and "motor vehicle included"; and
- (d) Merchant Opportunities Canada Limited Partnership registered a PPSA financing statement against the Company on July 29, 2025 listing collateral classified as "inventory", "equipment", "accounts", and "other".

#### IV. DEFAULTS AND DEMANDS UNDER THE CREDIT AGREEMENT

- 11. At or around July of 2025, the Company's credit facilities with RBC were transitioned to the Bank's Special Loans & Advisory Services Group (the "**Transition**"). The Transition was the result of, among other things, (a) the Company's failure to provide financial reporting requested by the Bank (specifically interim financial statements) (the "**Failure to Provide Interim Reporting**"); and (b) the Company's refusal to meet with RBC, and its request that all discussions pertaining to the credit facilities going forward be directed to its counsel.
- 12. As part of the Transition on July 18, 2025, my colleague Ryan Lau ("Mr. Lau"), who previously handled the Company's relationship with RBC, reached out to Mr. Filippo by email to schedule a meeting with myself and Mr. Lau to discuss the Transition (the "July 18 Email"). Mr. Filippo ultimately responded that he was busy at work and that he wanted his legal counsel to handle all communications with the Bank. A true copy of the July 18 Email and Mr. Filippo 's responding email are attached as Exhibit E.

- 13. Mr. Filippo's response was quite surprising. In my years of working at the Bank, I have never seen a borrower refuse an introductory meeting like this. Practically speaking it meant that, at best, all information about the Company's business would now be obtained second hand through counsel. This was problematic, as the Bank's visibility into the operations of the Company's business was already clouded as a result of the Failure to Provide Interim Reporting.
- 14. On July 24, 2025, the Bank's counsel Gowling WLG (Canada) LLP ("Gowlings") spoke to counsel to the Company, Papazian, Heisey and Myers ("PHM") to convey the Bank's concerns with the approach being requested by Mr. Filippo.
- 15. On July 28, 2025, PHM advised Gowlings by email that they had spoken to Mr. Filippo and he would get in touch with the Bank that week (the "July 28 PHM Email") and provide the reporting requested. Ultimately, Mr. Filippo did not contact the Bank that week or provide the requested reporting. The requested reporting has not been provided to date. Attached as Exhibit F, is a true copy of the July 28 PHM Email.
- 16. On August 8, 2025, the Bank through counsel issued a demand letter to the Company (the "**Demand Letter**") demanding repayment of all amounts owing to the Bank. The Demand Letter enclosed a notice of intention to enforce security (the "**NITES**") pursuant to section 244 of the *Bankruptcy and Insolvency Act*, R.S.C., 1985, c. B-3 (the "**BIA**"). Attached as **Exhibit G** is a true copy of the Demand Letter and NITES.
- 17. Following issuance of the Demand Letter and NITES, I did not hear from Mr. Filippo. Ultimately, after the notice period set out in the Demand Letter and NITES had expired without response, I had my counsel reach out to PHM to set up a meeting with Mr. Filippo, myself, Gowlings, and PHM, to see if there could be a cooperative path forward.

- 18. A virtual meeting was eventually held on September 4, 2025 (the "September 4 Meeting"). At the September 4 Meeting, PHM advised the Bank that the Company was working with a broker to canvas the market for a refinancing that would repay the Bank in full. It further advised the Bank that it was in the process of addressing significant issues with its financial books and records, which required the restatement of past financial information. I advised Mr. Filippo that the Bank would consider forbearing on its enforcement rights for a limited period of time to facilitate a potential refinancing. In order to consider a forbearance, I told Mr. Filippo that the Bank would need to understand the Company's proposed timeline for a refinancing (the "Refinancing Timeline Request"). The Bank would also need certain financial information that would provide visibility into the ongoing operations of the Company during any attempted refinancing efforts. Specifically, (a) a summary of outstanding priority payables owing by the Company; (b) an up to date list of aged payables and receivables; and (c) the most recent internal monthly financial statements prepared by the Company (collectively, the "Visibility Requests"). PHM and the Company agreed to satisfy the Refinancing Timeline Request and the Visibility Requests as soon as possible.
- 19. Following the September 4 Meeting, and on the same day, Gowlings emailed PHM, summarizing the Refinancing Timeline Request and the Visibility Requests (the "September 4 GWLG Email"). Despite, several follow up emails by Gowlings to PHM, neither the Refinancing Timeline Request nor the Visibility Requests have been satisfied. Over a month has now passed since the September 4 Meeting when these requests were first made. Attached as Exhibit H is a true copy of the September 4 GWLG Email and certain follow up correspondence between Gowlings and PHM.
- 20. On September 23, 2025, in the face of the Company's continued non-responsiveness I called Mr. Filippo. On our call, I told Mr. Filippo the Bank was willing to give the Company one last

opportunity prior to moving forward with enforcement, and that the Bank's counsel would be sending a forbearance agreement that the Bank required to be signed (the "Forbearance Agreement").

- 21. On September 25, 2025, Gowlings sent PHM the draft Forbearance Agreement and noted that the Bank required the Forbearance Agreement to be settled and signed by October 2, 2025. Despite providing this forbearance opportunity, the Bank did not receive any comments to the Forbearance Agreement or a signed copy, even after follow up emails from the Bank's counsel.
- 22. On September 30, 2025, the Company failed to provide the Bank with its annual financial statements in further breach of the terms of the Credit Agreement.

#### V. CONCLUSION AND NEED FOR A RECEIVER

- 23. At this point, it is clear to me that the relationship between the Bank and the Company is irreparably broken. Despite the Bank's willingness to accommodate the Company, the Company has no interest in maintaining open lines of communication with the Bank. As a result of the Failure to Provide Interim Reporting, the Company's decision not to satisfy the Visibility Requests, and the failure to provide annual financial statements when required under the Credit Agreement, the Bank has been left in a position where it has no insight into the financial health and day-to-day operations of the Company, which is a source of significant concern.
- 24. Despite the Bank's willingness to entertain a potential forbearance with the Company, the Company failed to provide any comments on or sign the Forbearance Agreement.
- 25. As of October 7, 2025, the Company is indebted to the Bank in the amount of \$2,285,530.10 not including legal fees (the amount owing to the Bank, the "**Indebtedness**").

- 26. The statutory notice period provided for under the BIA and outlined in the Demand Letter and the NITES has expired.
- 27. Under the terms and conditions of the GSA, the Company agreed that RBC would have the ability to appoint a receiver over all the Property should the Company be in breach of its obligations to the Bank. The Company has breached its obligations to the Bank, including by failing to repay the Indebtedness to the Bank following demand by the Bank.
- 28. The Bank has no visibility into the attempts (if any) being made by the Company to refinance the Bank, and I have no faith in the ability of the Company to complete a refinancing in the near term. It is my view that the appointment of a receiver over the Property is the best path forward for repayment of amounts owed to the Bank and other stakeholders.
- 29. If this Honourable Court sees fit to make such an appointment, Spergel has consented to act as Court-appointed receiver. Spergel is a Licensed Insolvency Trustee and has significant experience in acting as a Court-appointed Receiver. Attached hereto and marked as **Exhibit I** is a copy of Spergel's Consent to Act as Receiver.
- 30. I have been advised by Gowlings that the Appointment Order being sought is substantially in the form of Receivership Order regularly issued by this Court in the province of Ontario, which is based off a model form established by the Ontario Superior Court of Justice [Commercial List] (the "Model"). I understand that a blackline to the Model will be included in the Bank's Application Record.
- 31. This Affidavit is sworn in support of the Bank's Receivership Application for the Appointment Order and for no other or improper purpose.

SWORN BEFORE ME over videoconference on this 10<sup>th</sup> day of October 2025. The affiant was located in the Town of Oakville, in the Province of Ontario and the Commissioner was located in the city of Toronto, in the Province of Ontario. This affidavit was commissioned remotely in accordance with O. Reg. 431/20, Administering Oath or Declaration Remotely.

PETER GORDON

A Commissioner for taking Affidavits (or as may be)

This is **Exhibit "A"** referred to in the Affidavit of Peter Gordon, sworn by Peter Gordon of the City of Oakville, in the Province of Ontario, before me at the City of Toronto, in the Province of Ontario, on October 10, 2025, in accordance with O. Reg. 431/20, Administering Oath or Declaration Remotely.

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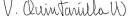
### **Profile Report**

1626177 ONTARIO LIMITED as of September 22, 2025

Act
Type
Name
Ontario Corporation Number (OCN)
Governing Jurisdiction
Status
Date of Incorporation
Registered or Head Office Address

Business Corporations Act
Ontario Business Corporation
1626177 ONTARIO LIMITED
1626177
Canada - Ontario
Active
July 20, 2004
111 Zenway Blvd, 8, Woodbridge, Ontario, L4H 3H9, Canada

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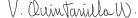
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Minimum Number of Directors 1
Maximum Number of Directors 10

Active Director(s)

Name Address for Service Resident Canadian Date Began MICHAEL FILIPPO 19 Deerhollow Cr, Bolton, Ontario, L7E 1T2, Canada Yes July 20, 2004

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#### Active Officer(s)

Name Position Address for Service Date Began

Name Position Address for Service Date Began MICHAEL FILIPPO President 19 Deerhollow Cr., Bolton, Ontario, L7E 1T2, Canada July 20, 2004

PAULA FILIPPO Secretary 19 Deerhollow Cr., Bolton, Ontario, L7E 1T2, Canada October 28, 2013

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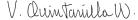


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**Corporate Name History** 

Name Effective Date 1626177 ONTARIO LIMITED July 20, 2004

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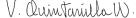


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#### **Active Business Names**

Name Business Identification Number (BIN) Registration Date Expiry Date FERRO MECHANICAL 311414767 October 07, 2021 October 06, 2026

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#### **Expired or Cancelled Business Names**

Name

**Business Identification Number (BIN)** 

Status

**Registration Date** 

**Expired Date** 

Name

**Business Identification Number (BIN)** 

**Status** 

**Registration Date** 

**Expired Date** 

FERRO MECHANICAL

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Inactive - Expired

November 20, 2012

November 19, 2017

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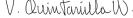
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Inactive - Expired

July 20, 2004

July 19, 2009

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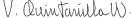
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#### **Document List**

Filing Name

Filing Name	Effective Date
Annual Return - 2020 PAF: FILIPPO MICHAEL - OFFICER	November 15, 2020
Annual Return - 2019 PAF: FILIPPO MICHAEL - OFFICER	November 24, 2019
Annual Return - 2018 PAF: FILIPPO MICHAEL - OFFICER	November 04, 2018
Annual Return - 2017 PAF: PAULA FILIPPO - DIRECTOR	December 31, 2017
Annual Return - 2016 PAF: PAULA FILIPPO - DIRECTOR	December 25, 2016
Annual Return - 2015 PAF: MICHAEL FILIPPO - DIRECTOR	March 21, 2016
Annual Return - 2013 PAF: MICHAEL FILIPPO - DIRECTOR	October 29, 2014
CIA - Notice of Change PAF: MICHAEL FILIPPO - DIRECTOR	August 21, 2014
CIA - Notice of Change PAF: MICHAEL FILIPPO - DIRECTOR	October 29, 2013
CIA - Notice of Change PAF: MICHAEL FILIPPO - DIRECTOR	July 18, 2013
Annual Return - 2006 PAF: MICHAEL FILIPPO - DIRECTOR	July 07, 2007
Annual Return - 2005 PAF: MICHAEL FILIPPO - DIRECTOR	March 11, 2006
BCA - Articles of Incorporation	July 20, 2004

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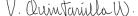


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This report sets out the most recent information filed on or after June 27, 1992 in respect of corporations and April 1, 1994 in respect of Business Names Act and Limited Partnerships Act fillings and recorded in the electronic records maintained by the Ministry as of the date and time the report is generated, unless the report is generated for a previous date. If this report is generated for a previous date, the report sets out the most recent information filed and recorded in the electronic records maintained by the Ministry up to the "as of" date indicated on the report. Additional historical information may exist in paper or microfiche format.

Effective Date

All "PAF" (person authorizing filing) information is displayed exactly as recorded in the Ontario Business Registry. Where PAF is not shown against a document, the information has not been recorded in the Ontario Business Registry.

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This is **Exhibit "B"** referred to in the Affidavit of Peter Gordon, sworn by Peter Gordon of the City of Oakville, in the Province of Ontario, before me at the City of Toronto, in the Province of Ontario, on October 10, 2025, in accordance with O. Reg. 431/20, Administering Oath or Declaration Remotely.

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FORM 460 (Rev 04/2023) O

ROYAL BANK OF CANADA CREDIT AGREEMENT	DATE: May 28, 2024
BORROWER:	SRF:
1626177 ONTARIO LIMITED	380224899
ADDRESS (Street, City/Town, Province, Postal Code)	
133 MILANI BLVD	
106	
WOODBRIDGE, ON L4H 4M4	

Royal Bank of Canada (the "Bank") hereby confirms to the undersigned (the "Borrower") the following credit facilities (the "Credit Facilities"), banking services and other products subject to the terms and conditions set forth below and in the standard terms provided herewith (collectively the "Agreement"). The Credit Facilities are made available at the sole discretion of the Bank and the Bank may cancel or restrict availability of any unutilized portion of these facilities at any time and from time to time without notice.

# **CREDIT FACILITIES**

Facility #1 Revolving demand facility in the amount of \$2,000,000.00, available by way of RBP based loans. Minimum retained balance \$0.00

Revolved by the Bank in increments of \$10,000.00

Interest rate: RBP + 1.13% per annum. Interest payable monthly, in arrears, on the same day each month as determined by the Bank.

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# **OTHER FACILITIES**

The Credit Facilities are in addition to the following facilities (the "Other Facilities"). The Other Facilities will be governed by this Agreement and separate agreements between the Borrower and the Bank. In the event of a conflict between this Agreement and any such separate agreement, the terms of the separate agreement will govern.

a) Credit Card to a maximum amount of \$400,000.00.

# SECURITY

Security for the Borrowings and all other obligations of the Borrower to the Bank, including without limitation any amounts outstanding under any Leases, if applicable, (collectively, the "Security"), shall include:

- a) General security agreement on the Bank's form 924 signed by the Borrower constituting a first ranking security interest in all personal property of the Borrower;
- b) Guarantee and postponement of claim on the Bank's form 812 in the amount of \$2,400,000.00 signed by Paula Flippo.

# **FEES**

Arrangement fee of \$1,500.00 payable upon acceptance of this Agreement or as agreed upon between the Borrower and the Bank.

Facility #1 management fee of \$200.00 payable in arrears on the same day each month.

# REPORTING REQUIREMENTS

The Borrower will provide to the Bank:

- a) annual aged list of accounts receivable and aged list of accounts payable for the Borrower, within 150 days of each fiscal year end;
- b) annual compilation engagement financial statements for the Borrower, within 150 days of each fiscal year end;

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- c) biennial personal statement of affairs for all Guarantors, who are individuals, within 150 days of the end of every second fiscal year of the Borrower, commencing with the fiscal year ending in 2025;
- d) such other financial and operating statements and reports as and when the Bank may reasonably require.

# **BUSINESS LOAN INSURANCE PLAN**

The Borrower hereby acknowledges that the Bank has offered it group creditor insurance coverage on the Borrowings under the Business Loan Insurance Plan and the Borrower hereby acknowledges that it is the Borrower's responsibility to apply for any new or increased insurance amount for the Borrowings that may be eligible.

If the Borrower decides to apply for insurance on the Borrowings, the application will be made via the Bank's Business Loan Insurance Plan application (form 3460 ENG or 53460 FRE). If the Borrower has existing uninsured Borrowings and decides not to apply for Business Loan Insurance Plan coverage on any new Borrowings, it hereby acknowledges that the Bank may accept the Borrower's signature below as the Borrower's waiver of the Bank's offer to apply for Business Loan Insurance Plan coverage on all such Borrowings, and that all such Borrowings are not insured under the Policy as at the date of acceptance of this Agreement.

If the Borrower has Business Loan Insurance Plan coverage on previously approved Borrowings, such coverage will be applied automatically to all new Borrowings eligible for Business Loan Insurance Plan coverage that share the same loan account number, up to the approved amount of Business Loan Insurance Plan coverage. This Agreement cannot be used to waive coverage on new Borrowings eligible for Business Loan Insurance Plan coverage if Business Loan Insurance Plan coverage is in effect on the Borrower's existing Borrowings. If the Borrower does not want Business Loan Insurance Plan coverage to apply to any new Borrowings, a different loan account number will need to be set up and all uninsured loans attached to it.

If the Borrower has existing Borrowings to which Business Loan Insurance Plan coverage applies, and any new Borrowings would exceed the approved amount of Business Loan Insurance Plan coverage already in place, the Borrower must apply for additional Business Loan Insurance Plan coverage (if eligible) in order for Business Loan Insurance Plan coverage to apply to any new Borrowings. If the Borrower decides not to apply for additional Business Loan Insurance Plan coverage in respect of any new Borrowings (if eligible), the Borrower hereby acknowledges that the Bank may accept the Borrower's signature below as the Borrower's waiver of the Bank's offer to apply for additional Business Loan Insurance Plan coverage on such new Borrowings and that such new Borrowings are not insured under the Policy as at the date the Borrower executes this Agreement.

If there are any discrepancies between the insurance information in this Agreement and the Business Loan Insurance Plan documents regarding the Borrowings, the Business Loan Insurance Plan documents govern.

Business Loan Insurance Plan premiums (plus applicable taxes), will be taken as a separate payment, directly from the bank account associated with the loan, at the same frequency and schedule as your regular loan payments, where applicable. As premiums are based on the outstanding loan balance and the insured person's age at the time the premiums are due, the cost of Business Loan Insurance Plan coverage may increase during the term of the loan. The premium calculation is set out in the Business Loan Insurance Plan terms and conditions provided to the Borrower at the time the application for Business Loan Insurance Plan coverage was completed. Refer to the terms and conditions (form 3460 ENG or 53460 FRE) for further explanation and disclosure.

# **STANDARD TERMS**

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# **ACCEPTANCE**

This Agreement is open for acceptance until June 27, 2024, after which date it will be null and void, unless extended by the Bank in its sole discretion.

# **ROYAL BANK OF CANADA**

Per:
Title: Vice President

**RBC Contact: RYAN LAU** 

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**CONFIRMATION & ACCEPTANCE** 

The Borrower (i) confirms that it has received a copy of the Royal Bank of Canada Credit Agreement Standard Terms, Form 472, as well as all other standard terms which are hereinabove shown as having been delivered to the Borrower, all of which are incorporated in and form an integral part of this Agreement, and (ii) accepts and agrees to be bound by the terms and conditions of this Agreement including all terms and conditions contained in such standard terms.

I/We have the authority to bind the Borrower

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The following set of standard terms is deemed to be included in and forms an integral part of the Royal Bank of Canada Loan Agreement which refers to standard terms with this document version date, receipt of which has been duly acknowledged by the Borrower. Terms defined elsewhere in this Agreement and not otherwise defined below have the meaning given to such terms as so defined. The Borrower agrees and if the Borrower is comprised of more than one Person, such Persons jointly and severally agree, or in Quebec solidarily agree, with the Bank as follows:

#### GENERAL

This Agreement amends and restates, without novation, any existing credit or loan agreement between the Borrower and the Bank and any amendments thereto, (other than existing agreements for Other Facilities). Any credit facility existing under any such credit or loan agreement which is secured by security under section 427 of the Bank Act (Canada) (or any successor to such provision) is deemed to be continued and renewed, without novation, under the Credit Facilities. Any amount owing by the Borrower to the Bank under any such credit or loan agreement is deemed to be a Borrowing under this Agreement. This Agreement is in addition to, and not in replacement of, agreements for Other Facilities. Any and all Security that has been delivered to the Bank and which is included as Security in this Agreement shall remain in full force and effect, is expressly reserved by the Bank and shall apply in respect of all obligations of the Borrower under the Credit Facilities. The Bank expressly reserves all Security granted to the Bank by the Borrower to secure the Borrower's existing debt towards the Bank, should the execution of this Agreement effect a novation of said debt. Unless otherwise provided, all dollar amounts are in Canadian currency.

#### CONDITIONS PRECEDENT

In no event will the Credit Facilities or any part thereof be available unless the Bank has received:

- a) a duly executed copy of this Agreement;
- b) the Security provided for herein, in form and substance, and executed and registered to the satisfaction of the Bank;
- c) such financial and other information or documents relating to the Borrower or any Guarantor if applicable as the Bank may reasonably require; and
- d) such other authorizations, approvals, opinions and documentation as the Bank may reasonably require.

# **AVAILABILITY**

Revolving facilities: The Borrower may borrow, convert, repay and reborrow up to the amount of each revolving facility (subject to Margin where applicable) provided each facility is made available at the sole discretion of the Bank and the Bank may cancel or restrict the availability of any unutilized portion at any time and from time to time without notice.

Non-revolving facilities: The Borrower may borrow up to the amount of each non-revolving facility provided these facilities are made available at the sole discretion of the Bank and the Bank may cancel or restrict availability of any unutilized portion of these facilities at any time and from time to time without notice.

#### LOAN REVOLVEMENT

If the Credit Facilities include a revolving demand facility by way of RBP and/or RBUSBR based loans, the Borrower shall establish a current account in Canadian currency, and, where RBUSBR based loans are made available, in US currency (each a "General Account") for the conduct of the Borrower's day-to-day banking business. The Borrower authorizes the Bank daily or otherwise as and when determined by the Bank to ascertain the balance of any General Account and:

- if such position is a debit balance the Bank may, subject to the revolving increment amount and minimum retained balance specified in this Agreement, make available a Borrowing by way of RBP Loans, or RBUSBR Loans as applicable, under this facility;
- b) where the facility is indicated to be Bank revolved, if such position is a credit balance, the Bank may, subject to the revolving increment amount and minimum retained balance specified in this Agreement, apply the amount of such credit balance or any part as a repayment of any Borrowings outstanding by way of RBP Loans, or RBUSBR Loans as applicable, under this facility;
- c) where this facility is indicated to be Borrower revolved, if such position is a credit balance, the Bank will apply repayments on such facility only if so advised and directed by the Borrower.
- d) Overdrafts and Bank revolved facilities by way of RBP Loans, or RBUSBR Loans, are not available on the same General Account.

# REPAYMENT

- a) Amounts outstanding under the Credit Facilities, together with interest, shall become due in the manner and at the rates and times specified in or pursuant to this Agreement and shall be paid in the currency of the Borrowing. Amounts due on a day other than a Business Day shall be deemed to be due on the Business Day next following such day.
- b) Unless the Bank otherwise agrees, any payment hereunder must be made in money which is legal tender at the time of payment.
- c) In the case of a demand facility of any kind, the Borrower shall repay all principal sums outstanding under such facility upon demand including, without limitation, an amount equal to the face amount of all LCs and LGs, if applicable, which are unmatured or unexpired, which amount shall be held by the Bank as security for the Borrower's obligations to the Bank in respect of such Borrowings.
- d) Where any Borrowings are repayable by scheduled blended payments of principal and interest, such payments shall be applied, firstly, to interest due, and the balance, if any, shall be applied to principal outstanding with any balance of such Borrowings being due and payable as and when specified in this Agreement. If any such payment is insufficient to pay all interest then due, the unpaid balance of such interest will be added to such Borrowing, will bear interest at the same rate, and will be payable on demand or on the date specified herein, as the case may be.
- e) Borrowings repayable by way of scheduled payments of principal plus interest shall be so repaid with any balance of such Borrowings being due and payable as and when specified in this Agreement.
- f) For any Borrowings that are repayable by scheduled payments, if the scheduled payment date is changed then the maturity date of the applicable Borrowings shall automatically be amended accordingly.
- Without limiting the right of the Bank to terminate or demand payment of or to cancel or restrict availability of any unused portion of any revolving demand tender loan facility, Borrowings by way of tender loans shall be repaid (i) if the tender is not accepted, by returning the relevant draft, or certified cheque, if applicable, to the Bank for cancellation or (ii) if the tender is accepted, by returning the relevant draft, or certified cheque, if applicable, once letters of guarantee or performance bonds are arranged. In the event such draft, or certified cheque, if applicable, is presented for payment, the amount of the draft, or certified cheque, if applicable, will be converted to an RBP based loan with an interest rate of RBP plus 5% per annum.
- h) Should the Bank demand immediate repayment in full of any amounts outstanding under any term facility due to an Event of Default, the Borrower shall immediately repay all principal sums outstanding under such facility and all other obligations in connection with any such term facility.
- i) Except for Borrowings secured by a mortgage, any amount that is not paid when due hereunder shall bear interest until paid at the rate of RBP plus 5% per annum or the highest premium indicated for any of the Borrower's facilities when in excess of 5%, or, in the case of an amount in US currency if applicable, RBUSBR plus 5% per annum or the highest premium indicated for any of the Borrower's facilities when in excess of 5%. Such interest on overdue amounts shall be computed daily, compounded monthly and shall be payable both before and after any or all of default, maturity, demand

and judgement. For Borrowings secured by a mortgage, any amount that is not paid when due hereunder shall bear interest until paid at the same rate as the interest rate applicable to the principal amount of the Borrowings as specified in this Agreement.

j) In the case of any reducing term loan and/or reducing term facility ("Reducing Term Loan/Facility"), provided that nothing contained in this paragraph shall confer any right of renewal or extension upon the Borrower, the Borrower and the Bank agree that, at the Bank's option, the Bank may provide a letter ("Renewal Letter") to the Borrower setting out the terms upon which the Bank is prepared to extend the Reducing Term Loan/Facility. In the event that the Bank provides a Renewal Letter to the Borrower and the Reducing Term Loan/Facility is not repaid on or before the maturity date of the applicable Reducing Term Loan/Facility, then at the Bank's option the Reducing Term Loan/Facility shall be automatically renewed on the terms set out in the Renewal Letter and the terms of this Agreement shall be amended accordingly.

#### **PREPAYMENT**

Where Borrowings under any term facility are by way of RBP and/or RBUSBR based loans, the Borrower may prepay such Borrowings in whole or in part at any time without fee or premium.

Where Borrowings under any term facility are at a fixed interestrate, provided an Event of Default shall not have occurred and be continuing, the Borrower may prepay such Borrowings on a non-cumulative basis up to the percentage indicated in this Agreement of the outstanding principal balance on the day of prepayment, without fee or premium, once per year during the 12 month period from each anniversary date of the Borrowing. Any prepayment of the Borrowing prior to the maturity date, in whole or in part (in excess of any prepayment explicitly permitted in this Agreement), requires an amendment of the terms of this Agreement. An amendment to permit such a prepayment requires the Bank's prior written consent. The Bank may provide its consent to an amendment to permit a prepayment upon satisfaction by the Borrower of any conditions the Bank may reasonably impose, including, without limitation, the Borrower's agreement to pay the Prepayment Fee as defined below.

The Prepayment Fee will be calculated by the Bank as the sum of:

- a) the greater of:
  - (i) the amount equal to three (3) months' interest payable on the amount of the fixed rate term facility Borrowing being prepaid, calculated at the interest rate applicable to the fixed rate term facility Borrowing on the date of prepayment; and
  - (ii) the present value of the cash flow associated with the difference between the Bank's original cost of funds for the fixed rate term facility Borrowing and the current cost of funds for a fixed rate term loan with a term substantially similar to the remaining term and an amortization period substantially similar to the remaining amortization period of the fixed rate term facility Borrowing, each as determined by the Bank on the date of such prepayment;

plus:

b) Foregone margin over the remainder of the term of the fixed rate term facility Borrowing. Foregone margin is defined as the present value of the difference between the Bank's original cost of funds for the fixed rate term facility Borrowing and the interest that would have been charged to the Borrower over the remaining term of the fixed rate term facility Borrowing;

plus:

c) a processing fee.

The Prepayment Fee shall also be payable by the Borrower in the event the Bank demands repayment of the outstanding fixed rate term facility Borrowing on the occurrence of an Event of Default. The Borrower's obligation to pay the Prepayment Fee will be in addition to any other amounts then owing by the Borrower to the Bank, will form part of the Borrowings outstanding and will be secured by the Security described herein.

The prepayment of any Borrowings under a term facility will be made in the reverse order of maturity.

# **EVIDENCE OF INDEBTEDNESS**

The Bank shall maintain accounts and records (the "Accounts") evidencing the Borrowings made available to the Borrower by the Bank under this Agreement. The Bank shall record the principal amount of such Borrowings, the payment of principal and interest on account of the Borrowings, and all other amounts becoming due to the Bank under this Agreement. The Accounts constitute, in the absence of manifest error, conclusive evidence of the indebtedness of the Borrower to the Bank pursuant to this Agreement. The Borrower authorizes and directs the Bank to automatically debit, by mechanical, electronic or manual means, any bank account of the Borrower for all amounts payable under this Agreement, including, but not limited to, the repayment of principal and the payment of interest, fees and all charges for the keeping of such bank accounts.

### CALCULATION AND PAYMENT OF INTEREST AND FEES

- a) The Borrower shall pay interest on each Overdraft, RBP and/or RBUSBR based loan monthly in arrears on the same day of each month as determined by the Bank. Such interest will be calculated monthly and will accrue daily on the basis of the actual number of days elapsed and a year of 365 days.
- b) The Borrower shall pay interest on each fixed and/or variable rate term facility in arrears at the applicable rate on such date as agreed upon between the Bank and the Borrower. Such interest will be calculated monthly and will accrue daily on the basis of the actual number of days elapsed and a year of 365 days.
- c) The Borrower shall pay an LC fee on the date of issuance of any LC calculated on the face amount of the LC issued, based upon the number of days in the term and a year of 365 days. If applicable, fees for LCs issued in US currency shall be paid in US currency.
- d) The Borrower shall pay LG fees in advance on a quarterly basis calculated on the face amount of the LG issued and based on the number of days in the upcoming quarter or remaining term thereof and a year of 365 days. LG fees are non-refundable. If applicable, fees for LGs issued in US currency shall be paid in US currency.
- e) Amounts payable by the Borrower hereunder shall be paid at such place as the Bank may advise from time to time in the applicable currency. Amounts due on a day other than a Business Day shall be deemed to be due on the Business Day next following such day. Interest and fees payable under this Agreement are payable both before and after any or all of default, maturity, demand and judgement.
- f) The Borrower shall not be obligated to pay any interest, fees or costs under or in connection with this Agreement in excess of what is permitted by Applicable Law. In no event shall the effective interest rate payable by the Borrower under any facility be less than zero.

g) The annual rates of interest or fees to which the rates calculated in accordance with this Agreement are equivalent, are the rates so calculated multiplied by the actual number of days in the calendar year in which such calculation is made and divided by 365.

#### FEES, COSTS AND EXPENSES

The Borrower agrees to pay the Bank all fees stipulated in this Agreement and all fees charged by the Bank relating to the documentation or registration of this Agreement and the Security. In addition, the Borrower agrees to pay all fees (including legal fees), costs and expenses incurred by the Bank in connection with the preparation, negotiation, documentation and registration of this Agreement and any Security and the administration, operation, termination, enforcement or protection of its rights in connection with this Agreement and the Security. The Borrower shall indemnify and hold the Bank harmless against any loss, cost or expense incurred by the Bank if any facility under the Credit Facilities is repaid or prepaid other than on its Maturity Date. The determination by the Bank of such loss, cost or expense shall be conclusive and binding for all purposes and shall include, without limitation, any loss incurred by the Bank in liquidating or redeploying deposits acquired to make or maintain any facility.

#### GENERAL COVENANTS

Without affecting or limiting the right of the Bank to terminate or demand payment of, or cancel or restrict availability of any unutilized portion of, any demand or other discretionary facility, the Borrower covenants and agrees with the Bank that the Borrower:

- a) will pay all sums of money when due under the terms of this Agreement;
- b) will immediately advise the Bank of any event which constitutes or which, with notice, lapse of time or both, would constitute a breach of any covenant or other term or condition of this Agreement or any Security or an Event of Default;
- c) will file all material tax returns which are or will be required to be filed by it, pay or make provision for payment of all material taxes (including interest and penalties) and Potential Prior-Ranking Claims, which are or will become due and payable and provide adequate reserves for the payment of any tax, the payment of which is being contested;
- d) will give the Bank 30 days prior notice in writing of any intended change in its ownership structure or composition and will not make or facilitate any such changes without the prior written consent of the Bank;
- e) will comply with all Applicable Laws, including, without limitation, all Environmental and Health and Safety Laws;
- f) will immediately advise the Bank of any action requests or violation notices received concerning the Borrower and hold the Bank harmless from and against any losses, costs or expenses which the Bank may suffer or incur for any environment related liabilities existent now or in the future with respect to the Borrower;
- g) will deliver to the Bank such financial and other information as the Bank may reasonably request from time to time, including, but not limited to, the reports and other information set out under this Agreement;
- h) will immediately advise the Bank of any unfavourable change in its financial position which may adversely affect its ability to pay or perform its obligations in accordance with the terms of this Agreement;
- i) will keep its assets fully insured against such perils and in such manner as would be customarily insured by Persons carrying on a similar business or owning similar assets and, in addition, for any buildings located in areas prone to flood and/or earthquake, will insure and keep fully insured such buildings against such perils;
- except for Permitted Encumbrances, will not, without the prior written consent of the Bank, grant, create, assume or suffer to exist any mortgage, charge, lien, pledge, security interest or other encumbrance affecting any of its properties, assets or other rights;
- will not, without the prior written consent of the Bank, sell, transfer, convey, lease or otherwise dispose of any of its properties or assets other than in the ordinary course of business and on commercially reasonable terms;
- I) will not, without the prior written consent of the Bank, guarantee or otherwise provide for, on a direct, indirect or contingent basis, the payment of any monies or performance of any obligations by any other Person, except as may be provided for herein;
- m) will not, without the prior written consent of the Bank, merge, amalgamate, or otherwise enter into any other form of combination with any other Person:
- n) will permit the Bank or its representatives, from time to time, i) to visit and inspect the Borrower's premises, properties and assets and examine and obtain copies of the Borrower's records or other information, ii) to collect information from any person regarding any Potential Prior-Ranking Claims and iii) to discuss the Borrower's affairs with the auditors, counsel and other professional advisers of the Borrower. The Borrower hereby authorizes and directs any such third party to provide to the Bank or its representatives all such information, records or documentation requested by the Bank; and
- o) will not use the proceeds of any Credit Facility for the benefit or on behalf of any Person other than the Borrower.

# **GENERAL INDEMNITY**

The Borrower hereby agrees to indemnify and hold the Bank and its directors, officers, employees and agents harmless from and against any and all claims, suits, actions, demands, debts, damages, costs, losses, obligations, judgements, charges, expenses and liabilities of any nature which are suffered, incurred or sustained by, imposed on or asserted against any such Person as a result of, in connection with or arising out of i) any breach of any term or condition of this Agreement or any Security or any other agreement delivered to the Bank by the Borrower or any Guarantor if applicable or any Event of Default, ii) the Bank acting upon instructions given or agreements made by electronic transmission of any type, iii) the presence of Contaminants at, on or under or the discharge or likely discharge of Contaminants from, any properties now or previously used by the Borrower and iv) the breach of or non compliance with any Applicable Law by the Borrower or any Guarantor.

# AMENDMENTS AND WAIVERS

Save and except for any waiver or extension of the deadline for acceptance of this Agreement at the Bank's sole discretion, which may be communicated in writing, verbally, or by conduct, no amendment or waiver of any provision of this Agreement will be effective unless it is in writing, signed by the Borrower and the Bank. No failure or delay, on the part of the Bank, in exercising any right or power hereunder or under any Security or any other agreement delivered to the Bank shall operate as a waiver thereof. Each Guarantor, if applicable, agrees that the amendment or waiver of any provision of this Agreement (other than agreements, covenants or representations expressly made by any Guarantor herein, if any) may be made without and does not require the consent or agreement of, or notice to, any Guarantor.

# SUCCESSORS AND ASSIGNS

This Agreement shall extend to and be binding upon the parties hereto and their respective heirs, executors, administrators, successors and permitted assigns. The Borrower shall not be entitled to assign or transfer any rights or obligations hereunder, without the consent in writing of the Bank.

### GAAP

Unless otherwise provided, all accounting terms used in this Agreement shall be interpreted in accordance with Canadian Generally Accounting Principles, as appropriate, for publicly accountable enterprises, private enterprises, not-for-profit organizations, pension plans and in accordance, as appropriate, with Public Sector Accounting Standards for government organizations in effect from time to time, applied on a consistent basis from period

to period. All financial statements and/or reports shall be prepared using one of the above bases of presentation, as appropriate, including, without limitation, the application of accounting Except for the transition of accounting standards in Canada, any change in accounting principles or the application of accounting principles is only permitted with the prior written consent of the Bank.

# **SEVERABILITY**

The invalidity or unenforceability of any provision of this Agreement shall not affect the validity or enforceability of any other provision of this Agreement and such invalid provision shall be deemed to be severable.

#### **DEFAULT BY LAPSE OF TIME**

The mere lapse of time fixed for performing an obligation shall have the effect of putting the Borrower in default thereof.

#### **SET-OFF**

The Bank is authorized (but not obligated), at any time and without notice, to apply any credit balance (whether or not then due) in any account in the name of the Borrower, or to which the Borrower is beneficially entitled (in any currency) at any branch or agency of the Bank in or towards satisfaction of the indebtedness of the Borrower due to the Bank under the Credit Facilities and the other obligations of the Borrower under this Agreement. For that purpose, the Bank is irrevocably authorized to use all or any part of any such credit balance to buy such other currencies as may be necessary to effect such application.

# CONSENT OF DISCLOSURE

The Borrower hereby grants permission to any Person having information in such Person's possession relating to any Potential Prior-Ranking Claim, to release such information to the Bank (upon its written request), solely for the purpose of assisting the Bank to evaluate the financial condition of the Borrower.

#### JOINT AND SEVERAL / SOLIDARY

Where more than one Person is liable as Borrower, for any obligation under this Agreement, then the liability of each such Person for such obligation is joint and several (in Quebec, solidary) with each other such Person.

#### **EVENTS OF DEFAULT**

Without affecting or limiting the right of the Bank to terminate or demand payment of, or to cancel or restrict availability of any unutilized portion of, any demand or other discretionary facility, each of the following shall constitute an "Event of Default" which shall entitle the Bank, in its sole discretion, to cancel any Credit Facilities, demand immediate repayment in full of any amounts outstanding under any term facility, together with outstanding accrued interest and any other indebtedness under or with respect to any term facility, and to realize on all or any portion of any Security:

- a) failure of the Borrower to pay any principal, interest or other amount when due pursuant to this Agreement;
- b) failure of the Borrower, or any Guarantor if applicable, to observe any covenant, term or condition or provision contained in this Agreement, the Security or any other agreement delivered to the Bank or in any documentation relating hereto or thereto:
- c) the Borrower, or any Guarantor if applicable, is unable to pay its debts as such debts become due, or is, or is adjudged or declared to be, or admits to being, bankrupt or insolvent;
- d) if any proceeding is taken to effect a compromise or arrangement with the creditors of the Borrower, or any Guarantor if applicable, or to have the Borrower, or any Guarantor if applicable, declared bankrupt or wound up, or to have a receiver appointed for any part of the assets or operations of the Borrower, or any Guarantor if applicable, or if any encumbrancer takes possession of any part thereof;
- e) if in the opinion of the Bank there is a material adverse change in the financial condition, ownership structure or composition or operation of the Borrower, or any Guarantor if applicable;
- f) if any representation or warranty made by the Borrower in any document relating hereto or under any Security shall be false in any material respect,
- g) if the Borrower, or any Guarantor if applicable, defaults in the payment of any other indebtedness, whether owing to the Bank or to any other Person, or defaults in the performance or observance of any agreement in respect of such indebtedness where, as a result of such default, the maturity of such indebtedness is or may be accelerated.

# LETTERS OF CREDIT AND/OR LETTERS OF GUARANTEE

Borrowings made by way of LCs and/or LGs will be subject to the following terms and conditions:

- a) each LC and/or LG shall expire on a Business Day and shall have a term of not more than 365 days;
- b) at least 2 Business Days prior to the issue of an LC and/or LG, the Borrower shall execute a duly authorized application with respect to such LC and/or LG and each LC and/or LG shall be governed by the terms and conditions of the relevant application for such contract. If there is any inconsistency at any time between the terms of this Agreement and the terms of the application for LC and/or LG, the terms of the application for the LC and/or LG shall govern; and
- c) an LC and/or LG may not be revoked prior to its expiry date unless the consent of the beneficiary of the LC and/or LG has been obtained.
- d) LC and/or LG fees and drawings will be charged to the Borrower's accounts.

### FEF CONTRACTS

Bank makes no formal commitment herein to enter into any FEF Contract and the Bank may, at any time and at all times, in its sole and absolute discretion, accept or reject any request by the Borrower to enter into a FEF Contract. Should the Bank make FEF Contracts available to the Borrower, the Borrower agrees, with the Bank as follows:

- a) the Borrower shall promptly issue or countersign and return a confirmation or acknowledgement of the terms of each such FEF Contract as required by the Bank;
- b) the Borrower shall, if required by the Bank, promptly enter into a Foreign Exchange and Options Master Agreement or such other agreement in form and substance satisfactory to the Bank to govern the FEF Contract(s);
- c) in the event of demand for payment under the Agreement, the Bank may terminate all or any FEF Contracts. If the agreement governing any FEF Contract does not contain provisions governing termination, any such termination shall be effected in accordance with customary market practice. The Bank's determination of amounts owing under any terminated FEF Contract shall be conclusive in the absence of manifest error. The Bank shall apply any amount owing by the Bank to the Borrower on termination of any FEF Contract against the Borrower's obligations to the Bank under the Agreement and any amount owing to the Bank by the Borrower on such termination shall be added to the Borrower's obligations to the Bank under the Agreement and secured by the Security;

- the Borrower shall pay all required fees in connection with any FEF Contracts and indemnify and hold the Bank harmless against any loss, cost or expense incurred by the Bank in relation to any FEF Contract;
- e) any rights of the Bank herein in respect of any FEF Contract are in addition to and not in limitation of or substitution for any rights of the Bank under any agreement governing such FEF Contract. In the event that there is any inconsistency at any time between the terms hereof and any agreement governing such FEF Contract, the terms of such agreement shall prevail;
- f) in addition to any security which may be held at any time in respect of any FEF Contract, upon request by the Bank from time, the Borrower will deliver to the Bank such security as is acceptable to the Bank as continuing collateral security for the Borrower's obligations to the Bank in respect of FEF Contracts; and
- g) the Borrower will enter each FEF Contract as principal, and only for purposes of hedging currency risk arising in the ordinary course of the Borrower's business and not for purposes of speculation. The Borrower understands and hereby acknowledges the risks associated with each FEF Contract.

#### **EXCHANGE RATE FLUCTUATIONS**

If, for any reason, the amount of Borrowings and/or Leases if applicable, outstanding under any facility in a currency other than Canadian currency, when converted to the Equivalent Amount in Canadian currency, exceeds the amount available under such facility, the Borrower shall immediately repay such excess or shall secure such excess to the satisfaction of the Bank.

#### LANGUAGE

The parties hereto have expressly requested that this Agreement and all related documents, including notices, be drawn up in the English language. Les parties ont expressément demandé que la présente convention et tous les documents y afférents, y compris les avis, soient rédigés en langue anglaise.

#### WHOLE AGREEMENT

This Agreement and any documents or instruments referred to in, or delivered pursuant to, or in connection with, this Agreement constitute the whole and entire agreement between the Borrower and the Bank with respect to the Credit Facilities.

#### **GOVERNING LAW**

This Agreement shall be governed by and construed in accordance with the laws of the Province in which the branch of the Bank, which is the Borrower's branch of account, is located, and the laws of Canada applicable therein, as the same may from time to time be in effect. The Borrower inevocably submits to the non-exclusive jurisdiction of the courts of such Province and acknowledges the competence of such courts and inevocably agrees to be bound by a judgment of any such court.

#### NOTICES

Any notice or demand to be given by the Bank shall be given in writing by way of a letter addressed to the Borrower. If the letter is sent by telecopier, it shall be deemed received on the date of transmission, provided such transmission is sent prior to 5:00 p.m. on a day on which the Borrower's business is open for normal business, and otherwise on the next such day. If the letter is sent by ordinary mail to the address of the Borrower, it shall be deemed received on the date falling five (5) days following the date of the letter, unless the letter is hand-delivered to the Borrower, in which case the letter shall be deemed to be received on the date of delivery. The Borrower must advise the Bank at once about any changes in the Borrower's address.

# **COUNTERPART EXECUTION**

This Agreement may be executed in any number of counterparts and by different parties in separate counterparts, each of which when so executed shall be deemed to be an original and all of which taken together constitute one and the same instrument.

# **ELECTRONIC MAIL AND FAX TRANSMISSION**

The Bank is entitled to rely on any agreement, document or instrument provided to the Bank by the Borrower or any Guarantor as applicable, by way of electronic mail or fax transmission as though it were an original document. The Bank is further entitled to assume that any communication from the Borrower received by electronic mail or fax transmission is a reliable communication from the Borrower.

### **ELECTRONIC IMAGING**

The parties hereto agree that, at any time, the Bank may convert paper records of this Agreement and all other documentation delivered to the Bank (each, a "Paper Record") into electronic images (each, an "Electronic Image") as part of the Bank's normal business practices. The parties agree that each such Electronic Image shall be considered as an authoritative copy of the Paper Record and shall be legally binding on the parties and admissible in any legal, administrative or other proceeding as conclusive evidence of the contents of such document in the same manner as the original Paper Record.

# CONFIDENTIALITY

This Agreement and all of its terms are confidential ("Confidential Information"). The Borrower shall keep the Confidential Information confidential and will not disclose the Confidential Information, or any part thereof, to any Person other than the Borrower's directors, officers, employees, agents, advisors, contractors, consultants and other representatives of the Borrower who need to know the Confidential Information for the purpose of this Agreement, who shall be informed of the confidential nature of the Confidential Information and who agree or are otherwise bound to treat the Confidential Information consistent with the terms of this Agreement. Without limiting the generality of the foregoing, the Borrower shall not issue any press release or make any other public announcement or filing with respect to the Confidential Information without the Bank's prior written consent.

### **DEFINITIONS**

For the purpose of this Agreement, if applicable, the following terms and phrases shall have the following meanings:

"Applicable Laws" means, with respect to any Person, property, transaction or event, all present or future applicable laws, statutes, regulations, rules, policies, guidelines, rulings, interpretations, directives (whether or not having the force of law), orders, codes, treaties, conventions, judgements, awards, determinations and decrees of any governmental, quasi-governmental, regulatory, fiscal or monetary body or agency or court of competent jurisdiction in any applicable jurisdiction;

"Borrowing" means each use of a Credit Facility, excluding Leases, and all such usages outstanding at any time are "Borrowings";

"Business Day" means a day, excluding Saturday, Sunday and any other day which shall be a legal holiday in Canada or any Province thereof, or a day on which banking institutions are closed throughout Canada;

# ROYAL BANK OF CANADA CREDIT AGREEMENT - STANDARD TERMS

"Business Loan Insurance Plan" means the optional group creditor insurance coverage, underwritten by RBC Life Insurance Company, and offered in connection with eligible loan products offered by the Bank;

"Capital Expenditures" means, for any fiscal period, any amounts accrued or paid in respect of any purchase or other acquisition for value of capital assets and, for greater certainty, excludes amounts expended in respect of the normal repair and maintenance of capital assets utilized in the ordinary course of business;

"Contaminant" includes, without limitation, any pollutant, dangerous substance, liquid waste, industrial waste, hazardous material, hazardous substance or contaminant including any of the foregoing as defined in any Environmental and Health and Safety Law;

"Corporate Distributions" means any payments to any shareholder, director or officer, or to any associate or holder of subordinated debt, or to any shareholder, director or officer of any associate or holder of subordinated debt, including, without limitation, bonuses, dividends, interest, salaries or repayment of debt or making of loans to any such Person, but excluding salaries to officers or other employees in the ordinary course of business;

"Current Assets" means, at any time, those assets ordinarily realizable within one year from the date of determination or within the normal operating cycle, where such cycle is longer than a year,

"Current Liabilities" means, at any time, amounts payable within one year from the date of determination or within the normal operating cycle, where such cycle is longer than a year (the operating cycle must correspond with that used for current assets):

"Current Ratio" means the ratio of Current Assets to Current Liabilities;

"Debt Service Coverage" means, for any fiscal period, the ratio of EBITDA to the total of Interest Expense and scheduled principal payments in respect of Funded Debt;

"EBITDA" means, for any fiscal period, net income from continuing operations (excluding extraordinary gains or losses) plus, to the extent deducted in determining net income, Interest Expense and income taxes accrued during, and depreciation, depletion and amortization expenses deducted for, the period;

"Environmental Activity" means any activity, event or circumstance in respect of a Contaminant, including, without limitation; its storage; use; holding, collection, purchase, accumulation, assessment, generation, manufacture, construction, processing, treatment, stabilization, disposition, handling or transportation, or its Release into the natural environment, including movement through or in the air, soil, surface water or groundwater;

"Environmental and Health and Safety Laws" means all Applicable Laws relating to the environment or occupational health and safety, or any Environmental Activity:

"Equivalent Amount" means, with respect to an amount of any currency, the amount of any other currency required to purchase that amount of the first mentioned currency through the Bank in Toronto, in accordance with normal banking procedures;

"Equity" means the total of share capital (excluding preferred shares redeemable within one year) contributed surplus and retained earnings plus Postponed Debt;

"Financial Assistance" means any form of direct or indirect financial assistance of any other Person by means of a loan, guarantee or otherwise or any obligations (contingent or otherwise) intended to enable another Person to incur or pay any debt or comply with any agreements related thereto or to otherwise assure or protect creditors of another Person against loss in respect of debt or any other obligations of such other Person;

"Fixed Charge Coverage" means, for any fiscal period, the ratio of EBITDA plus payments under operating leases less cash income taxes, Corporate Distributions and Unfunded Capital Expenditures to Fixed Charges;

"Fixed Charges" means, for any fiscal period, the total of Interest Expense, scheduled principal payments in respect of Funded Debt and payments under operating leases;

"Foreign Exchange Forward Contract" or "FEF Contract" means a currency exchange transaction or agreement or any option with respect to any such transaction now existing or hereafter entered into between the Borrower and the Bank.

"Funded Debt" means, at any time for the fiscal period then ended, all obligations for borrowed money which bears interest or to which interest is imputed plus, without duplication, all obligations for the deferred payment of the purchase of property, all capital lease obligations and all indebtedness secured by purchase money security interests, but excluding Postponed Debt;

"Guarantor" means any Person who has guaranteed the obligations of the Borrower under this Agreement;

"Lease" means an advance of credit by the Bank to the Borrower by way of a Master Lease Agreement, Master Leasing Agreement, Leasing Schedule, Equipment Lease, Conditional Sales Contract, or pursuant to an Interim Funding Agreement or an Agency Agreement, in each case issued to the Borrower,

"Interest Expense" means, for any fiscal period, the aggregate cost of advances of credit outstanding during that period including, without limitation, interest charges, capitalized interest, the interest component of capital leases, fees payable in respect of letters of credit and letters of guarantee and discounts incurred and fees payable in respect of bankers' acceptances.

"Investment" means the acquisition (whether for cash, property, services, securities or otherwise) of shares, bonds, notes, debentures, partnership or other property interests or other securities of any other Person or any agreement to make any such acquisition;

"Letter of Credit" or "LC" means a documentary credit issued by the Bank on behalf of the Borrower for the purpose of paying suppliers of goods;

"Letter of Guarantee" or "LG" means a documentary credit issued by the Bank on behalf of the Borrower for the purpose of providing security to a third party that the Borrower or a person designated by the Borrower will perform a contractual obligation owed to such third party;

"Margin" or "Margined" means that the availability of Borrowings under the credit facilities will be based on the Borrower's level of accounts receivable, inventory and Potential Prior Ranking Claims as determined by reference to regular reports provided to the Bank by the Borrower;

"Overdraft" means advances of credit by way of debit balances in the Borrower's current account;

"Permitted Encumbrances" means, in respect of the Borrower:

- a) liens arising by operation of law for amounts not yet due or delinquent, minor encumbrances on real property such as easements and rights of way which do not materially detract from the value of such property, and security given to municipalities and similar public authorities when required by such authorities in connection with the operations of the Borrower in the ordinary course of business; and
- b) Security granted in favour of the Bank;

"Person" includes an individual, a partnership, a joint venture, a trust, an unincorporated organization, a company, a corporation, an association, a government or any department or agency thereof including Canada Revenue Agency, and any other incorporated or unincorporated entity;

"Policy" means the Business Loan Insurance Plan policy 52000 and 53000, issued by RBC Life Insurance Company to the Bank;

"Postponed Debt" means indebtedness that is fully postponed and subordinated, both as to principal and interest, on terms satisfactory to the Bank, to the obligations owing to the Bank hereunder.

"Potential Prior-Ranking Claims" means all amounts owing or required to be paid, where the failure to pay any such amount could give rise to a claim pursuant to any law, statute, regulation or otherwise, which ranks or is capable of ranking in priority to the Security or otherwise in priority to any claim by the Bank for repayment of any amounts owing under this Agreement;

"RBP" and "Royal Bank Prime" each means the annual rate of interestannounced by the Bank from time to time as being a reference rate then in effect for determining interest rates on commercial loans made in Canadian currency in Canada;

"RBUSBR" and "Royal Bank US Base Rate" each means the annual rate of interest announced by the Bank from time to time as a reference rate then in effect for determining interest rates on commercial loans made in US currency in Canada;

"Release" includes discharge, spray, inject, inoculate, abandon, deposit, spill, leak, seep, pour, emit, empty, throw, dump, place and exhaust, and when used as a noun has a similar meaning;

"Tangible Net Worth" means the total of Equity less intangibles, deferred charges, leasehold improvements, deferred tax credits and unsecured advances to related parties. For the purpose hereof, intangibles are assets lacking physical substance;

"Total Liabilities" means all liabilities exclusive of deferred tax liabilities and Postponed Debt;

"Unfunded Capital Expenditures" means Capital Expenditures not funded by either bank debt or equity proceeds,

"US" means United States of America.



ROYAL BANK OF CANADA AMENDING AGREEMENT DATE: April 8, 2025

BORROWER:	SRF:
1626177 ONTARIO LIMITED	380224899
ADDRESS (Street, City/Town, Province, Postal Code)	
106, 133 MILANI BLVD	
WOODBRIDGE ON L4H4M4	

Royal Bank of Canada (the "Bank") hereby confirms to the undersigned borrower (the "Borrower") the following amendments to the credit agreement dated May 28, 2024, and any previous amendments thereto, between the Borrower and the Bank (the "Agreement"):

 Under the Reporting Requirements section of the Agreement, paragraphs a), b) and c) are each amended by deleting "150 days" and substituting "90 days".

# **RENEWAL FEE**

A non-refundable renewal fee of \$1,300.00 is payable by the Borrower when the amendments set out in this letter become effective..

# OTHER TERMS AND CONDITIONS

- a) All capitalized terms not otherwise defined herein shall have the meaning ascribed to them in the Agreement; and
- b) All other terms and conditions of the Agreement including those contained in the standard terms provided therewith, remain in full force and effect.

# **STANDARD TERMS**

In addition to the standard terms previously provided to the Borrower as indicated in the Agreement, the following standard terms, if indicated in the boxes below, are being provided to the Borrower:

[ ] Form 472 (12/2022) Royal Bank of Canada Credit Agreement – Standard Terms

[ ] Form 473 (02/2020) Royal Bank of Canada Credit Agreement – Margined Accounts Standard Terms

[ ] Form 473A (06/2021) Royal Bank of Canada Credit Agreement – RBC Covarity Terms and Conditions

Form 473B (02/2020) Royal Bank of Canada Credit Agreement – Margined Accounts Standard Terms

# **ACCEPTANCE**

The Borrower and the Bank waive any requirement for the amendments set out above to be signed by the Borrower. The Borrower is deemed to agree to the amendments set out above and to the new or amended standard terms, if provided, so taking effect by accessing credit, borrowing or continuing to borrow under the Credit Facilities. The above amendments and the new or amended standard terms, if applicable, take effect as of the date of this amending agreement.

# **ROYAL BANK OF CANADA**

Per: \_\_\_\_\_\_Title: Vice President

**RBC Contact: RYAN LAU** 

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Registered trademark of Royal Bank of Canada.

This is **Exhibit "C"** referred to in the Affidavit of Peter Gordon, sworn by Peter Gordon of the City of Oakville, in the Province of Ontario, before me at the City of Toronto, in the Province of Ontario, on October 10, 2025, in accordance with O. Reg. 431/20, Administering Oath or Declaration Remotely.

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Commissioner for Taking Affidavits (or as may be)



# Royal Bank of Canada General Security Agreement

**SRF**: 380224899

BORROWER: 1626177 ONTARIO LIMITED BRANCH ADDRESS: 4751 STEELES AVE E 2ND FLR TORONTO, ON M1V 4S5

#### 1. SECURITY INTEREST

- a) For value received, the undersigned ("Debtor"), hereby grants to ROYAL BANK OF CANADA ("RBC"), a security interest (the "Security Interest") in the undertaking of Debtor and in all of Debtor's present and after acquired personal property including, without limitation, in all Goods (including all parts, accessories, attachments, special tools, additions and accessions thereto), Chattel Paper, Documents of Title (whether negotiable or not), Instruments, Intangibles, Money and Securities and all other Investment Property now owned or hereafter owned or acquired by or on behalf of Debtor (including such as may be returned to or repossessed by Debtor) and in all proceeds and renewals thereof, accretions thereto and substitutions therefore (hereinafter collectively called "Collateral"), and including, without limitation, all of the following now owned or hereafter owned or acquired by or on behalf of Debtor:
  - i) all Inventory of whatever kind and wherever situate;
  - ii) all equipment (other than Inventory) of whatever kind and wherever situate, including, without limitation, all machinery, tools, apparatus, plant, furniture, fixtures and vehicles of whatsoever nature or kind;
  - iii) all Accounts and book debts and generally all debts, dues, claims, choses in action and demands of every nature and kind howsoever arising or secured including letters of credit and advices of credit, which are now due, owing or accruing or growing due to or owned by or which may hereafter become due, owing or accruing or growing due to or owned by Debtor ("Debts");
  - iv) all lists, records and files relating to Debtor's customers, clients and patients;
  - all deeds, documents, writings, papers, books of account and other books relating to or being records of Debts, Chattel
    Paper or Documents of Title or by which such are or may hereafter be secured, evidenced, acknowledged or made
    payable;
  - vi) all contractual rights and insurance claims;
  - vii) all patents, industrial designs, trade-marks, trade secrets and know-how including without limitation environmental technology and biotechnology, confidential information, trade-names, goodwill, copyrights, personality rights, plant breeders' rights, integrated circuit topographies, software and all other forms of intellectual and industrial property, and any registrations and applications for registration of any of the foregoing (collectively "Intellectual Property"); and
  - viii) all property described in Schedule "C" or any schedule now or hereafter annexed hereto.
- b) The Security Interest granted hereby shall not extend or apply to and Collateral shall not include the last day of the term of any lease or agreement therefor but upon the enforcement of the Security Interest, Debtor shall stand possessed of such last day in trust to assign the same to any person acquiring such term.
- c) The terms "Goods", "Chattel Paper", "Document of Title", "Instrument", "Intangible", "Security", "Investment Property", "proceeds", "Inventory", "accession", "Money", "Account", "financing statement" and "financing change statement" whenever used herein shall be interpreted pursuant to their respective meanings when used in The Personal Property Security Act of the province referred to in Clause 14(s), as amended from time to time, which Act, including amendments thereto and any Act substituted therefor and amendments thereto is herein referred to as the "P.P.S.A.". Provided always that the term "Goods" when used herein shall not include "consumer goods" of Debtor as that term is defined in the P.P.S.A., the term "Inventory" when used herein shall include livestock and the young thereof after conception and crops that become such within one year of execution of this Security Agreement and the term "Investment Property", if not defined in the P.P.S.A., shall be interpreted according to its meaning in the Personal Property Security Act (Ontario). Any reference herein to "Collateral" shall, unless the context otherwise requires, be deemed a reference to "Collateral or any part thereof".

### 2. INDEBTEDNESS SECURED

The Security Interest granted hereby secures payment and performance of any and all obligations, indebtedness and liability of Debtor to RBC (including interest thereon) present or future, direct or indirect, absolute or contingent, matured or not, extended or renewed, wheresoever and howsoever incurred and any ultimate unpaid balance thereof and whether the same is from time to time reduced and thereafter increased or entirely extinguished and thereafter incurred again and whether Debtor be bound alone or with another or others and whether as principal or surety (hereinafter collectively called the "Indebtedness"). If the Security Interest in the Collateral is not sufficient, in the event of default, to satisfy all Indebtedness

of the Debtor, the Debtor acknowledges and agrees that Debtor shall continue to be liable for any Indebtedness remaining outstanding and RBC shall be entitled to pursue full payment thereof.

# 3. REPRESENTATIONS AND WARRANTIES OF DEBTOR

Debtor represents and warrants and so long as this Security Agreement remains in effect shall be deemed to continuously represent and warrant that:

- a) the Collateral is genuine and owned by Debtor free of all security interests, mortgages, liens, claims, charges, li censes, leases, infringements by third parties, encumbrances or other adverse claims or interests (hereinafter collectively called "Encumbrances"), save for the Security Interest and those Encumbrances shown on Schedule "A" or hereafter approved in writing by RBC, prior to their creation or assumption;
- b) all Intellectual Property applications and registrations are valid and in good standing and Debtor is the owner of the applications and registrations;
- c) each Debt, Chattel Paper and Instrument constituting Collateral is enforceable in accordance with its terms against the party obligated to pay the same (the "Account Debtor"), and the amount represented by Debtor to RBC from time to time as owing by each Account Debtor or by all Account Debtors will be the correct amount actually and unconditionally owing by such Account Debtor or Account Debtors, except for normal cash discounts where applicable, and no Account Debtor will have any defence, set off, claim or counterclaim against Debtor which can be asserted against RBC, whether in any proceeding to enforce Collateral or otherwise;
- d) the locations specified in Schedule "B" as to business operations and records are accurate and complete and with respect to Goods (including Inventory) constituting Collateral, the locations specified in Schedule "B" are accurate and complete save for Goods in transit to such locations and Inventory on lease or consignment; and all fixtures or Goods about to become fixtures and all crops and all oil, gas or other minerals to be extracted and all timber to be cut which forms part of the Collateral will be situate at one of such locations; and
- e) the execution, delivery and performance of the obligations under this Security Agreement and the creation of any security interest in or assignment hereunder of Debtor's rights in the Collateral to RBC will not result in a breach of any agreement to which Debtor is a party.

#### 4. COVENANTS OF THE DEBTOR

So long as this Security Agreement remains in effect Debtor covenants and agrees:

- a) to defend the Collateral against the claims and demands of all other parties claiming the same or an interest therein; to diligently initiate and prosecute legal action against all infringers of Debtor's rights in Intellectual Property; to take all reasonable action to keep the Collateral free from all Encumbrances, except for the Security Interest, licenses which are compulsory under federal or provincial legislation and those shown on Schedule "A" or hereafter approved in writing by RBC, prior to their creation or assumption, and not to sell, exchange, transfer, assign, lease, license or otherwise dispose of Collateral or any interest therein without the prior written consent of RBC; provided always that, until default, Debtor may, in the ordinary course of Debtor's business, sell or lease Inventory and, subject to Clause 7 hereof, use Money available to Debtor;
- b) to notify RBC promptly of:
  - any change in the information contained herein or in the Schedules hereto relating to Debtor, Debtor's business or Collateral,
  - ii) the details of any significant acquisition of Collateral,
  - iii) the details of any claims or litigation affecting Debtor or Collateral,
  - iv) any loss or damage to Collateral,
  - v) any default by any Account Debtor in payment or other performance of its obligations with respect to Collateral, and
  - vi) the return to or repossession by Debtor of Collateral,
- c) to keep Collateral in good order, condition and repair and not to use Collateral in violation of the provisions of this Security Agreement or any other agreement relating to Collateral or any policy insuring Collateral or any applicable statute, law, by-law, rule, regulation or ordinance; to keep all agreements, registrations and applications relating to Intellectual Property and intellectual property used by Debtor in its business in good standing and to renew all agreements and registrations as may be necessary or desirable to protect Intellectual Property, unless otherwise agreed in writing by RBC; to apply to register all existing and future copyrights, trademarks, patents, integrated circuit topographies and industrial designs whenever it is commercially reasonable to do so;
- d) to do, execute, acknowledge and deliver such financing statements, financing change statements and further assignments, transfers, documents, acts, matters and things (including further schedules hereto) as may be reasonably requested by RBC of or with respect to Collateral in order to give effect to these presents and to pay all costs for searches and filings in connection therewith;
- e) to pay all taxes, rates, levies, assessments and other charges of every nature which may be lawfully levied, assessed or imposed against or in respect of Debtor or Collateral as and when the same become due and payable;

- f) to insure collateral in such amounts and against such risks as would customarily be insured by a prudent owner of similar Collateral and in such additional amounts and against such additional risks as RBC may from time to time direct, with loss payable to RBC and Debtor, as insureds, as their respective interests may appear, and to pay all premiums therefor and deliver copies of policies and evidence of renewal to RBC on request;
- g) to prevent Collateral, save Inventory sold or leased as permitted hereby, from being or becoming an accession to other property not covered by this Security Agreement;
- n) to carry on and conduct the business of Debtor in a proper and efficient manner and so as to protect and preserve Collateral and to keep, in accordance with generally accepted accounting principles, consistently applied, proper books of account for Debtor's business as well as accurate and complete records concerning Collateral, and mark any and all such records and Collateral at RBC's request so as to indicate the Security Interest;
- i) to deliver to RBC from time to time promptly upon request:
  - i) any Documents of Title, Instruments, Securities and Chattel Paper constituting, representing or relating to Collateral,
  - ii) all books of account and all records, ledgers, reports, correspondence, schedules, documents, statements, lists and other writings relating to Collateral for the purpose of inspecting, auditing or copying the same,
  - iii) all financial statements prepared by or for Debtor regarding Debtor's business,
  - iv) all policies and certificates of insurance relating to Collateral, and
  - v) such information concerning Collateral, the Debtor and Debtor's business and affairs as RBC may reasonably request.

# 5. USE AND VERIFICATION OF COLLATERAL

Subject to compliance with Debtor's covenants contained herein and Clause 7 hereof, Debtor may, until default, possess, operate, collect, use and enjoy and deal with Collateral in the ordinary course of Debtor's business in any manner not inconsistent with the provisions hereof; provided always that RBC shall have the right at any time and from time to time to verify the existence and state of the Collateral in any manner RBC may consider appropriate and Debtor agrees to furnish all assistance and information and to perform all such acts as RBC may reasonably request in connection therewith and for such purpose to grant to RBC or its agents access to all places where Collateral may be located and to all premises occupied by Debtor.

# 6. SECURITIES, INVESTMENT PROPERTY

If Collateral at any time includes Securities, Debtor authorizes RBC to transfer the same or any part thereof into its own name or that of its nominee(s) so that RBC or its nominee(s) may appear of record as the sole owner thereof; provided that, until default, RBC shall deliver promptly to Debtor all notices or other communications received by it or its nominee(s) as such registered owner and, upon demand and receipt of payment of any necessary expenses thereof, shall issue to Debtor or its order a proxy to vote and take all action with respect to such Securities. After default, Debtor waives all rights to receive any notices or communications received by RBC or its nominee(s) as such registered owner and agrees that no proxy issued by RBC to Debtor or its order as aforesaid shall thereafter be effective.

Where any Investment Property is held in or credited to an account that has been established with a securities intermediary, RBC may, at any time after default, give a notice of exclusive control to any such securities intermediary with respect to such Investment Property.

# 7. COLLECTION OF DEBTS

Before or after default under this Security Agreement, RBC may notify all or any Account Debtors of the Security Interest and may also direct such Account Debtors to make all payments on Collateral to RBC. Debtor acknowledges that any payments on or other proceeds of Collateral received by Debtor from Account Debtors, whether before or after notification of this Security Interest to Account Debtors and whether before or after default under this Security Agreement, shall be received and held by Debtor in trust for RBC and shall be turned over to RBC upon request.

# 8. INCOME FROM AND INTEREST ON COLLATERAL

- a) Until default, Debtor reserves the right to receive any Money constituting income from or interest on Collateral and if RBC receives any such Money prior to default, RBC shall either credit the same against the Indebtedness or pay the same promptly to Debtor.
- b) After default, Debtor will not request or receive any Money constituting income from or interest on Collateral and if Debtor receives any such Money without any request by it, Debtor will pay the same promptly to RBC.

# 9. INCREASES, PROFITS, PAYMENTS OR DISTRIBUTIONS

- a) Whether or not default has occurred, Debtor authorizes RBC:
  - to receive any increase in or profits on Collateral (other than Money) and to hold the same as part of Collateral. Money so received shall be treated as income for the purposes of Clause 8 hereof and dealt with accordingly;

- ii) to receive any payment or distribution upon redemption or retirement or upon dissolution and liquidation of the issuer of Collateral; to surrender such Collateral in exchange therefor and to hold any such payment or distribution as part of Collateral.
- b) If Debtor receives any such increase or profits (other than Money) or payments or distributions, Debtor will deliver the same promptly to RBC to be held by RBC as herein provided

#### 10. DISPOSITION OF MONEY

Subject to any applicable requirements of the P.P.S.A., all Money collected or received by RBC pursuant to or in exercise of any right it possesses with respect to Collateral shall be applied on account of Indebtedness in such manner as RBC deems best or, at the option of RBC, may be held unappropriated in a collateral account or released to Debtor, all without prejudice to the liability of Debtor or the rights of RBC hereunder, and any surplus shall be accounted for as required by law.

#### 11. EVENTS OF DEFAULT

The happening of any of the following events or conditions shall constitute default hereunder which is herein referred to as "default":

- a) the nonpayment when due, whether by acceleration or otherwise, of any principal or interest forming part of Indebtedness or the failure of Debtor to observe or perform any obligation, covenant, term, provision or condition contained in this Security Agreement or any other agreement between Debtor and RBC;
- b) the death of or a declaration of incompetency by a court of competent jurisdiction with respect to Debtor, if an individual;
- c) the bankruptcy or insolvency of Debtor; the filing against Debtor of a petition in bankruptcy; the making of an assignment for the benefit of creditors by Debtor; the appointment of a receiver or trustee for Debtor or for any assets of Debtor or the institution by or against Debtor of any other type of insolvency proceeding under the Bankruptcy and Insolvency Act or otherwise;
- d) the institution by or against Debtor of any formal or informal proceeding for the dissolution or liquidation of, settlement of claims against or winding up of affairs of Debtor;
- e) if any Encumbrance affecting Collateral becomes enforceable against Collateral;
- f) if Debtor ceases or threatens to cease to carry on business or makes or agrees to make a bulk sale of assets without complying with applicable law or commits or threatens to commit an act of bankruptcy;
- g) if any execution, sequestration, extent or other process of any court becomes enforceable against Debtor or if distress or analogous process is levied upon the assets of Debtor or any part thereof;
- h) if any certificate, statement, representation, warranty or audit report heretofore or hereafter furnished by or on behalf of Debtor pursuant to or in connection with this Security Agreement, or otherwise (including, without limitation, the representations and warranties contained herein) or as an inducement to RBC to extend any credit to or to enter into this or any other agreement with Debtor, proves to have been false in any material respect at the time as of which the facts therein set forth were stated or certified, or proves to have omitted any substantial contingent or unliquidated liability or claim against Debtor; or if upon the date of execution of this Security Agreement, there shall have been any material adverse change in any of the facts disclosed by any such certificate, representation, statement, warranty or audit report, which change shall not have been disclosed to RBC at or prior to the time of such execution.

# 12. ACCELERATION

RBC, in its sole discretion, may declare all or any part of Indebtedness which is not by its terms payable on demand to be immediately due and payable, without demand or notice of any kind, in the event of default, or if RBC considers itself insecure or that the Collateral is in jeopardy. The provisions of this clause are not intended in any way to affect any rights of RBC with respect to any Indebtedness which may now or hereafter be payable on demand.

# 13. REMEDIES

a) Upon default, RBC may appoint or reappoint by instrument in writing, any person or persons, whether an officer or officers or an employee or employees of RBC or not, to be a receiver or receivers (hereinafter called a "Receiver", which term when used her ein shall include a receiver and manager) of Collateral (including any interest, income or profits therefrom) and may remove any Receiver so appointed and appoint another in his/her stead. Any such Receiver shall, so far as concerns responsibility for his/her acts, be deemed the agent of Debtor and not RBC, and RBC shall not be in any way responsible for any misconduct, negligence or non-feasance on the part of any such Receiver, his/her servants, agents or employees. Subject to the provisions of the instrument appointing him/her, any such Receiver shall have power to take possession of Collateral, to preserve Collateral or its value, to carry on or concur in carrying on all or any part of the business of Debtor and to sell, lease, license or otherwise dispose of or concur in selling, leasing, licensing or otherwise disposing of Collateral. To facilitate the foregoing powers, any such Receiver may, to the exclusion of all others, including Debtor, enter upon, use and occupy all premises owned or occupied by Debtor wherein Collateral may be situate, maintain Collateral upon such premises, borrow money on a secured or unsecured bas is and use Collateral directly in carrying on Debtor's business or as security for loans or advances to enable the Receiver to carry on Debtor's business or otherwise, as such Receiver shall, in its discretion, determine. Except as may be otherwise directed by RBC, all Money received from time to time by such Receiver in carrying out his/her appointment shall be received in trust for and paid over to RBC. Every

such Receiver may, in the discretion of RBC, be vested with all or any of the rights and powers of RBC.

- b) Upon default, RBC may, either directly or through its agents or nominees, exercise any or all of the powers and rights given to a Receiver by virtue of the foregoing sub-clause (a).
- c) RBC may take possession of, collect, demand, sue on, enforce, recover and receive Collateral and give valid and binding receipts and discharges therefor and in respect thereof and, upon default, RBC may sell, license, lease or otherwise dispose of Collateral in such manner, at such time or times and place or places, for such consideration and upon such terms and conditions as to RBC may seem reasonable.
- d) In addition to those rights granted herein and in any other agreement now or hereafter in effect between Debtor and RBC and in addition to any other rights RBC may have at law or in equity, RBC shall have, both before and after default, all rights and remedies of a secured party under the P.P.S.A. Provided always, that RBC shall not be liable or accountable for any failure to exercise its remedies, take possession of, collect, enforce, realize, sell, lease, license or otherwise dispose of Collateral or to institute any proceedings for such purposes. Furthermore, RBC shall have no obligation to take any steps to preserve rights against prior parties to any Instrument or Chattel Paper whether Collateral or proceeds and whether or not in RBC's possession and shall not be liable or accountable for failure to do so.
- e) Debtor acknowledges that RBC or any Receiver appointed by it may take possession of Collateral wherever it may be to cated and by any method permitted by law and Debtor agrees upon request from RBC or any such Receiver to assemble and deliver possession of Collateral at such place or places as directed.
- f) Debtor agrees to be liable for and to pay all costs, charges and expenses reasonably incurred by RBC or any Receiver appointed by it, whether directly or for services rendered (including reasonable solicitors and auditors costs and other legal expenses and Receiver remuneration), in operating Debtor's accounts, in preparing or enforcing this Security Agreement, taking and maintaining custody of, preserving, repairing, processing, preparing for disposition and disposing of Collateral and in enforcing or collecting Indebtedness and all such costs, charges and expenses, together with any amounts owing as a result of any borrowing by RBC or any Receiver appointed by it, as permitted hereby, shall be a first charge on the proceeds of realization, collection or disposition of Collateral and shall be secured hereby.
- g) RBC will give Debtor such notice, if any, of the date, time and place of any public sale or of the date after which any private disposition of Collateral is to be made as may be required by the P.P.S.A..
- h) Upon default and receiving written demand from RBC, Debtor shall take such further action as may be necessary to evidence and effect an assignment or licensing of Intellectual Property to whomever RBC directs, including to RBC. Debtor appoints any officer or director or branch manager of RBC upon default to be its attorney in accordance with applicable legislation with full power of substitution and to do on Debtor's behalf anything that is required to assign, license or transfer, and to record any assignment, licence or transfer of the Collateral. This power of attorney, which is coupled with an interest, is irrevocable until the release or discharge of the Security Interest:

# 14. MISCELLANEOUS

- a) Debtor hereby authorizes RBC to file such financing statements, financing change statements and other documents and do such acts, matters and things (including completing and adding schedules hereto identifying Collateral or any permitted Encumbrances affecting Collateral or identifying the locations at which Debtor's business is carried on and Collateral and records relating thereto are situate) as RBC may deem appropriate to perfect on an ongoing basis and continue the Security Interest, to protect and preserve Collateral and to realize upon the Security Interest and Debtor hereby irrevocably constitutes and appoints the Manager or Acting Manager from time to time of the herein mentioned branch of RBC the true and lawful attorney of Debtor, with full power of substitution, to do any of the foregoing in the name of Debtor whenever and wherever it may be deemed necessary or expedient.
- b) Without limiting any other right of RBC, whenever Indebtedness is immediately due and payable or RBC has the right to declare Indebtedness to be immediately due and payable (whether or not it has so declared), RBC may, in its sole discretion, set off against Indebtedness any and all amounts then owed to Debtor by RBC in any capacity, whether or not due, and RBC shall be deemed to have exercised such right to set offimmediately at the time of making its decision to do so even though any charge therefor is made or entered on RBC's records subsequent thereto.
- c) Upon Debtor's failure to perform any of its duties hereunder, RBC may, but shall not be obligated to perform any or all of such duties, and Debtor shall pay to RBC, forthwith upon written demand therefor, an amount equal to the expense incurred by RBC in so doing plus interest thereon from the date such expense is incurred until it is paid at the rate of 15% per annum.
- d) RBC may grant extensions of time and other indulgences, take and give up security, accept compositions, compound, compromise, settle, grant releases and discharges and otherwise deal with Debtor, debtors of Debtor, sureties and others and with Collateral and other security as RBC may see fit without prejudice to the liability of Debtor or RBC's right to hold and realize the Security Interest. Furthermore, RBC may demand, collect and sue on Collateral in either Debtor's or RBC's name, at RBC's option, and may endorse Debtor's name on any and all cheques, commercial paper, and any other Instruments pertaining to or constituting Collateral.
- e) No delay or omission by RBC in exercising any right or remedy hereunder or with respect to any Indebtedness shall operate as a waiver thereof or of any other right or remedy, and no single or partial exercise thereof shall preclude any other or further exercise thereof or the exercise of any other right or remedy. Furthermore, RBC may remedy any default by Debtor hereunder or with respect

to any Indebtedness in any reasonable manner without waiving the default remedied and without waiving any other prior or subsequent default by Debtor. All rights and remedies of RBC granted or recognized herein are cumulative and may be exercised at any time and from time to time independently or in combination.

- f) Debtor waives protest of any Instrument constituting Collateral at any time held by RBC on which Debtor is in any way liable and, subject to Clause 13(g) hereof, notice of any other action taken by RBC.
- g) This Security Agreement shall enure to the benefit of and be binding upon the parties hereto and their respective heirs, executors, administrators, successors and assigns. In any action brought by an assignee of this Security Agreement and the Security Interest or any part thereof to enforce any rights hereunder, Debtor shall not assert against the assignee any claim or defence which Debtor now has or hereafter may have against RBC. If more than one Debtor executes this Security Agreement the obligations of such Debtors hereunder shall be joint and several.
- h) RBC may provide any financial and other information it has about Debtor, the Security Interest and the Collateral to any one acquiring or who may acquire an interest in the Security Interest or the Collateral from the Bank or any one acting on behalf of the Bank.
- i) Save for any schedules which may be added hereto pursuant to the provisions hereof, no modification, variation or amendment of any provision of this Security Agreement shall be made except by a written agreement, executed by the parties hereto and no waiver of any provision hereof shall be effective unless in writing.
- j) Subject to the requirements of Clauses 13(g) and 14(k) hereof, whenever either party hereto is required or entitled to notify or direct the other or to make a demand or request upon the other, such notice, direction, demand or request shall be in writing and shall be sufficiently given, in the case of RBC, if delivered to it or sent by prepaid registered mail addressed to it at its address herein set forth or as changed pursuant hereto, and, in the case of Debtor, if delivered to it or if sent by prepaid registered mail addressed to it at its last address known to RBC. Either party may notify the other pursuant hereto of any change in such party's principal address to be used for the purposes hereof.
- k) This Security Agreement and the security afforded hereby is in addition to and not in substitution for any other security now or hereafter held by RBC and is intended to be a continuing Security Agreement and shall remain in full force and effect until the Manager or Acting Manager from time to time of the herein mentioned branch of RBC shall actually receive written notice of its discontinuance; and, notwithstanding such notice, shall remain in full force and effect thereafter until all Indebtedness contracted for or created before the receipt of such notice by RBC, and any extensions or renewals thereof (whether made before or after receipt of such notice) together with interest accruing thereon after such notice, shall be paid in full.
- The headings used in this Security Agreement are for convenience only and are not be considered a part of this Security Agreement and do not in any way limit or amplify the terms and provisions of this Security Agreement.
- m) When the context so requires, the singular number shall be read as if the plural were expressed and the provisions hereof shall be read with all grammatical changes necessary dependent upon the person referred to being a male, female, firm or corporation.
- n) In the event any provisions of this Security Agreement, as amended from time to time, shall be deemed invalid or void, in whole or in part, by any Court of competent jurisdiction, the remaining terms and provisions of this Security Agreement shall remain in full force and effect.
- o) Nothing herein contained shall in any way obligate RBC to grant, continue, renew, extend time for payment of or accept anything which constitutes or would constitute Indebtedness.
- p) The Security Interest created hereby is intended to attach when this Security Agreement is signed by Debtor and delivered to RBC.
- q) Debtor acknowledges and agrees that in the event it amalgamates with any other company or companies it is the intention of the parties hereto that the term "Debtor" when used herein shall apply to each of the amalgamating companies and to the amalgamated company, such that the Security Interest granted hereby:
  - shall extend to "Collateral" (as that term is herein defined) owned by each of the amalgamating companies and the amalgamated company at the time of amalgamation and to any "Collateral" thereafter owned or acquired by the amalgamated company, and
  - ii) shall secure the "Indebtedness" (as that term is herein defined) of each of the amalgamating companies and the amalgamated company to RBC at the time of amalgamation and any "Indebtedness" of the amalgamated company to RBC thereafter arising. The Security Interest shall attach to "Collateral" owned by each company amalgamating with Debtor, and by the amalgamated company, at the time of the amalgamation, and shall attach to any "Collateral" thereafter owned or acquired by the amalgamated company when such becomes owned or is acquired.
- r) In the event that Debtor is a body corporate, it is hereby agreed that The Limitation of Civil Rights Act of the Province of Saskatchewan, or any provision thereof, shall have no application to this Security Agreement or any agreement or instrument renewing or extending or collateral to this Security Agreement. In the event that Debtor is an agricultural corporation within the meaning of The Saskatchewan Farm Security Act, Debtor agrees with RBC that all of Part IV (other than Section 46) of that Act shall not apply to Debtor.
- s) \*This Security Agreement and the transactions evidenced hereby shall be governed by and construed in accordance with the

laws of the province in which the herein branch of RBC is located, as those laws may from time to time be in effect, except if such branch of RBC is located in Quebec then, this Security Agreement and the transactions evidenced hereby shall be governed by and construed in accordance with the laws of the Province of Ontario and the laws of Canada applicable therein.

# 15. COPY OF AGREEMENT

- a) Debtor hereby acknowledges receipt of a copy of this Security Agreement.
- b) Debtor waives Debtor's right to receive a copy of any financing statement or financing change statement registered by RBC or of any verification statement with respect to any financing statement or financing change statement registered by RBC. (Applies in all P.P.S.A. Provinces).
- 16. Debtor represents and warrants that the following information is accurate:

#### **BUSINESS DEBTOR**

NAME OF BUSINESS DEBTOR				
1626177 ONTARIO LIMITED				
ADDRESS OF BUSINESS DEBTOR	CITY	PROVINCE	POSTAL CODE	
133 MILANI BLVD, 106	WOODBRIDGE	ON	L4H 4M4	
IN WITNESS WHEREOF executed this 2 day of _	<del></del>	17 ONT PHO LII	MITED	Seal

# SCHEDULE "A"

(ENCUMBRANCES AFFECTING COLLATERAL)

# SCHEDULE "B"

1. Locations of Debtor's Business Operation				
	133 MILANI BLVD, 106			
	WOODBRIDGE			
	ON			

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- 2. Locations of Records relating to Collateral (if different from 1. above)
- 3. Locations of Collateral (if different from 1. above)

# SCHEDULE "C"

(DESCRIPTION OF PROPERTY)

This is **Exhibit "D"** referred to in the Affidavit of Peter Gordon, sworn by Peter Gordon of the City of Oakville, in the Province of Ontario, before me at the City of Toronto, in the Province of Ontario, on October 10, 2025, in accordance with O. Reg. 431/20, Administering Oath or Declaration Remotely.

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Commissioner for Taking Affidavits (or as may be)

# PROVINCE OF ONTARIO MINISTRY OF PUBLIC AND BUSINESS SERVICE DELIVERY PERSONAL PROPERTY SECURITY REGISTRATION SYSTEM ENQUIRY RESPONSE CERTIFICATE

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GOWLING WLG (CANADA) LLP TORONTO - MARK EMMANUEL

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ONTARIO CORPORATION NO.

ADDRESS 111 ZENWAY BLVD, 8 WOODBRIDGE ON L4H 3H9

DATE OF BIRTH FIRST GIVEN NAME INITIAL SURNAME

05 DEBTOR

06 NAME BUSINESS NAME

ONTARIO CORPORATION NO.

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08 SECURED PARTY / MERCHANT OPPORTUNITIES CANADA LIMITED PARTNERSHIP

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WATER ST. VANCOUVER

BC V6B 1A7

COLLATERAL CLASSIFICATION

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11 MOTOR

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13 GENERAL ALL PRESENT AND AFTER ACQUIRED PERSONAL PROPERTY OF THE DEBTORS,

14 COLLATERAL INCLUDING, BUT NOT LIMITED TO, THE FUTURE DEBIT/CREDIT CARD

15 DESCRIPTION RECEIVABLES OF THE DEBTORS.

16 REGISTERING MERCHANT GROWTH LTD.

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ADDRESS 200-171 WATER STREET VANCOUVER BC V6B 1A7

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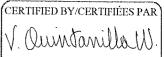
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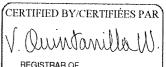
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This is **Exhibit** "E" referred to in the Affidavit of Peter Gordon, sworn by Peter Gordon of the City of Oakville, in the Province of Ontario, before me at the City of Toronto, in the Province of Ontario, on October 10, 2025, in accordance with O. Reg. 431/20, Administering Oath or Declaration Remotely.

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#### Tandon, Namya

From: Michael Filippo <MichaelF@ferromech.com>

**Sent:** July 18, 2025 4:41 PM

**To:** Lau, Ryan; Perry Benipal; Gordon, Peter

Subject: Re: RBC Letter to Ferro Mechanical July 18th, 2025

Sensitivity: Personal

#### [External]/[Externe]

Hi Ryan,

I am completely consumed at work and getting busier by the minute.

As stated last time I sent an email all correspondence should go through my lawyer moving forward.

My apologies for not being at the meeting, but I thought you understood that we have introduced counsel to this as we progress forward.

thanks Mike

#### Get Outlook for iOS

From: Lau, Ryan <ryan.r.lau@rbc.com> Sent: Friday, July 18, 2025 12:19:12 PM

To: Perry Benipal <benipal@phmlaw.com>; Michael Filippo <MichaelF@ferromech.com>; Gordon, Peter

<peter.gordon@rbc.com>

Subject: RBC Letter to Ferro Mechanical July 18th, 2025

Hi Perry and Michael,

Hope this finds you well. As we are facing challenges on the interim financial review, I would like to bring the attached letter to your attention.

We would like to request a formal meeting with both of you, and my colleague @Gordon, Peter.

Kindly share your upcoming availability and we look forward to hearing back.

#### Best Regards,

**Ryan Lau** | Relationship Manager| Commercial Financial Services | RBC Royal Bank | **Royal Bank of Canada** | T. (437) 998-2559 | ryan.r.lau@rbc.com

**Jennifer Pang** | Commercial Banking Advisor, Commercial Financial Services | **RBC Royal Bank** C: 437-324-9902 | E: <u>jennifer.pang@rbc.com</u> | 260 East Beaver Creek Road, Richmond Hill, Ontario L4B 3M3

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#### Tandon, Namya

From: Perry Benipal <benipal@phmlaw.com>

Sent: July 28, 2025 9:28 AM
To: Gertner, Thomas
Cc: Moses, Rachel

Subject: Re: 1626177 ONTARIO LIMITED o/a Ferro Mechanical

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Hi Thomas,

He will co-operate with the bank and start providing the required docs.

I explained what needs to be done, he will be in touch on Wednesday/Thursday he said.

Thank you.

### Parjot Benipal Papazian | Heisey | Myers,

Barristers & Solicitors/Avocats Suite 510, 121 King St. W., P.O. Box 105, Toronto, ON, M5H 3T9

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From: Gertner, Thomas <Thomas.Gertner@gowlingwlg.com>

Sent: Monday, July 28, 2025 9:26 AM
To: Perry Benipal <br/>
benipal@phmlaw.com>

Cc: Moses, Rachel <Rachel.Moses@gowlingwlg.com>

Subject: RE: 1626177 ONTARIO LIMITED o/a Ferro Mechanical

Good Morning Perry;

Are you able to provide us with an update on your conversation with your client over the weekend?

Thomas Gertner

Partner

T +1 416 369 4618
thomas.gertner@gowlingwlg.com



From: Perry Benipal <br/> <br/> benipal@phmlaw.com>

Sent: July 23, 2025 11:09 AM

**To:** Gertner, Thomas <Thomas.Gertner@ca.gowlingwlg.com><br/> **Cc:** Moses, Rachel <Rachel.Moses@ca.gowlingwlg.com><br/> **Subject:** Re: 1626177 ONTARIO LIMITED o/a Ferro Mechanical

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Sorry for the early morning start. I have commercial court at 8:30 and then all day examinations.

#### **Parjot Benipal**

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**From:** Gertner, Thomas < <a href="mailto:Thomas.Gertner@gowlingwlg.com">Thomas.Gertner@gowlingwlg.com</a>>

**Sent:** Wednesday, July 23, 2025 11:08 AM **To:** Perry Benipal < benipal@phmlaw.com >

**Cc:** Moses, Rachel < <u>Rachel.Moses@gowlingwlg.com</u>>

Subject: RE: 1626177 ONTARIO LIMITED o/a Ferro Mechanical

I can do 7:30am tomorrow. Let me know the best number to reach you at.

Thomas Gertner

Partner
T +1 416 369 4618
thomas.gertner@gowlingwlg.com



From: Perry Benipal <benipal@phmlaw.com>

Sent: July 23, 2025 11:04 AM

**To:** Gertner, Thomas < Thomas.Gertner@ca.gowlingwlg.com > Cc: Moses, Rachel <Rachel.Moses@ca.gowlingwlg.com>

Subject: Re: 1626177 ONTARIO LIMITED o/a Ferro Mechanical

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Hi Thomas,

I can either speak on Tuesday or tomorrow morning at 7:30 am.

Let me know.

Thanks.

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From: Gertner, Thomas < Thomas.Gertner@gowlingwlg.com >

Sent: Wednesday, July 23, 2025 11:02 AM To: Perry Benipal <benipal@phmlaw.com>

Cc: Moses, Rachel <Rachel.Moses@gowlingwlg.com> Subject: 1626177 ONTARIO LIMITED o/a Ferro Mechanical

Perry;

Hope all is well. We have been retained by RBC in respect of the above noted matter. We understand you are counsel to the credit parties.

Can you let us know some times you are available to speak about this file today / tomorrow.

Thank you;

**Thomas Gertner** Partner T+1 416 369 4618 thomas.gertner@gowlingwlg.com



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**Thomas Gertner** Direct +1 416 369-4618 Thomas.gertner@gowlings.com

August 8, 2025

VIA REGULAR MAIL, REGISTERED MAIL AND EMAIL MichaelF@ferromech.com

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1626177 ONTARIO LIMITED, operating as FERRO MECHANICAL 111 Zenway Blvd., Suite 8, Woodbridge, Ontario L4H 3H9

133 Milani Blvd, Suite 106 Woodbridge, Ontario L4H 4M4

Attention: Michael Filippo, Paula Filippo

Dear Sir/Madam:

Re: Royal Bank of Canada (the "Bank") and 1626177 Ontario Limited o/a 'Ferro

Mechanical' (the "Company")

We have been retained by the Bank in respect of the indebtedness owing to it by the Company.

We refer you to the Royal Bank of Canada credit agreement dated May 28, 2024, between the Bank and the Company, as amended by a Royal Bank of Canada amending agreement dated April 8, 2025 (collectively, as amended, the "Credit Agreement"), establishing a revolving demand credit facility and a credit card facility. As at August 8, 2025 the Company is indebted to the Bank in the following amounts in respect of these facilities:

- 1. In respect of the revolving demand facility (07512-83938515-001) in the amount of \$1,512,661.87, comprising principal in the amount of \$1,510,000.00 and accrued interest to and including August 8, 2025 in the amount of \$2,661.87. Interest continues to accrue on the aforesaid principal amount at the Bank's prime rate plus 1.13% per annum. The per diem amount on the aforesaid principal amount, given the Bank's current prime rate, is \$251.53.
- 2. In respect of the credit card facility with the account number ending "2482" in the amount of \$387,688.07. Interest continues to accrue on the aforesaid amount at the rate in effect from time to time in accordance with your credit card arrangements with the Bank.

On behalf of the Bank, we hereby formally make demand upon the Company for the payment by no later than August 18, 2025 of the amounts expressed above and all interest accruing thereon up until the date of payment in full and for all other amounts which the Company is liable for to the Bank in accordance with



the security delivered by the Company to the Bank in connection with the above noted facilities, including, without limitation, legal fees on a full indemnity basis.

In the event payment is not made as requested, we must advise you that the Bank reserves its rights to take such further steps as are necessary to recover the indebtedness and liabilities owing by the Company to the Bank, including, without limitation, the appointment of a receiver and manager of the property, assets and undertaking of the Company.

We further advise you that the Bank expressly reserves its rights to take such further steps as are necessary at any time prior to August 18, 2025 without further notice to you if the Bank becomes aware of any matter which may impair its security.

We enclose a Notice of Intention to Enforce Security pursuant to Section 244(1) of the *Bankruptcy and Insolvency Act* (Canada).

If you wish to discuss this matter with us, please contact us immediately either directly or through your solicitor.

Yours truly,

Gowling WLG (Canada) LLP

Thomas Gertner

Encl.

cc: Royal Bank of Canada

## NOTICE OF INTENTION TO ENFORCE SECURITY PURSUANT TO THE *BANKRUPTCY AND INSOLVENCY ACT* (CANADA) SECTION 244

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MichaelF@ferromech.com

#### TO: 1626177 ONTARIO LIMITED o/a 'FERRO MECHANICAL', an insolvent person

#### TAKE NOTICE THAT:

- 1. Royal Bank of Canada, a secured creditor, intends to enforce its security on the insolvent person's property described below:
  - all personal property of the insolvent person, including, without limitation, all inventory, equipment, machinery, fixtures, book debts, contractual rights, monies, chattel paper, intellectual property and goodwill of the insolvent person, together with all proceeds, additions, accretions and substitutions therefor.
- 2. The security that is to be enforced is in the form of:
  - general security agreement dated May 29, 2024 executed by 1626177 Ontario Limited.
  - any and all other security granted by 1626177 Ontario Limited to Royal Bank of Canada.
- 3. The total amount of indebtedness secured by the security as at August 8, 2025 is \$1,900,349.94, plus all legal and other expenses incurred by the secured creditor, which expenses are secured by the above-noted security.
- 4. The secured creditor will not have the right to enforce the security until after the expiry of the 10-day period following the sending of this notice, unless the insolvent person consents to an earlier enforcement.

**DATED** at Toronto, Ontario this 8<sup>th</sup> day of August, 2025.

**ROYAL BANK OF CANADA**by its solicitors, Gowling WLG (Canada) LLP

Per:

**Thomas Gertner** 

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#### Tandon, Namya

**From:** Gertner, Thomas

**Sent:** September 11, 2025 10:23 AM

**To:** Perry Benipal

**Subject:** RE: 1626177 ONTARIO LIMITED o/a Ferro Mechanical

Thanks Perry. This type of response is not acceptable to the Bank. All the Bank can take from this response is that your client doesn't appreciate the gravity of the situation it finds itself in. Time and time again the Bank has tried to accommodate your client. Its patience is running thin. The demand and NITES have expired, and it's entitled to enforce. It needs a response on this by <u>close of business</u> tomorrow, otherwise it will explore other alternatives including moving forward with enforcement.

Thomas Gertner

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From: Perry Benipal <benipal@phmlaw.com>

Sent: September 11, 2025 9:48 AM

**To:** Gertner, Thomas < Thomas.Gertner@ca.gowlingwlg.com > **Subject:** Re: 1626177 ONTARIO LIMITED o/a Ferro Mechanical

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Good Morning Thomas,

As soon as I have a response, you will be the first to know.

Thank you.

**Parjot Benipal** 

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From: Gertner, Thomas < Thomas.Gertner@gowlingwlg.com >

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Subject: RE: 1626177 ONTARIO LIMITED o/a Ferro Mechanical

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Perry – still waiting to hear back from you. This should be fairly simple to find out from the broker. We are approaching a week since we spoke.

Thomas Gertner

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From: Gertner, Thomas

Sent: September 9, 2025 8:58 AM

To: 'Perry Benipal' < benipal@phmlaw.com >

Subject: RE: 1626177 ONTARIO LIMITED o/a Ferro Mechanical

Thank you for the response. In order to keep this moving please get back to us today.

Thomas Gertner

Partner
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From: Perry Benipal < benipal@phmlaw.com >

Sent: September 9, 2025 4:17 AM

**To:** Gertner, Thomas < <a href="mailto:Thomas.Gertner@ca.gowlingwlg.com">Thomas <a href="mailto:Thomas.Gertner@ca.gowlingwlg.com">Thomas <a href="mailto:Thomas.Gertner@ca.gowlingwlg.com">Thomas <a href="mailto:Thomas.Gertner@ca.gowlingwlg.com">Thomas <a href="mailto:Thomas.Gertner@ca.gowlingwlg.com">Thomas.Gertner@ca.gowlingwlg.com</a></a></a>

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Good Morning Thomas,

I have not and I'll follow up today. I was in court all day yesterday, going thorough my emails now. If I have documents for you I will report back.

Thank you.

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From: Gertner, Thomas < Thomas.Gertner@gowlingwlg.com >

**Sent:** Monday, September 8, 2025 4:32:38 PM **To:** Perry Benipal <a href="mailto:benipal@phmlaw.com">benipal@phmlaw.com</a>

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Perry;

Just wanted to follow up on the below. Also did you hear back from the company's broker about their anticipated timing for a refinancing?

Thomas Gertner

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From: Perry Benipal < benipal@phmlaw.com >

Sent: September 4, 2025 4:36 PM

**To:** Gertner, Thomas < <a href="mailto:Thomas.Gertner@ca.gowlingwlg.com">Thomas < <a href="mailto:Thomas.Gertner@ca.gowlingwlg.com">Thomas.Gertner@ca.gowlingwlg.com</a>>
<a href="mailto:Subject: Re">Subject: Re</a>: 1626177 ONTARIO LIMITED o/a Ferro Mechanical

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Hi Thomas,

I have forwarded your email to the broker and book keeper for action ASAP.

Thank you.

#### **Parjot Benipal**

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#### Perry;

Thanks for the call earlier this afternoon. As discussed please let us know as soon as you hear back from the Company's broker on their estimated timeline for completing a refinancing, so the Bank can consider the same when developing milestones under the proposed forbearance agreement.

In the interim, and as requested by Peter, please have sent to us as soon as possible: (1) a summary of outstanding priority payables (including source deductions, HST and WSIB amounts); (2) an up to date list of aged payables and receivables; and (3) the most recent internal monthly financial statements prepared by the Company (or any other equivalent internal financial reporting).

#### Regards;

**Thomas Gertner** 



From: Perry Benipal < benipal@phmlaw.com >

Sent: September 3, 2025 7:45 AM

To: Gertner, Thomas < <a href="mailto:Thomas.Gertner@ca.gowlingwlg.com">Thomas <a href="mailto:Thomas.gowlingwlg.com">Thomas <a href="mailto:Thomas.Gertner@ca.gowlingwlg.com">Thomas <a href="mailto:Thomas.gowlingwlg.com">Thomas <a href="mailto:Thomas.gowlingwlg.

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Yes, he is available.

**Parjot Benipal** 

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**Sent:** Tuesday, September 2, 2025 8:20 PM **To:** Perry Benipal <a href="mailto:benipal@phmlaw.com">benipal@phmlaw.com</a>

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From: Perry Benipal <br/>
<br/>
benipal@phmlaw.com>

Sent: September 2, 2025 1:47 PM

To: Gertner, Thomas < <a href="mailto:Thomas.Gertner@ca.gowlingwlg.com">Thomas.Gertner@ca.gowlingwlg.com</a> <a href="mailto:Cc: Moses">Cc: Moses, Rachel < <a href="mailto:Rachel.Moses@ca.gowlingwlg.com">Rachel.Moses@ca.gowlingwlg.com</a> <a href="mailto:Subject: Re: 1626177">Subject: Re: 1626177 ONTARIO LIMITED o/a Ferro Mechanical</a>

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Okay I will confirm with m lenient and get back to you.

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**From:** Gertner, Thomas < <a href="mailto:Thomas.Gertner@gowlingwlg.com">Thomas.Gertner@gowlingwlg.com</a>>

**Sent:** Tuesday, September 2, 2025 1:33:11 PM **To:** Perry Benipal <a href="mailto:benipal@phmlaw.com">benipal@phmlaw.com</a>

Cc: Moses, Rachel < Rachel. Moses@gowlingwlg.com >

Subject: RE: 1626177 ONTARIO LIMITED o/a Ferro Mechanical

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Perry just wanted to follow up on this. RBC is available Thursday between 2pm and 5pm (with a preference for 3pm).

Thomas Gertner

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From: Perry Benipal < benipal@phmlaw.com >

Sent: September 1, 2025 3:51 PM

To: Gertner, Thomas < <a href="mailto:Thomas.Gertner@ca.gowlingwlg.com">Thomas.Gertner@ca.gowlingwlg.com</a> <a href="mailto:Certailto:C

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Thursday, what times are you offering? Problem with Brampton short motions on Friday, I do not know when my matter will be heard.

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**From:** Gertner, Thomas < Thomas.Gertner@gowlingwlg.com >

**Sent:** Monday, September 1, 2025 7:46 AM **To:** Perry Benipal < benipal@phmlaw.com >

Cc: Moses, Rachel < <a href="mailto:Rachel.Moses@gowlingwlg.com">Rachel.Moses@gowlingwlg.com</a>>

Subject: RE: 1626177 ONTARIO LIMITED o/a Ferro Mechanical

How is Thursday or Friday after 1pm?

Thomas Gertner

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From: Perry Benipal < benipal@phmlaw.com>

Sent: August 30, 2025 9:22 AM

To: Gertner, Thomas < <a href="mailto:Thomas.Gertner@ca.gowlingwlg.com">Thomas.Gertner@ca.gowlingwlg.com</a> <a href="mailto:Certailto:C

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#### Good Morning Thomas,

I'm in Brampton motion court on Friday starting at 10 am.

#### Thank you

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From: Gertner, Thomas < Thomas.Gertner@gowlingwlg.com >

**Sent:** Saturday, August 30, 2025 8:28:34 AM **To:** Perry Benipal < benipal@phmlaw.com >

Cc: Moses, Rachel < Rachel. Moses@gowlingwlg.com >

Subject: Re: 1626177 ONTARIO LIMITED o/a Ferro Mechanical

#### Hi Perry:

RBC has had a last minute conflict arise. We need to move the meeting to Friday at the same time. A new calendar invite will follow.

#### Sent from my iPhone

On Aug 26, 2025, at 8:20 AM, Perry Benipal < benipal@phmlaw.com > wrote:

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Will do.

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**Sent:** Tuesday, August 26, 2025 8:16:48 AM **To:** Perry Benipal <a href="mailto:benipal@phmlaw.com">benipal@phmlaw.com</a>

**Cc:** Moses, Rachel < <u>Rachel.Moses@gowlingwlg.com</u>>

Subject: RE: 1626177 ONTARIO LIMITED o/a Ferro Mechanical

#### Hi Perry;

You should have received an invite from RBC to the meeting to be held via Web-ex. RBC did not have Paula Filippo's email address (she is the sole shareholder and a guarantor). We assume you will forward to her, and she will decide whether to attend along with Michael.

#### Regards;

**Thomas Gertner** 



From: Gertner, Thomas

Sent: August 25, 2025 10:01 AM

To: 'Perry Benipal' <benipal@phmlaw.com>

Cc: Moses, Rachel < Rachel. Moses@ca.gowlingwlg.com >

Subject: RE: 1626177 ONTARIO LIMITED o/a Ferro Mechanical

Hi Perry;

Let's plan to meet at 10:30 on September 3<sup>rd</sup>. RBC will forward a calendar invite.

Thomas Gertner

Partner
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From: Perry Benipal < benipal@phmlaw.com >

Sent: August 24, 2025 10:25 AM

To: Gertner, Thomas < <a href="mailto:Thomas.Gertner@ca.gowlingwlg.com">Thomas.Gertner@ca.gowlingwlg.com</a> <a href="mailto:Cc: Moses">Cc: Moses, Rachel < <a href="mailto:Rachel.Moses@ca.gowlingwlg.com">Rachel.Moses@ca.gowlingwlg.com</a> <a href="mailto:Subject: Re: 1626177">Subject: Re: 1626177 ONTARIO LIMITED o/a Ferro Mechanical</a>

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Good Morning,

Can we setup a zoom call with all parties at anytime on either September 3, 4 or 5?

I will let me client know that he must be available.

Thank you.

**Parjot Benipal** 

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**From:** Gertner, Thomas < Thomas.Gertner@gowlingwlg.com >

**Sent:** Sunday, August 24, 2025 8:25 AM **To:** Perry Benipal <a href="mailto:benipal@phmlaw.com">benipal@phmlaw.com</a>

Cc: Moses, Rachel <Rachel.Moses@gowlingwlg.com>

Subject: RE: 1626177 ONTARIO LIMITED o/a Ferro Mechanical

#### Hi Perry;

I did not hear from you on Friday as we discussed. Please get back to me Monday with some times for a potential meeting with the Bank. I spoke to RBC and they are willing to wait until the week of the 5<sup>th</sup> for the meeting (but no later than that).

The Bank continues to be surprised with the amount of resistance it is getting towards attempts to accommodate your client.

#### Regards

Thomas Gertner

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From: Perry Benipal < benipal@phmlaw.com >

Sent: August 21, 2025 9:22 PM

To: Gertner, Thomas < <a href="mailto:Thomas.Gertner@ca.gowlingwlg.com">Thomas.Gertner@ca.gowlingwlg.com</a> <a href="mailto:Cc: Moses">Cc: Moses, Rachel < <a href="mailto:Rachel.Moses@ca.gowlingwlg.com">Rachel.Moses@ca.gowlingwlg.com</a> <a href="mailto:Subject: Re: 1626177">Subject: Re: 1626177 ONTARIO LIMITED o/a Ferro Mechanical</a>

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I can do 9 am tomorrow, if that works?

#### **Parjot Benipal**

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**From:** Gertner, Thomas < Thomas.Gertner@gowlingwlg.com >

**Sent:** Thursday, August 21, 2025 4:05 PM **To:** Perry Benipal < benipal@phmlaw.com >

**Cc:** Moses, Rachel < <u>Rachel.Moses@gowlingwlg.com</u>>

**Subject:** RE: 1626177 ONTARIO LIMITED o/a Ferro Mechanical

What is your availability today or tomorrow to speak.

Thomas Gertner

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From: Perry Benipal < benipal@phmlaw.com >

**Sent:** August 21, 2025 3:57 PM

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Subject: Re: 1626177 ONTARIO LIMITED o/a Ferro Mechanical

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Yes, I have seen that. I have pressed my client to provide the required documentation and have done zoom calls with the accountant, who is allegedly working as fast as he can to have the materials sent over.

#### **Parjot Benipal**

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Cc: Moses, Rachel < Rachel. Moses@gowlingwlg.com >

Subject: RE: 1626177 ONTARIO LIMITED o/a Ferro Mechanical

Hi Perry;

Can we circle back on this matter. Let me know if you have five minutes today or tomorrow to speak. As you will have seen, the Bank has made demand and the notice period has expired.

Thomas Gertner

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This is **Exhibit "I"** referred to in the Affidavit of Peter Gordon, sworn by Peter Gordon of the City of Oakville, in the Province of Ontario, before me at the City of Toronto, in the Province of Ontario, on October 10, 2025, in accordance with O. Reg. 431/20, Administering Oath or Declaration Remotely.

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Commissioner for Taking Affidavits (or as may be)

### ONTARIO SUPERIOR COURT OF JUSTICE

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#### **ROYAL BANK OF CANADA**

Applicant

and

#### 1626177 ONTARIO LIMITED

Respondent

APPLICATION UNDER SECTION 243(1) OF THE *BANKRUPTCY AND INSOLVENCY ACT*, R.S.C. 1985, c. B-3, AS AMENDED, AND SECTION 101 OF THE *COURTS OF JUSTICE ACT*, R.S.O. 1990, c. C.43

#### **CONSENT**

msi Spergel inc., hereby agrees to act as receiver and manager in the above-noted matter.						
<b>DATED</b> at the City of Toronto, this	08th	_day of October 2025.				
		MSI SPERGEL INC. Per:				

Name: Mukul Manchanda Title: Managing Partner Applicant Respondent

Court File No.

### ONTARIO SUPERIOR COURT OF JUSTICE

Proceeding commenced at Toronto

#### **CONSENT**

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Court File No.: CV-25-00004184-0000

**ROYAL BANK OF CANADA** 

-AND-

1626177 ONTARIO LIMITED

**Applicant** 

Respondent

APPLICATION UNDER SUBSECTION 243(1) OF THE *BANKRUPTCY AND INSOLVENCY ACT*, R.S.C., 1985, C. B-3, AS AMENDED, AND SECTION 101 OF THE *COURTS OF JUSTICE ACT*, R.S.O. 1990, C. C.43, AS AMENDED

### ONTARIO SUPERIOR COURT OF JUSTICE

Proceeding commenced at Newmarket

#### AFFIDAVIT OF PETER GORDON

(Sworn October 10, 2025)

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# **TAB 3**

Court File No.: CV-25-00004184-0000

#### ONTARIO SUPERIOR COURT OF JUSTICE IN BANKRUPTCY AND INSOLVENCY

THE HONOURABLE	)	TUESDAY, THE 2ND
	)	
JUSTICE	)	DAY OF JUNE, 2026

#### **ROYAL BANK OF CANADA**

**Applicant** 

- and -

#### 1626177 ONTARIO LIMITED

Respondent

### ORDER (appointing Receiver)

**THIS APPLICATION** made by Royal Bank of Canada (the "**Applicant**") for an Order pursuant to section 243(1) of the *Bankruptcy and Insolvency Act*, R.S.C. 1985, c. B-3, as amended (the "**BIA**") and section 101 of the *Courts of Justice Act*, R.S.O. 1990, c. C.43, as amended (the "**CJA**") appointing msi Spergel inc. ("**Spergel**") as receiver and manager (in such capacities the "**Receiver**") without security, of all of the assets, undertakings and properties of 1626177 Ontario Limited (the "**Debtor**") acquired for, or used in relation to a business carried on by the Debtor, was heard this day by judicial videoconference via Zoom.

**ON READING** the affidavit of Peter Gordon sworn October 10, 2025 and the Exhibits thereto and on hearing the submissions of counsel for the Applicant and the other parties listed on the Counsel Slip, no one else on the service list appearing although duly served as appears from the affidavit of service of Namya Tandon sworn November 4, 2025 and on reading the consent of Spergel to act as the Receiver,

#### **APPOINTMENT**

1. **THIS COURT ORDERS** that pursuant to section 243(1) of the BIA and section 101 of the CJA, Spergel is hereby appointed Receiver, without security, of all of the assets, undertakings and properties of the Debtor acquired for, or used in relation to a business carried on by the Debtor, including all proceeds thereof (the "**Property**").

#### RECEIVER'S POWERS

- 2. **THIS COURT ORDERS** that the Receiver is hereby empowered and authorized, but not obligated, to act at once in respect of the Property and, without in any way limiting the generality of the foregoing, the Receiver is hereby expressly empowered and authorized to do any of the following where the Receiver considers it necessary or desirable:
  - (a) to take possession of and exercise control over the Property and any and all proceeds, receipts and disbursements arising out of or from the Property;
  - (b) to receive, preserve, and protect the Property, or any part or parts thereof, including, but not limited to, the changing of locks and security codes, the relocating of Property to safeguard it, the engaging of independent security personnel, the taking of physical inventories and the placement of such insurance coverage as may be necessary or desirable;
  - (c) to manage, operate, and carry on the business of the Debtor, including the powers to enter into any agreements, incur any obligations in the ordinary course of business, cease to carry on all or any part of the business, or cease to perform any contracts of the Debtor;
  - (d) to engage consultants, appraisers, agents, experts, auditors, accountants, managers, counsel and such other persons from time to time and on whatever basis, including on a temporary basis, to assist with the exercise of the Receiver's powers and duties, including without limitation those conferred by this Order;
  - (e) to purchase or lease such machinery, equipment, inventories, supplies, premises or other assets to continue the business of the Debtor or any part or parts thereof;
  - (f) to receive and collect all monies and accounts now owed or hereafter owing to the Debtor and to exercise all remedies of the Debtor in collecting such monies including, without limitation, to enforce any security held by the Debtor;
  - (g) to settle, extend or compromise any indebtedness owing to the Debtor;

- (h) to execute, assign, issue and endorse documents of whatever nature in respect of any of the Property, whether in the Receiver's name or in the name and on behalf of the Debtor, for any purpose pursuant to this Order;
- (i) to initiate, prosecute and continue the prosecution of any and all proceedings and to defend all proceedings now pending or hereafter instituted with respect to the Debtor, the Property or the Receiver, and to settle or compromise any such proceedings. The authority hereby conveyed shall extend to such appeals or applications for judicial review in respect of any order or judgment pronounced in any such proceeding;
- (j) to market any or all of the Property, including advertising and soliciting offers in respect of the Property or any part or parts thereof and negotiating such terms and conditions of sale as the Receiver in its discretion may deem appropriate;
- (k) to sell, convey, transfer, lease or assign the Property or any part or parts thereof out of the ordinary course of business,
  - (i) without the approval of this Court in respect of any transaction not exceeding \$150,000, provided that the aggregate consideration for all such transactions does not exceed \$200,000; and
  - (ii) with the approval of this Court in respect of any transaction in which the purchase price or the aggregate purchase price exceeds the applicable amount set out in the preceding clause;

and in each such case notice under subsection 63(4) of the Ontario *Personal Property Security Act*, and/or section 31 of the *Ontario Mortgages Act*, as the case may be, shall not be required.

- (l) to apply for any vesting order or other orders necessary to convey the Property or any part or parts thereof to a purchaser or purchasers thereof, free and clear of any liens or encumbrances affecting such Property;
- (m) to report to, meet with and discuss with such affected Persons (as defined below) as the Receiver deems appropriate on all matters relating to the Property and the receivership, and to share information, subject to such terms as to confidentiality as the Receiver deems advisable;

- (n) to register a copy of this Order and any other Orders in respect of the Property against title to any of the Property;
- (o) to apply for any permits, licences, approvals or permissions as may be required by any governmental authority and any renewals thereof for and on behalf of and, if thought desirable by the Receiver, in the name of the Debtor;
- (p) to enter into agreements with any trustee in bankruptcy appointed in respect of the Debtor, including, without limiting the generality of the foregoing, the ability to enter into occupation agreements for any property owned or leased by the Debtor;
- (q) to exercise any shareholder, partnership, joint venture or other rights which the Debtor may have; and
- (r) to take any steps reasonably incidental to the exercise of these powers or the performance of any statutory obligations.

and in each case where the Receiver takes any such actions or steps, it shall be exclusively authorized and empowered to do so, to the exclusion of all other Persons (as defined below), including the Debtor, and without interference from any other Person.

#### DUTY TO PROVIDE ACCESS AND CO-OPERATION TO THE RECEIVER

- 3. **THIS COURT ORDERS** that (i) the Debtor, (ii) all of its current and former directors, officers, employees, agents, accountants, legal counsel and shareholders, and all other persons acting on their instructions or behalf, and (iii) all other individuals, firms, corporations, governmental bodies or agencies, or other entities having notice of this Order (all of the foregoing, collectively, being "**Persons**" and each being a "**Person**") shall forthwith advise the Receiver of the existence of any Property in such Person's possession or control, shall grant immediate and continued access to the Property to the Receiver, and shall deliver all such Property to the Receiver upon the Receiver's request.
- 4. **THIS COURT ORDERS** that all Persons shall forthwith advise the Receiver of the existence of any books, documents, securities, contracts, orders, corporate and accounting records, and any other papers, records and information of any kind related to the business or affairs of the Debtor, and any computer programs, computer tapes, computer disks, or other data storage media containing any such information (the foregoing, collectively, the "**Records**") in that Person's possession or control, and shall provide to the Receiver or permit the Receiver to make, retain and take away copies thereof and grant to

the Receiver unfettered access to and use of accounting, computer, software and physical facilities relating thereto, provided however that nothing in this paragraph 4 or in paragraph 5 of this Order shall require the delivery of Records, or the granting of access to Records, which may not be disclosed or provided to the Receiver due to the privilege attaching to solicitor-client communication or due to statutory provisions prohibiting such disclosure.

- 5. **THIS COURT ORDERS** that if any Records are stored or otherwise contained on a computer or other electronic system of information storage, whether by independent service provider or otherwise, all Persons in possession or control of such Records shall forthwith give unfettered access to the Receiver for the purpose of allowing the Receiver to recover and fully copy all of the information contained therein whether by way of printing the information onto paper or making copies of computer disks or such other manner of retrieving and copying the information as the Receiver in its discretion deems expedient, and shall not alter, erase or destroy any Records without the prior written consent of the Receiver. Further, for the purposes of this paragraph, all Persons shall provide the Receiver with all such assistance in gaining immediate access to the information in the Records as the Receiver may in its discretion require including providing the Receiver with instructions on the use of any computer or other system and providing the Receiver with any and all access codes, account names and account numbers that may be required to gain access to the information.
- 6. **THIS COURT ORDERS** that the Receiver shall provide each of the relevant landlords with notice of the Receiver's intention to remove any fixtures from any leased premises at least seven (7) days prior to the date of the intended removal. The relevant landlord shall be entitled to have a representative present in the leased premises to observe such removal and, if the landlord disputes the Receiver's entitlement to remove any such fixture under the provisions of the lease, such fixture shall remain on the premises and shall be dealt with as agreed between any applicable secured creditors, such landlord and the Receiver, or by further Order of this Court upon application by the Receiver on at least two (2) days' notice to such landlord and any such secured creditors.

#### NO PROCEEDINGS AGAINST THE RECEIVER

7. **THIS COURT ORDERS** that no proceeding or enforcement process in any court or tribunal (each, a "**Proceeding**"), shall be commenced or continued against the Receiver except with the written consent of the Receiver or with leave of this Court.

#### NO PROCEEDINGS AGAINST THE DEBTOR OR THE PROPERTY

8. **THIS COURT ORDERS** that no Proceeding against or in respect of the Debtor or the Property, shall be commenced or continued except with the written consent of the Receiver or with leave of this Court and any and all Proceedings currently under way against or in respect of the Debtor or the Property, are hereby stayed and suspended pending further Order of this Court.

#### NO EXERCISE OF RIGHTS OR REMEDIES

9. **THIS COURT ORDERS** that all rights and remedies against the Debtor, the Receiver, or affecting the Property, are hereby stayed and suspended except with the written consent of the Receiver or leave of this Court, provided however that this stay and suspension does not apply in respect of any "eligible financial contract" as defined in the BIA, and further provided that nothing in this paragraph shall (i) empower the Receiver or the Debtor to carry on any business which the Debtor is not lawfully entitled to carry on, (ii) exempt the Receiver or the Debtor from compliance with statutory or regulatory provisions relating to health, safety or the environment, (iii) prevent the filing of any registration to preserve or perfect a security interest, or (iv) prevent the registration of a claim for lien.

#### NO INTERFERENCE WITH THE RECEIVER

10. **THIS COURT ORDERS** that no Person shall discontinue, fail to honour, alter, interfere with, repudiate, terminate or cease to perform any right, renewal right, contract, agreement, licence or permit in favour of or held by the Debtor, without written consent of the Receiver or leave of this Court.

#### **CONTINUATION OF SERVICES**

11. **THIS COURT ORDERS** that all Persons having oral or written agreements with the Debtor or statutory or regulatory mandates for the supply of goods and/or services, including without limitation, all computer software, communication and other data services, centralized banking services, payroll services, insurance, transportation services, utility or other services to the Debtor are hereby restrained until further Order of this Court from discontinuing, altering, interfering with or terminating the supply of such goods or services as may be required by the Receiver, and that the Receiver shall be entitled to the continued use of the Debtor's current telephone numbers, facsimile numbers, internet addresses and domain names, provided in each case that the normal prices or charges for all such goods or services received after the date of this Order are paid by the Receiver in accordance with normal payment practices of the Debtor or such other practices as may be agreed upon by the supplier or service provider and the Receiver, or as may be ordered by this Court.

#### RECEIVER TO HOLD FUNDS

12. **THIS COURT ORDERS** that all funds, monies, cheques, instruments, and other forms of payments received or collected by the Receiver from and after the making of this Order from any source whatsoever, including without limitation the sale of all or any of the Property and the collection of any accounts receivable in whole or in part, whether in existence on the date of this Order or hereafter coming into existence, shall be deposited into one or more new accounts to be opened by the Receiver (the "**Post Receivership Accounts**") and the monies standing to the credit of such Post Receivership Accounts from time to time, net of any disbursements provided for herein, shall be held by the Receiver to be paid in accordance with the terms of this Order or any further Order of this Court.

#### **EMPLOYEES**

13. **THIS COURT ORDERS** that all employees of the Debtor shall remain the employees of the Debtor until such time as the Receiver, on the Debtor's behalf, may terminate the employment of such employees. The Receiver shall not be liable for any employee-related liabilities, including any successor employer liabilities as provided for in section 14.06(1.2) of the BIA, other than such amounts as the Receiver may specifically agree in writing to pay, or in respect of its obligations under sections 81.4(5) or 81.6(3) of the BIA or under the *Wage Earner Protection Program Act*.

#### **PIPEDA**

14. **THIS COURT ORDERS** that, pursuant to clause 7(3)(c) of the Canada *Personal Information Protection and Electronic Documents Act*, the Receiver shall disclose personal information of identifiable individuals to prospective purchasers or bidders for the Property and to their advisors, but only to the extent desirable or required to negotiate and attempt to complete one or more sales of the Property (each, a "Sale"). Each prospective purchaser or bidder to whom such personal information is disclosed shall maintain and protect the privacy of such information and limit the use of such information to its evaluation of the Sale, and if it does not complete a Sale, shall return all such information to the Receiver, or in the alternative destroy all such information. The purchaser of any Property shall be entitled to continue to use the personal information provided to it, and related to the Property purchased, in a manner which is in all material respects identical to the prior use of such information by the Debtor, and shall return all other personal information to the Receiver, or ensure that all other personal information is destroyed.

#### LIMITATION ON ENVIRONMENTAL LIABILITIES

THIS COURT ORDERS that nothing herein contained shall require the Receiver to occupy or to take control, care, charge, possession or management (separately and/or collectively, "Possession") of any of the Property that might be environmentally contaminated, might be a pollutant or a contaminant, or might cause or contribute to a spill, discharge, release or deposit of a substance contrary to any federal, provincial or other law respecting the protection, conservation, enhancement, remediation or rehabilitation of the environment or relating to the disposal of waste or other contamination including, without limitation, the *Canadian Environmental Protection Act*, the Ontario *Environmental Protection Act*, the *Ontario Water Resources Act*, or the Ontario *Occupational Health and Safety Act* and regulations thereunder (the "Environmental Legislation"), provided however that nothing herein shall exempt the Receiver from any duty to report or make disclosure imposed by applicable Environmental Legislation. The Receiver shall not, as a result of this Order or anything done in pursuance of the Receiver's duties and powers under this Order, be deemed to be in Possession of any of the Property within the meaning of any Environmental Legislation, unless it is actually in possession.

#### LIMITATION ON THE RECEIVER'S LIABILITY

16. **THIS COURT ORDERS** that the Receiver shall incur no liability or obligation as a result of its appointment or the carrying out the provisions of this Order, save and except for any gross negligence or wilful misconduct on its part, or in respect of its obligations under sections 81.4(5) or 81.6(3) of the BIA or under the *Wage Earner Protection Program Act*. Nothing in this Order shall derogate from the protections afforded the Receiver by section 14.06 of the BIA or by any other applicable legislation.

#### RECEIVER'S ACCOUNTS

- THIS COURT ORDERS that the Receiver and counsel to the Receiver shall be paid their reasonable fees and disbursements, in each case at their standard rates and charges unless otherwise ordered by the Court on the passing of its accounts, and that the Receiver and counsel to the Receiver shall be entitled to and are hereby granted a charge (the "Receiver's Charge") on the Property, as security for such fees and disbursements, both before and after the making of this Order in respect of these proceedings, and that the Receiver's Charge shall form a first charge on the Property in priority to all security interests, trusts, liens, charges and encumbrances, statutory or otherwise, in favour of any Person, but subject to sections 14.06(7), 81.4(4), and 81.6(2) of the BIA.
- 18. **THIS COURT ORDERS** that the Receiver and its legal counsel shall pass its accounts from time to time, and for this purpose the accounts of the Receiver and its legal counsel are hereby referred to a judge of the Commercial List of the Ontario Superior Court of Justice.

19. **THIS COURT ORDERS** that prior to the passing of its accounts, the Receiver shall be at liberty from time to time to apply reasonable amounts, out of the monies in its hands, against its fees and disbursements, including legal fees and disbursements, incurred at the standard rates and charges of the Receiver or its counsel, and such amounts shall constitute advances against its remuneration and disbursements when and as approved by this Court.

#### FUNDING OF THE RECEIVERSHIP

- THIS COURT ORDERS that the Receiver be at liberty and it is hereby empowered to borrow by way of a revolving credit or otherwise, such monies from time to time as it may consider necessary or desirable, provided that the outstanding principal amount does not exceed \$250,000 (or such greater amount as this Court may by further Order authorize) at any time, at such rate or rates of interest as it deems advisable for such period or periods of time as it may arrange, for the purpose of funding the exercise of the powers and duties conferred upon the Receiver by this Order, including interim expenditures. The whole of the Property shall be and is hereby charged by way of a fixed and specific charge (the "Receiver's Borrowings Charge") as security for the payment of the monies borrowed, together with interest and charges thereon, in priority to all security interests, trusts, liens, charges and encumbrances, statutory or otherwise, in favour of any Person, but subordinate in priority to the Receiver's Charge and the charges as set out in sections 14.06(7), 81.4(4), and 81.6(2) of the BIA.
- 21. **THIS COURT ORDERS** that neither the Receiver's Borrowings Charge nor any other security granted by the Receiver in connection with its borrowings under this Order shall be enforced without leave of this Court.
- 22. **THIS COURT ORDERS** that the Receiver is at liberty and authorized to issue certificates substantially in the form annexed as Schedule A hereto (the "**Receiver's Certificates**") for any amount borrowed by it pursuant to this Order.
- 23. **THIS COURT ORDERS** that the monies from time to time borrowed by the Receiver pursuant to this Order or any further order of this Court and any and all Receiver's Certificates evidencing the same or any part thereof shall rank on a *pari passu* basis, unless otherwise agreed to by the holders of any prior issued Receiver's Certificates.

#### SERVICE AND NOTICE

- 24. **THIS COURT ORDERS** that the E-Service Protocol of the Commercial List (the "**Protocol**") is approved and adopted by reference herein and, in this proceeding, the service of documents made in accordance with the Protocol (which can be found on the Commercial List website at <a href="http://www.ontariocourts.ca/scj/practice/practice-directions/toronto/eservice-commercial/">http://www.ontariocourts.ca/scj/practice/practice-directions/toronto/eservice-commercial/</a>) shall be valid and effective service. Subject to Rule 17.05 this Order shall constitute an order for substituted service pursuant to Rule 16.04 of the Rules of Civil Procedure. Subject to Rule 3.01(d) of the Rules of Civil Procedure and paragraph 21 of the Protocol, service of documents in accordance with the Protocol will be effective on transmission. This Court further orders that a Case Website shall be established in accordance with the Protocol with the following URL: <a href="https://www.spergelcorporate.ca/engagements/">https://www.spergelcorporate.ca/engagements/</a>.
- 25. **THIS COURT ORDERS** that if the service or distribution of documents in accordance with the Protocol is not practicable, the Receiver is at liberty to serve or distribute this Order, any other materials and orders in these proceedings, any notices or other correspondence, by forwarding true copies thereof by prepaid ordinary mail, courier, personal delivery or facsimile transmission to the Debtor's creditors or other interested parties at their respective addresses as last shown on the records of the Debtor and that any such service or distribution by courier, personal delivery or facsimile transmission shall be deemed to be received on the next business day following the date of forwarding thereof, or if sent by ordinary mail, on the third business day after mailing.

#### **GENERAL**

- 26. **THIS COURT ORDERS** that the Receiver may from time to time apply to this Court for advice and directions in the discharge of its powers and duties hereunder.
- 27. **THIS COURT ORDERS** that nothing in this Order shall prevent the Receiver from acting as a trustee in bankruptcy of the Debtor.
- 28. **THIS COURT HEREBY REQUESTS** the aid and recognition of any court, tribunal, regulatory or administrative body having jurisdiction in Canada to give effect to this Order and to assist the Receiver and its agents in carrying out the terms of this Order. All courts, tribunals, regulatory and administrative bodies are hereby respectfully requested to make such orders and to provide such assistance to the Receiver, as an officer of this Court, as may be necessary or desirable to give effect to this Order or to assist the Receiver and its agents in carrying out the terms of this Order.
- 29. **THIS COURT ORDERS** that the Receiver be at liberty and is hereby authorized and empowered to apply to any court, tribunal, regulatory or administrative body, wherever located, for the

recognition of this Order and for assistance in carrying out the terms of this Order, and that the Receiver is authorized and empowered to act as a representative in respect of the within proceedings for the purpose of having these proceedings recognized in a jurisdiction outside Canada.

- 30. **THIS COURT ORDERS** that the Applicant shall have its costs of this application, up to and including entry and service of this Order, provided for by the terms of the Applicant's security or, if not so provided by the Applicant's security, then on a substantial indemnity basis to be paid by the Receiver from the Debtor's estate with such priority and at such time as this Court may determine.
- 31. **THIS COURT ORDERS** that any interested party may apply to this Court to vary or amend this Order on not less than seven (7) days' notice to the Receiver and to any other party likely to be affected by the order sought or upon such other notice, if any, as this Court may order.
- 32. **THIS COURT ORDERS** that, notwithstanding Rule 59.05, this order is effective from the date it is made, and it is enforceable without any need for entry and filing. In accordance with Rules 77.07(6) and 1.04, no formal order need be entered and filed unless an appeal or application for leave to appeal is brought to an appellate court.

## SCHEDULE A RECEIVER CERTIFICATE

CERTIFICATE NO
AMOUNT \$
1. THIS IS TO CERTIFY that msi Spergel inc., the receiver (the "Receiver") of the assets
undertakings and properties of 1626177 Ontario Limited (the "Debtor") acquired for, or used in relation to
a business carried on by the Debtor, including all proceeds thereof (collectively, the "Property") appointed
by Order of the Ontario Superior Court of Justice (the "Court") dated the 2 <sup>nd</sup> day of June, 2026 (the
"Order") made in an action having Court file number CV-25-00004184-0000, has received as such
Receiver from the holder of this certificate (the "Lender") the principal sum of \$, being
part of the total principal sum of \$ which the Receiver is authorized to borrow unde
and pursuant to the Order.
2. The principal sum evidenced by this certificate is payable on demand by the Lender with interes
thereon calculated and compounded [daily] [monthly not in advance on the day of each month] after
the date hereof at a notional rate per annum equal to the rate of per cent above the prime
commercial lending rate of Bank of from time to time.
3. Such principal sum with interest thereon is, by the terms of the Order, together with the principal
sums and interest thereon of all other certificates issued by the Receiver pursuant to the Order or to any
further order of the Court, a charge upon the whole of the Property, in priority to the security interests o
any other person, but subject to the priority of the charges set out in the Order and in the Bankruptcy and
Insolvency Act, and the right of the Receiver to indemnify itself out of such Property in respect of its
remuneration and expenses.
4. All sums payable in respect of principal and interest under this certificate are payable at the main
office of the Lender at Toronto, Ontario.

6. The charge securing this certificate shall operate so as to permit the Receiver to deal with the Property as authorized by the Order and as authorized by any further or other order of the Court.

ranking or purporting to rank in priority to this certificate shall be issued by the Receiver to any person

other than the holder of this certificate without the prior written consent of the holder of this certificate.

Until all liability in respect of this certificate has been terminated, no certificates creating charges

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7. The Receiver does not undertake, and it is not under any personal liability, to pay any sum in respect of which it may issue certificates under the terms of the Order.			
DATED the day of, 2	msi Spergel inc. solely in its capacity as Receiver and Manager of the Property and not in its personal capacity		
	Per: Name: Title:		

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**ROYAL BANK OF CANADA** 

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#### RECEIVERSHIP ORDER

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# **TAB 4**

## Revised: January 21, 2014 s.243(1) BIA (National Receiver) and s. 101 CJA (Ontario) Receiver

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## ONTARIO SUPERIOR COURT OF JUSTICE IN BANKRUPTCY AND INSOLVENCY

#### **COMMERCIAL LIST**

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#### PLAINTIFF<sup>1</sup>

#### **ROYAL BANK OF CANADA**

**Plaintiff** Applicant

- and -

#### 1626177 ONTARIO LIMITED

**DEFENDANT**Respondent

**Defendant** 

## ORDER (appointing Receiver)

THIS MOTION made by the Plaintiff<sup>2</sup> APPLICATION made by Royal Bank of Canada (the "Applicant") for an Order pursuant to section 243(1) of the *Bankruptcy and Insolvency Act*, R.S.C. 1985, c. B-3, as amended (the "BIA") and section 101 of the *Courts of Justice Act*, R.S.O. 1990, c. C.43, as

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> The Model Order Subcommittee notes that a receivership proceeding may be commenced by action or by application. This model order is drafted on the basis that the receivership proceeding is commenced by way of an action.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> Section 243(1) of the BIA provides that the Court may appoint a receiver "on application by a secured creditor".

amended (the "CJA") appointing [RECEIVER'S NAME] msi Spergel inc. ("Spergel") as receiver [and manager]— (in such capacities,— the "Receiver") without security, of all of the assets, undertakings and properties of [DEBTOR'S NAME] 1626177 Ontario Limited (the "Debtor") acquired for, or used in relation to a business carried on by the Debtor, was heard this day at 330 University Avenue, Toronto, Ontario by judicial videoconference via Zoom.

ON READING the affidavit of [NAME] sworn [DATE]Peter Gordon sworn October 10, 2025 and the Exhibits thereto and on hearing the submissions of counsel for [NAMES], no one appearing for [NAME]the Applicant and the other parties listed on the Counsel Slip, no one else on the service list appearing although duly served as appears from the affidavit of service of [NAME]Namya Tandon sworn [DATE]November 4, 2025 and on reading the consent of [RECEIVER'S NAME]Spergel to act as the Receiver,

#### **SERVICE**

1. THIS COURT ORDERS that the time for service of the Notice of Motion and the Motion is hereby abridged and validated<sup>3</sup>so that this motion is properly returnable today and hereby dispenses with further service thereof.

#### **APPOINTMENT**

2. THIS COURT ORDERS that pursuant to section 243(1) of the BIA and section 101 of the CJA, [RECEIVER'S NAME]Spergel is hereby appointed Receiver, without security, of all of the assets, undertakings and properties of the Debtor acquired for, or used in relation to a business carried on by the Debtor, including all proceeds thereof (the "Property").

#### **RECEIVER'S** POWERS

2. 3. THIS COURT ORDERS that the Receiver is hereby empowered and authorized, but not obligated, to act at once in respect of the Property and, without in any way limiting the generality of the

<sup>3</sup> If service is effected in a manner other than as authorized by the Ontario Rules of Civil Procedure, an order validating irregular service is required pursuant to Rule 16.08 of the Rules of Civil Procedure and may be granted in appropriate

circumstances.

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foregoing, the Receiver is hereby expressly empowered and authorized to do any of the following where the Receiver considers it necessary or desirable:

- to take possession of and exercise control over the Property and any and all proceeds,
   receipts and disbursements arising out of or from the Property;
- (b) to receive, preserve, and protect the Property, or any part or parts thereof, including, but not limited to, the changing of locks and security codes, the relocating of Property to safeguard it, the engaging of independent security personnel, the taking of physical inventories and the placement of such insurance coverage as may be necessary or desirable;
- (c) to manage, operate, and carry on the business of the Debtor, including the powers to enter into any agreements, incur any obligations in the ordinary course of business, cease to carry on all or any part of the business, or cease to perform any contracts of the Debtor;
- (d) to engage consultants, appraisers, agents, experts, auditors, accountants, managers, counsel and such other persons from time to time and on whatever basis, including on a temporary basis, to assist with the exercise of the Receiver's powers and duties, including without limitation those conferred by this Order;
- (e) to purchase or lease such machinery, equipment, inventories, supplies, premises or other assets to continue the business of the Debtor or any part or parts thereof;
- (f) to receive and collect all monies and accounts now owed or hereafter owing to the Debtor and to exercise all remedies of the Debtor in collecting such monies, including, without limitation, to enforce any security held by the Debtor;
- (g) to settle, extend or compromise any indebtedness owing to the Debtor;
- (h) to execute, assign, issue and endorse documents of whatever nature in respect of any of the Property, whether in the Receiver's name or in the name and on behalf of the Debtor, for any purpose pursuant to this Order;
- (i) to initiate, prosecute and continue the prosecution of any and all proceedings and to defend all proceedings now pending or hereafter instituted with respect to the Debtor, the Property

or the Receiver, and to settle or compromise any such proceedings.<sup>4</sup> The authority hereby conveyed shall extend to such appeals or applications for judicial review in respect of any order or judgment pronounced in any such proceeding;

- (j) to market any or all of the Property, including advertising and soliciting offers in respect of the Property or any part or parts thereof and negotiating such terms and conditions of sale as the Receiver in its discretion may deem appropriate;
- (k) to sell, convey, transfer, lease or assign the Property or any part or parts thereof out of the ordinary course of business,
  - (i) without the approval of this Court in respect of any transaction not exceeding \$\_\_\_\_\_150,000, provided that the aggregate consideration for all such transactions does not exceed \$\_\_\_\_\_200,000; and
  - (ii) with the approval of this Court in respect of any transaction in which the purchase price or the aggregate purchase price exceeds the applicable amount set out in the preceding clause;

and in each such case notice under subsection 63(4) of the Ontario *Personal Property* Security Act, {and/or section 31 of the Ontario Mortgages Act, as the case may be,]<sup>5</sup> shall not be required, and in each case the Ontario Bulk Sales Act shall not apply.

- (l) to apply for any vesting order or other orders necessary to convey the Property or any part or parts thereof to a purchaser or purchasers thereof, free and clear of any liens or encumbrances affecting such Property;
- (m) to report to, meet with and discuss with such affected Persons (as defined below) as the Receiver deems appropriate on all matters relating to the Property and the receivership,

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>4</sup> This model order does not include specific authority permitting the Receiver to either file an assignment in bankruptcy on behalf of the Debtor, or to consent to the making of a bankruptcy order against the Debtor. A bankruptcy may have the effect of altering the priorities among creditors, and therefore the specific authority of the Court should be sought if the Receiver wishes to take one of these steps.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>5</sup> If the Receiver will be dealing with assets in other provinces, consider adding references to applicable statutes in other provinces. If this is done, those statutes must be reviewed to ensure that the Receiver is exempt from or can be exempted from such notice periods, and further that the Ontario Court has the jurisdiction to grant such an exemption.

and to share information, subject to such terms as to confidentiality as the Receiver deems advisable;

- (n) to register a copy of this Order and any other Orders in respect of the Property against title to any of the Property;
- (o) to apply for any permits, licences, approvals or permissions as may be required by any governmental authority and any renewals thereof for and on behalf of and, if thought desirable by the Receiver, in the name of the Debtor;
- (p) to enter into agreements with any trustee in bankruptcy appointed in respect of the Debtor, including, without limiting the generality of the foregoing, the ability to enter into occupation agreements for any property owned or leased by the Debtor;
- (q) to exercise any shareholder, partnership, joint venture or other rights which the Debtor may have: and
- (r) to take any steps reasonably incidental to the exercise of these powers or the performance of any statutory obligations.

and in each case where the Receiver takes any such actions or steps, it shall be exclusively authorized and empowered to do so, to the exclusion of all other Persons (as defined below), including the Debtor, and without interference from any other Person.

#### DUTY TO PROVIDE ACCESS AND CO-OPERATION TO THE RECEIVER

- 4. THIS COURT ORDERS that (i) the Debtor, (ii) all of its current and former directors, officers, employees, agents, accountants, legal counsel and shareholders, and all other persons acting on itstheir instructions or behalf, and (iii) all other individuals, firms, corporations, governmental bodies or agencies, or other entities having notice of this Order (all of the foregoing, collectively, being "Persons" and each being a "Person") shall forthwith advise the Receiver of the existence of any Property in such Person's possession or control, shall grant immediate and continued access to the Property to the Receiver, and shall deliver all such Property to the Receiver upon the Receiver's request.
- 4. 5.-THIS COURT ORDERS that all Persons shall forthwith advise the Receiver of the existence of any books, documents, securities, contracts, orders, corporate and accounting records, and any other papers, records and information of any kind related to the business or affairs of the Debtor, and any

computer programs, computer tapes, computer disks, or other data storage media containing any such information (the foregoing, collectively, the "**Records**") in that Person's possession or control, and shall provide to the Receiver or permit the Receiver to make, retain and take away copies thereof and grant to the Receiver unfettered access to and use of accounting, computer, software and physical facilities relating thereto, provided however that nothing in this paragraph 54 or in paragraph 65 of this Order shall require the delivery of Records, or the granting of access to Records, which may not be disclosed or provided to the Receiver due to the privilege attaching to solicitor-client communication or due to statutory provisions prohibiting such disclosure.

- 5. 6.-THIS COURT ORDERS that if any Records are stored or otherwise contained on a computer or other electronic system of information storage, whether by independent service provider or otherwise, all Persons in possession or control of such Records shall forthwith give unfettered access to the Receiver for the purpose of allowing the Receiver to recover and fully copy all of the information contained therein whether by way of printing the information onto paper or making copies of computer disks or such other manner of retrieving and copying the information as the Receiver in its discretion deems expedient, and shall not alter, erase or destroy any Records without the prior written consent of the Receiver. Further, for the purposes of this paragraph, all Persons shall provide the Receiver with all such assistance in gaining immediate access to the information in the Records as the Receiver may in its discretion require including providing the Receiver with instructions on the use of any computer or other system and providing the Receiver with any and all access codes, account names and account numbers that may be required to gain access to the information.
- 7. THIS COURT ORDERS that the Receiver shall provide each of the relevant landlords with notice of the Receiver's Receiver's intention to remove any fixtures from any leased premises at least seven (7) days prior to the date of the intended removal. The relevant landlord shall be entitled to have a representative present in the leased premises to observe such removal and, if the landlord disputes the Receiver's Receiver's entitlement to remove any such fixture under the provisions of the lease, such fixture shall remain on the premises and shall be dealt with as agreed between any applicable secured creditors, such landlord and the Receiver, or by further Order of this Court upon application by the Receiver on at least two (2) days' notice to such landlord and any such secured creditors.

#### NO PROCEEDINGS AGAINST THE RECEIVER

**2. 8. THIS COURT ORDERS** that no proceeding or enforcement process in any court or tribunal (each, a "**Proceeding**"), shall be commenced or continued against the Receiver except with the written consent of the Receiver or with leave of this Court.

#### NO PROCEEDINGS AGAINST THE DEBTOR OR THE PROPERTY

9. THIS COURT ORDERS that no Proceeding against or in respect of the Debtor or the Property, shall be commenced or continued except with the written consent of the Receiver or with leave of this Court and any and all Proceedings currently under way against or in respect of the Debtor or the Property, are hereby stayed and suspended pending further Order of this Court.

#### NO EXERCISE OF RIGHTS OR REMEDIES

10. THIS COURT ORDERS that all rights and remedies against the Debtor, the Receiver, or affecting the Property, are hereby stayed and suspended except with the written consent of the Receiver or leave of this Court, provided however that this stay and suspension does not apply in respect of any "eligible financial contract" as defined in the BIA, and further provided that nothing in this paragraph shall (i) empower the Receiver or the Debtor to carry on any business which the Debtor is not lawfully entitled to carry on, (ii) exempt the Receiver or the Debtor from compliance with statutory or regulatory provisions relating to health, safety or the environment, (iii) prevent the filing of any registration to preserve or perfect a security interest, or (iv) prevent the registration of a claim for lien.

#### NO INTERFERENCE WITH THE RECEIVER

10. 11. THIS COURT ORDERS that no Person shall discontinue, fail to honour, alter, interfere with, repudiate, terminate or cease to perform any right, renewal right, contract, agreement, licence or permit in favour of or held by the Debtor, without written consent of the Receiver or leave of this Court.

#### **CONTINUATION OF SERVICES**

11. 12. THIS COURT ORDERS that all Persons having oral or written agreements with the Debtor or statutory or regulatory mandates for the supply of goods and/or services, including without limitation, all computer software, communication and other data services, centralized banking services, payroll services, insurance, transportation services, utility or other services to the Debtor are hereby restrained until further Order of this Court from discontinuing, altering, interfering with or terminating the supply of such goods or services as may be required by the Receiver, and that the Receiver shall be entitled

to the continued use of the <u>Debtor's Debtor's</u> current telephone numbers, facsimile numbers, internet addresses and domain names, provided in each case that the normal prices or charges for all such goods or services received after the date of this Order are paid by the Receiver in accordance with normal payment practices of the Debtor or such other practices as may be agreed upon by the supplier or service provider and the Receiver, or as may be ordered by this Court.

#### RECEIVER TO HOLD FUNDS

12. 13. THIS COURT ORDERS that all funds, monies, cheques, instruments, and other forms of payments received or collected by the Receiver from and after the making of this Order from any source whatsoever, including without limitation the sale of all or any of the Property and the collection of any accounts receivable in whole or in part, whether in existence on the date of this Order or hereafter coming into existence, shall be deposited into one or more new accounts to be opened by the Receiver (the "Post Receivership Accounts") and the monies standing to the credit of such Post Receivership Accounts from time to time, net of any disbursements provided for herein, shall be held by the Receiver to be paid in accordance with the terms of this Order or any further Order of this Court.

#### **EMPLOYEES**

13. 14. THIS COURT ORDERS that all employees of the Debtor shall remain the employees of the Debtor until such time as the Receiver, on the Debtor's Debtor's behalf, may terminate the employment of such employees. The Receiver shall not be liable for any employee-related liabilities, including any successor employer liabilities as provided for in section 14.06(1.2) of the BIA, other than such amounts as the Receiver may specifically agree in writing to pay, or in respect of its obligations under sections 81.4(5) or 81.6(3) of the BIA or under the Wage Earner Protection Program Act.

#### **PIPEDA**

14. 15. THIS COURT ORDERS that, pursuant to clause 7(3)(c) of the Canada *Personal Information Protection and Electronic Documents Act*, the Receiver shall disclose personal information of identifiable individuals to prospective purchasers or bidders for the Property and to their advisors, but only to the extent desirable or required to negotiate and attempt to complete one or more sales of the Property (each, a "Sale"). Each prospective purchaser or bidder to whom such personal information is disclosed shall maintain and protect the privacy of such information and limit the use of such information to its evaluation of the Sale, and if it does not complete a Sale, shall return all such

Information to the Receiver, or in the alternative destroy all such information. The purchaser of any Property shall be entitled to continue to use the personal information provided to it, and related to the Property purchased, in a manner which is in all material respects identical to the prior use of such information by the Debtor, and shall return all other personal information to the Receiver, or ensure that all other personal information is destroyed.

#### LIMITATION ON ENVIRONMENTAL LIABILITIES

16. THIS COURT ORDERS that nothing herein contained shall require the Receiver to occupy or to take control, care, charge, possession or management (separately and/or collectively, "Possession") of any of the Property that might be environmentally contaminated, might be a pollutant or a contaminant, or might cause or contribute to a spill, discharge, release or deposit of a substance contrary to any federal, provincial or other law respecting the protection, conservation, enhancement, remediation or rehabilitation of the environment or relating to the disposal of waste or other contamination including, without limitation, the *Canadian Environmental Protection Act*, the Ontario *Environmental Protection Act*, the *Ontario Water Resources Act*, or the Ontario *Occupational Health and Safety Act* and regulations thereunder (the "Environmental Legislation"), provided however that nothing herein shall exempt the Receiver from any duty to report or make disclosure imposed by applicable Environmental Legislation. The Receiver shall not, as a result of this Order or anything done in pursuance of the Receiver's duties and powers under this Order, be deemed to be in Possession of any of the Property within the meaning of any Environmental Legislation, unless it is actually in possession.

#### LIMITATION ON THE RECEIVER'S RECEIVER'S LIABILITY

17. THIS COURT ORDERS that the Receiver shall incur no liability or obligation as a result of its appointment or the carrying out the provisions of this Order, save and except for any gross negligence or wilful misconduct on its part, or in respect of its obligations under sections 81.4(5) or 81.6(3) of the BIA or under the *Wage Earner Protection Program Act*. Nothing in this Order shall derogate from the protections afforded the Receiver by section 14.06 of the BIA or by any other applicable legislation.

#### RECEIVER'S ACCOUNTS

17. 18. THIS COURT ORDERS that the Receiver and counsel to the Receiver shall be paid their reasonable fees and disbursements, in each case at their standard rates and charges unless otherwise ordered by the Court on the passing of its accounts, and that the Receiver and counsel to the Receiver shall be entitled to and are hereby granted a charge (the "Receiver's Charge") on the Property, as security for

such fees and disbursements, both before and after the making of this Order in respect of these proceedings, and that the Receiver's Charge shall form a first charge on the Property in priority to all security interests, trusts, liens, charges and encumbrances, statutory or otherwise, in favour of any Person, but subject to sections 14.06(7), 81.4(4), and 81.6(2) of the BIA.<sup>6</sup>

18. 19. THIS COURT ORDERS that the Receiver and its legal counsel shall pass its accounts from time to time, and for this purpose the accounts of the Receiver and its legal counsel are hereby referred to a judge of the Commercial List of the Ontario Superior Court of Justice.

20. THIS COURT ORDERS that prior to the passing of its accounts, the Receiver shall be at liberty from time to time to apply reasonable amounts, out of the monies in its hands, against its fees and disbursements, including legal fees and disbursements, incurred at the standard rates and charges of the Receiver or its counsel, and such amounts shall constitute advances against its remuneration and disbursements when and as approved by this Court.

#### FUNDING OF THE RECEIVERSHIP

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<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>6</sup> Note that subsection 243(6) of the BIA provides that the Court may not make such an order "unless it is satisfied that the secured creditors who would be materially affected by the order were given reasonable notice and an opportunity to make representations".

- 21. 22. THIS COURT ORDERS that neither the Receiver's Borrowings Charge nor any other security granted by the Receiver in connection with its borrowings under this Order shall be enforced without leave of this Court.
- 22. 23. THIS COURT ORDERS that the Receiver is at liberty and authorized to issue certificates substantially in the form annexed as Schedule "A" hereto (the "Receiver's Receiver's Certificates") for any amount borrowed by it pursuant to this Order.
- 24. THIS COURT ORDERS that the monies from time to time borrowed by the Receiver pursuant to this Order or any further order of this Court and any and all Receiver's Receiver's Certificates evidencing the same or any part thereof shall rank on a *pari passu* basis, unless otherwise agreed to by the holders of any prior issued Receiver's Certificates.

#### SERVICE AND NOTICE

- 25. THIS COURT ORDERS that the E-Service Protocol of the Commercial List (the "Protocol") is approved and adopted by reference herein and, in this proceeding, the service of documents made in accordance with the Protocol (which can be found on the Commercial List website at <a href="http://www.ontariocourts.ca/scj/practice/practice-directions/toronto/e-service-protocol/http://www.ontariocourts.ca/scj/practice/practice-directions/toronto/e-service-commercial/">http://www.ontariocourts.ca/scj/practice/practice-directions/toronto/e-service-commercial/</a>) shall be valid and effective service. Subject to Rule 17.05 this Order shall constitute an order for substituted service pursuant to Rule 16.04 of the Rules of Civil Procedure. Subject to Rule 3.01(d) of the Rules of Civil Procedure and paragraph 21 of the Protocol, service of documents in accordance with the Protocol will be effective on transmission. This Court further orders that a Case Website shall be established in accordance with the Protocol with the following URL <a href="https://www.spergelcorporate.ca/engagements/">https://www.spergelcorporate.ca/engagements/</a>.
- 26. THIS COURT ORDERS that if the service or distribution of documents in accordance with the Protocol is not practicable, the Receiver is at liberty to serve or distribute this Order, any other materials and orders in these proceedings, any notices or other correspondence, by forwarding true copies thereof by prepaid ordinary mail, courier, personal delivery or facsimile transmission to the Debtor's Debtor's creditors or other interested parties at their respective addresses as last shown on the records of the Debtor and that any such service or distribution by courier, personal delivery or facsimile transmission shall be deemed to be received on the next business day following the date of forwarding thereof, or if sent by ordinary mail, on the third business day after mailing.

#### **GENERAL**

- 26. 27. THIS COURT ORDERS that the Receiver may from time to time apply to this Court for advice and directions in the discharge of its powers and duties hereunder.
- 27. 28. **THIS COURT ORDERS** that nothing in this Order shall prevent the Receiver from acting as a trustee in bankruptcy of the Debtor.
- 29. THIS COURT HEREBY REQUESTS the aid and recognition of any court, tribunal, regulatory or administrative body having jurisdiction in Canada or in the United States to give effect to this Order and to assist the Receiver and its agents in carrying out the terms of this Order. All courts, tribunals, regulatory and administrative bodies are hereby respectfully requested to make such orders and to provide such assistance to the Receiver, as an officer of this Court, as may be necessary or desirable to give effect to this Order or to assist the Receiver and its agents in carrying out the terms of this Order.
- 29. 30. THIS COURT ORDERS that the Receiver be at liberty and is hereby authorized and empowered to apply to any court, tribunal, regulatory or administrative body, wherever located, for the recognition of this Order and for assistance in carrying out the terms of this Order, and that the Receiver is authorized and empowered to act as a representative in respect of the within proceedings for the purpose of having these proceedings recognized in a jurisdiction outside Canada.
- 31. THIS COURT ORDERS that the Plaintiff Applicant shall have its costs of this motion application, up to and including entry and service of this Order, provided for by the terms of the Plaintiff's Applicant's security or, if not so provided by the Plaintiff's Applicant's security, then on a substantial indemnity basis to be paid by the Receiver from the Debtor's Debtor's estate with such priority and at such time as this Court may determine.
- 31. 32. THIS COURT ORDERS that any interested party may apply to this Court to vary or amend this Order on not less than seven (7) days' notice to the Receiver and to any other party likely to be affected by the order sought or upon such other notice, if any, as this Court may order.
- 32. THIS COURT ORDERS that, notwithstanding Rule 59.05, this order is effective from the date it is made, and it is enforceable without any need for entry and filing. In accordance with Rules 77.07(6) and 1.04, no formal order need be entered and filed unless an appeal or application for leave to appeal is brought to an appellate court.

#### SCHEDULE "A"

### SCHEDULE A RECEIVER CERTIFICATE

CERTIFICATE NO. =		
AMOUNT \$		

- 1. THIS IS TO CERTIFY that **RECEIVER'S NAME** msi Spergel inc., the receiver (the "Receiver") of the assets, undertakings and properties [DEBTOR'S NAME] of 1626177 Ontario Limited (the "Debtor") acquired for, or used in relation to a business carried on by the Debtor, including all proceeds thereof (collectively, the "Property") appointed by Order of the Ontario Superior Court of Justice (Commercial List) (the "Court") dated the —2<sup>nd</sup> day of —June, 20—2026 (the "Order") made in an action having Court file number — CV-25-00004184-0000, has received as such Receiver from the holder of this certificate (the "Lender") the principal sum of being the total principal of part sum —\_\_\_\_\_ which the Receiver is authorized to borrow under and pursuant to the Order.
- 2. The principal sum evidenced by this certificate is payable on demand by the Lender with interest thereon calculated and compounded [daily] [monthly not in advance on the \_\_\_\_\_\_\_ day of each month] after the date hereof at a notional rate per annum equal to the rate of \_\_\_\_\_\_ per cent above the prime commercial lending rate of Bank of \_\_\_\_\_\_ from time to time.
- 3. Such principal sum with interest thereon is, by the terms of the Order, together with the principal sums and interest thereon of all other certificates issued by the Receiver pursuant to the Order or to any further order of the Court, a charge upon the whole of the Property, in priority to the security interests of any other person, but subject to the priority of the charges set out in the Order and in the *Bankruptcy and Insolvency Act*, and the right of the Receiver to indemnify itself out of such Property in respect of its remuneration and expenses.
- 4. All sums payable in respect of principal and interest under this certificate are payable at the main office of the Lender at Toronto, Ontario.

- 5. Until all liability in respect of this certificate has been terminated, no certificates creating charges ranking or purporting to rank in priority to this certificate shall be issued by the Receiver to any person other than the holder of this certificate without the prior written consent of the holder of this certificate.
- 6. The charge securing this certificate shall operate so as to permit the Receiver to deal with the Property as authorized by the Order and as authorized by any further or other order of the Court.
- 7. The Receiver does not undertake, and it is not under any personal liability, to pay any sum in respect of which it may issue certificates under the terms of the Order.

DATED the day of	, 20_	<del></del>
		[RECEIVER'S NAME],msi Spergel inc. solely in its capacity - as Receiver and Manager of the Property, and not in its personal capacity
		Per
		: Name: <u>Title:</u>
		Title:

Court File No.: CV-25-00004184-0000 **ROYAL BANK OF CANADA** -AND-1626177 ONTARIO LIMITED **Applicant** Respondent APPLICATION UNDER SUBSECTION 243(1) OF THE BANKRUPTCY AND INSOLVENCY ACT, R.S.C., 1985, C. B-3, AS AMENDED, AND SECTION 101 OF THE COURTS OF JUSTICE ACT, R.S.O. 1990, C. C.43, AS AMENDED **ONTARIO** SUPERIOR COURT OF JUSTICE Proceeding commenced at Newmarket **RECEIVERSHIP ORDER GOWLING WLG (CANADA) LLP** Barristers & Solicitors 1 First Canadian Place 100 King Street West, Suite 1600 Toronto ON M5X 1G5 Thomas Gertner (LSO#: 67756S) Tel: 416-369-4618 Email: thomas.gertner@gowlingwlg.com Namva Tandon (LSO#: 93814R) Tel: 416-369-7262 Email: namya.tandon@gowlingwlg.com Lawyers for the Applicant

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