ARTICLE ____ - CONTRACTOR RESPONSIBILITY ORDINANCE

Unless otherwise exempt in accordance with the provisions of the Ordinance, this Contract is subject to the provisions of the Contractor Responsibility Ordinance, Section 10.40 et seq., of the Los Angeles Administrative Code, which requires CONTRACTOR/CONSULTANT to update its responses to the responsibility questionnaire within thirty calendar days after any change to the responses previously provided if such change would affect CONTRACTOR'S/CONSULTANT'S fitness and ability to continue performing the contract. In accordance with the provisions of this Ordinance, by signing this Contract, CONTRACTOR/CONSULTANT pledges, under penalty of perjury, to comply with all applicable federal, state and local laws in the performance of this contract, including but not limited to, laws regarding health and safety, labor and employment, wages and hours, and licensing laws which affect employees. The CONTRACTOR/CONSULTANT further agrees to:

- 1. Notify the awarding authority within thirty calendar days after receiving notification that any government agency has initiated an investigation which may result in a finding that the CONTRACTOR/CONSULTANT is not in compliance with all applicable federal, state and local laws in performance of this contract;
- 2. Notify the awarding authority within thirty calendar days of all findings by a government agency or court of competent jurisdiction that the CONTRACTOR/CONSULTANT has violated the provisions of Section 10.40.3(a) of the Ordinance;
- 3. Ensure that its subcontractor(s), as defined in the Ordinance, submit a Pledge of Compliance to awarding authorities; and
- 4. Ensure that its subcontractor(s), as defined in the Ordinance, comply with the requirements of the Pledge of Compliance and the requirement to notify Awarding Authorities within thirty calendar days after any government agency or court of competent jurisdiction has initiated an investigation or has found that the subcontractor has violated Section 10.40.3(a) of the Ordinance in performance of the subcontract.