HSC-122-19 TFM-058-20
Animal Resource Centre Furniture

ISSUED FOR TENDER

August 5, 2020

All work under this Contract shall be co-ordinated with Department of Facilities Management, Facilities Management Building, Memorial University, through general contractor. Building will be occupied during construction. Schedule work to accommodate building occupants and other trades. Store materials as directed on site and remove debris daily. Corridors and entrances to the building are to be kept clear at all times.

All contract work as outlined in Tender Documents shall be performed in conjunction with other work being performed by University Personnel. Co-operation and Co-ordination is essential and will be a requirement in order to complete all work with-in the specified time frame.

Department of Facilities Management
Facilities Management Building
St. John’s, NL
A1C 5S7
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FACILITIES MANAGEMENT

OPEN CALL FOR BIDS

FOR

HSC-122-19
Animal Resource Center, Furniture

The project generally consists of the supply, delivery & installation of loose & modular furniture items

Request for Open Call Number: TFM-058-20

Issued Date: August 5, 2020

Submission Deadline: Thursday, August 20, 2020 @ 10:00 AM NST
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Electronic copies of plans and specifications are now available at no charge at MERX: [www.merx.com](http://www.merx.com), BIDS: [www.bids.ca](http://www.bids.ca), PODS: [www.pods.net](http://www.pods.net) and [www.mun.ca/procurement](http://www.mun.ca/procurement).

Bid Submission: Responses to this solicitation must be submitted by email, as a single Adobe Acrobat (.pdf) file, to opencalls@mun.ca. Email subject line must read: BID SUBMISSION: Open Call number and name. For example: BID SUBMISSION: TFM-123-20 Renovations to Main Campus.

Inquiries and Communication:

Inquiries and communication: Strategic Procurement Office, Memorial University of Newfoundland, opencalls@mun.ca. Inquiries accepted only via email. No phone calls will be accepted. Please reference open call Title and Open Call # from above, i.e: TFM-058-20 HSC-122-19 Animal Resource Centre, Furniture in subject line. Emails not containing this requirement information in the subject line will NOT receive a response.

*Bids submitted by fax, mail, courier, drop off or by any other means of delivery other than by email stated above shall not be accepted.*
ABOUT MEMORIAL UNIVERSITY

Perched on Canada’s North Atlantic coast, Memorial University of Newfoundland is a destination for discovery. A beacon for the 21st-century explorer, Newfoundland and Labrador’s university is a unique learning community founded as a living memorial to those who lost their lives in the First World War — “that in freedom of learning their cause and sacrifice might not be forgotten.” Today more than 18,000 students from nearly 110 countries come together to discover. From the classics to advanced technology, the university offers certificate, diploma, undergraduate, graduate and postgraduate programs across five campuses, numerous locations and online. A global network of almost 95,000 accomplished alumni throughout the world strengthens Memorial University’s capacity and reputation for leadership in world-class research, teaching and public engagement.
OPEN CALL AND ACCEPTANCE FORM

FOR

STIPULATED PRICE CONTRACT

NOTICE TO BIDDERS:

Memorial University has changed the Open Call and Acceptance Form for Stipulated Price Contracts.

Please ensure full review and full completion of all sections and appendices prior to submission.
Bid For: 

Bid Submission: Responses to this solicitation must be submitted by email, as a single Adobe Acrobat (.pdf) file, to opencalls@mun.ca. Email subject line must read: BID SUBMISSION: Open Call number and name. For example: BID SUBMISSION: TFM-123-20 Renovations to Main Campus

To: Email: opencalls@mun.ca

NOTE: In the event that the University is closed earlier than normally expected prior to a scheduled bid closing for that day or for the full day, the closing date for those Bids will be extended to the next business day for the University at the same time as listed originally.

1. PART 1 – INSTRUCTIONS TO BIDDERS

1.1. Owner: Having carefully examined the site and all conditions affecting the proposed work as well as the Bid Documents including the Drawings and Specifications, all Addenda and the Instructions to Tenderers, I/We, the undersigned, hereby offer to furnish all necessary labour, materials, superintendence, plant, tools, equipment, etc., required to complete all work requisite and necessary for the proper execution of this Contract, expeditiously and in the satisfactory manner and accept in full payment therefore a stipulated sum of:

NOTE: Each price shall include all shipping, handling, installation (FOB Animal Resource Centre, Health Science Centre, Memorial University, St. John’s Campus) and all applicable Taxes. The Owner reserves the right to delete any or all items of this tender, to change the quantities specified and to award individual and/or combined items.

in Lawful money of Canada.

1.2. I/We agree to commence work upon acceptance of my/our tender and complete work as identified in Appendix B from the acceptance of the tender and to coordinate the scheduling of our work with that of all Subcontractors working on the Project. The time of completion indicated herein is required and will be a significant factor in assessing bids.

1.3. My/Our bid shall remain in force for forty-five (45) days after the closing date for bids.

1.4. I/We enclose herewith the following copy of our bid Surety if required by the Instructions to bidders. Original copy's of Bid Bond or Certified Cheque to be sent by mail to address:

Strategic Procurement Office - Financial and Administrative Services

HSC-122-19 Open Call And Acceptance
Memorial University of Newfoundland  
310 Elizabeth Ave., St. John’s, NL A1C 5S7

a) A Bid Bond in an acceptable form and correct amount issued by a company licensed to carry on such a business in the Province of Newfoundland and Labrador; OR  
b) A Certified Cheque in the correct amount.

1.5. In the event of this Bid being accepted within the time stated in Clause 1.2 above and our failure to enter into a contract in the form hereinafter mentioned for the bid amount, the said security may, at the option of the Owner, be forfeited. The forfeiting of the security does not limit the right of action of the Owner against us for our failure or refusal to enter into a contract.

1.6. I/We understand that the Performance Bond, Labour and Materials Bond and Insurances as required by the Contract Documents must be provided and in force prior to the commencement of any work and satisfactory proof of such be provided to the Owner.

1.7. I/We recognize the right of the Owner to reject any and all Bids and that the lowest Bid may not necessarily be accepted.

1.8. I/We understand that my/our Bid will be subject to rejection unless it is prepared in strict accordance with all the requirements of the Open Call Documents.

1.9. I/We confirm that the sums herein Bid include all taxes, (including HST), royalties, custom duties, foreign exchange charges, transportation, travelling costs, and all overhead and profit, all coordination fees, insurance premiums and all other requisite charges.

1.10. To ensure consistency and quality in the information provided to bidders the Owner shall provide, by way of amendment to this Open Call for Bids, in the form of an addendum, any relevant information with respect to the Open Call inquiries received in writing without revealing the source of those inquiries. Bidders are cautioned that it is their responsibility to ensure that they receive all information relevant to this Open Call. The Owner shall not be responsible for bidders who fail to inform themselves regarding the scope and nature of the work. The Owner shall publish all amendments on Memorial University’s current service providers: MERX: www.merx.com, BIDS: www.bids.ca and PODS: www.pods.net. In addition, all amendments will be published on www.mun.ca/procurement. Bidders should check on a regular basis for Open Call updates. Bidders are solely responsible for ensuring they are aware of and have complied with all amendments by bid closing time. Bidders are welcome to register their email address through opencalls@mun.ca to receive addendum notifications from Open Calls as a matter of courtesy. This does not relieve any Bidder of their responsibility to ensure all addenda has been received.

I/We hereby acknowledge receipt of the following Addenda: (List individually the numbers of each Addendum received in the blank space provided. If none have been received, write the word none.)

NOTE: FAILURE TO COMPLETE TABLE 1 SHALL RESULT IN DISQUALIFICATION

HSC-122-19 Open Call And Acceptance
1.11. No Prohibited Conduct - The bidder declares that it has not engaged in any conduct prohibited by this Open Call.

1.12. Disclosure of Information

The bidder hereby agrees that any information provided in this bid, even if it is identified as being supplied in confidence, may be disclosed where required by law or by order of a court or tribunal. The bidder hereby consents to the disclosure, on a confidential basis, of this bid by the Owner to the advisers retained by the Owner to advise or assist with the Open Call process, including with respect to the evaluation of this bid.

1.13. Bid Irrevocable

The bidder agrees that its tender shall be irrevocable for a period of **45** days following the Submission Deadline.

1.14. Bidders may amend their bids after they have been submitted if, and only if, the amendment is emailed prior to the Submission Deadline marked BID SUBMISSION AMENDMENT followed by open call number and name. **Bidders may revise their bid by email: opencalls@mun.ca**. The Owner does not accept any responsibility for any bids or amendments submitted by means other than the email listed above. Bidders making submissions near the deadline do so at their own risk due server availability. The time for the closing will be determined according to the inbox, time stamp on opencalls@mun.ca. Bids received after the closing time based on this time stamp, will NOT be considered.

Email inquiries and requests for clarification shall be accepted up to 72 hours prior to the closing time. Inquiries and requests for clarification received after this date shall not be addressed. The Strategic Procurement Office will be the only official source of information regarding this Open Call for Bids and information from any other source shall be considered unofficial and may not be correct.

Bidders may withdraw their bids prior to the Submission Deadline. To withdraw a bid, a notice of withdrawal must be sent to the opencalls@mun.ca email address prior to the Submission Deadline. The Owner is under no obligation to return withdrawn bids. I/We hereby authorize the Owner to release names of Subcontractors, Suppliers and Manufacturers used in my/our Bid including those as listed in Appendix "A", where such information is requested from the Owner.

1.15. I/We understand that Bids that do not list major Subcontractors and Suppliers and Manufacturers where required in Appendix "A" may be rejected.
1.16. I/We reserve the right to substitute other Subcontractors and/or Suppliers and/or Manufacturers for any Subcontractor or Suppliers or Manufacturer withdrawing their Bid or becoming bankrupt after the date hereof. Any such substitutes shall be subject to the approval of the Owner and contingent upon evidence of withdrawal or bankruptcy satisfactory to the Owner.

1.17. I/We agree that upon approval by the Engineer/Architect, the Owner shall have the right to take possession of any part of the work upon its completion, except for minor deficiency items, and that such possession shall not necessarily constitute acceptance of that part of the work.

1.18. I/We understand and agree that the Owner may order changes to the work in the form of additions or deletions in accordance with the General Conditions, Supplementary General Conditions and the intent of the Contract Documents.

1.19. I/We understand and agree that the Unit Price Table in Appendix "B" must be completed where indicated and the total amount included in my/our stipulated price for the total performance of the work under Clause 1.1 of the Bid and Acceptance form. I/We understand that the Unit Prices include all costs and charges of every kind, including overhead and profit, to perform the items of work listed in Appendix "B". I/We also understand that these same Unit Prices will be used for additions or deletions to the actual measured quantities.

1.20. When Appendix "C" is included in the Open Call, I/we understand that bids which do not list project references, where required in Appendix "C", will be rejected.

1.21. In order for a Bid to be valid for acceptance, duly authorized officials as indicated in the Instructions to Bidders must sign it. Memorial University, in consideration of section 11 of the Electronic Commerce Act, confirms its acceptance of electronic signatures, or other acceptable form of electronic consent, in satisfaction of the signature requirement for bid submissions. The electronic form of signature or consent must be directly related to the relevant bid submission at issue and must be reliable, in a manner as determined by Memorial University, for the purpose of identifying the person submitting the bid response. By submitting a bid under this process, the bidder confirms that the signatory has the appropriate and proper authority to bind the bidder to its submission, a confirmation upon which Memorial University relies in the processing of the bid submission.

1.22. I/We agree that the contract is subject to trade agreements. Bidders should note that procurements falling within the scope of the Canadian Free Trade Agreement, and/or the Canada-European Union Comprehensive Economic Trade Agreement are subject to those trade agreements but that the rights and obligations of the parties will be governed by the specific terms of this Open Call.

1.23. Confidential Information of the Owner

   All information provided by or obtained from the Owner in any form in connection with this Open Call either before or after the issuance of this Open Call:
   a) is the sole property of the Owner and must be treated as confidential;
   b) is not to be used for any purpose other than replying to this Open Call and the performance of the Agreement;
   c) must not be disclosed without prior written authorization from the Owner; and
d) must be returned by the bidder to the Owner immediately upon the request of the Owner.

1.24. I/We agree that this procurement process is subject to the **Access to Information and Protection of Privacy Act, 2015**. This procurement process is subject to the *Access to Information and Protection of Privacy Act, 2015* (ATIPPA, 2015). A bidder must identify any information in its bid or any accompanying documentation supplied in confidence for which confidentiality is requested to be maintained by the Owner. The confidentiality of such information will be maintained by the Owner, except as otherwise required by law or by order of a court or tribunal. Bidders are advised that their bids will, as necessary, be disclosed, on a confidential basis, to advisers retained by the Owner to advise or assist with the Open Call process, including the evaluation of bids.

The Bidder agrees that any specific information in its submission that may qualify for an exemption from disclosure under subsection 39(1) of the ATIPPA, 2015 has been identified in its submission. If no specific information has been identified it is assumed that, in the opinion of the proponent, there is no specific information that qualifies for an exemption under the subsection 39(1) of the ATIPPA, 2015. The Bidder acknowledges that contracting with the Owner is a public process and any information provided through this process and any records the Bidder supplies to the Owner, including the terms and conditions of any Agreement entered into, may be subject to requests under the ATIPPA, 2015. In the event of a request to Memorial for third party business information in its custody and control, information can be withheld only if it meets all parts of the 3-part harms test for non-disclosure as stated in section 39 of the ATIPPA, 2015.

Information, including the financial value of a contract resulting from this procurement process, will be publicly released as part of the award notification process, in accordance with section 30 of the Public Procurement Regulations.

If a bidder has any questions about the collection and use of personal information pursuant to this Open Call, questions are to be submitted to the Open Call Contact. Further information relating to subsection 39(1) of the ATIPPA, 2015 is provided in guidance documents available through the Office of the Information and Privacy Commissioner at [https://oipc.nl.ca/guidance/documents](https://oipc.nl.ca/guidance/documents).

1.25. I/We agree that the financial value of the contract resulting from the procurement process will be publicly released as part of the award notification process.

1.26. **Corporations Act**

The Corporations Act of Newfoundland and Labrador requires that an extra-provincial company be registered before it begins or carries on business in the Province. If your company is not registered, please apply for the appropriate forms and procedures to:

**Commercial Registrations Division**  
Dept of Government Services,  
PO  
Box 8700 St John’s, NL Canada  
A1B 4J6  
Phone: 709-729-3317, Fax: 709-729-0232

Website: [http://www.gs.gov.nl.ca/registries/companies/corp_art_inc.html](http://www.gs.gov.nl.ca/registries/companies/corp_art_inc.html)
2. PART 2 – EVALUATION

2.1. Stage I – Mandatory Submission Requirements

Stage I will consist of a review to determine which bids comply with all of the mandatory submission requirements. Bids that do not comply with all of the mandatory submission requirements as of the Submission Deadline will, subject to the express and implied rights of the Owner, be disqualified and not evaluated further.

Stage II – Pricing

Stage II will consist of a review of the submitted pricing of each compliant bid in accordance with pre-tender estimates (if performed) and in relation to other bids. The evaluation of price will be undertaken after the evaluation of mandatory requirements has been completed.

2.2. No Amendment to Forms

Other than inserting the information requested on the mandatory submission forms set out in the Open Call, a bidder may not make any changes to any of the forms. Any bid containing any such changes, whether on the face of the form or elsewhere in the bid, shall be disqualified.

2.3. Selection of Lowest Compliant Bidder as Preferred Supplier

Subject to the Owner’s reserved rights, the compliant bidder with the lowest pricing will be the preferred supplier, and will be selected to enter into the Agreement in accordance with the following section. In the event of a tie, the preferred supplier will be determined by way of a coin toss, in accordance with the Public Procurement Policy.

2.4. Notice to Bidder and Execution of Agreement

Notice of selection by the Owner to the preferred supplier shall be in writing. The preferred supplier shall execute the Agreement, the form and content of which will be mutually agreed upon between the parties and satisfy any other applicable conditions of this open call within fifteen (15) days of notice of selection. This provision is solely for the benefit of the Owner and may be waived by the Owner.

2.5. Failure to Enter into Agreement

If a selected bidder fails to execute the Agreement or satisfy the pre-conditions of award listed in the Open Call Particulars within fifteen (15) days of notice of selection the Owner may, without incurring any liability, proceed with the selection of another bidder and pursue all remedies available to the Owner.
2.6. Payment Terms

The University’s standard payment terms are net 30 days after delivery of goods, or net 15 days after successful completion of installation as applicable. In the case of services, payment terms are also net 30 days after successful completion of the service. These terms shall also apply in the case of sub-contracted items. Prepayments will not be considered unless the supplier provides an irrevocable standby letter of credit, or the supplier provides a credit reference from its banker satisfactory to the Director of Financial and Administrative Services.
PART 3 – TERMS AND CONDITIONS OF THE OPEN CALL FOR BIDS PROCESS

3.1 Open Call Incorporated into Bid

All of the provisions of this Open call are deemed to be accepted by each bidder and incorporated into each bidder’s bid. A bidder who submits conditions, options, variations or contingent statements to the terms as set out in this Open call, either as part of its bid or after receiving notice of selection, unless otherwise indicated, shall be disqualified.

3.2 Bidders to Follow Instructions

Bidders should structure their bids in accordance with the instructions in this Open call. Where information is requested in this Open Call, any response made in a bid should reference the applicable section numbers of this Open Call.

3.3 Bids in English

All bids are to be in English only.

3.4 No Incorporation by Reference

The entire content of the bidder’s bid should be submitted in a fixed form, and links to the content of websites or other external documents referred to in the bidder’s bid but not attached will not be considered to form part of its bid.

3.5 References and Past Performance

In the evaluation process, the Owner may consider information provided by the bidder’s references and may also consider the bidder’s past performance or conduct on previous contracts with the Owner or other institutions. (Added to alternate version of Roofing tender forms)

3.6 Bidders to Bear Their Own Costs

The bidder will bear all costs associated with or incurred in the preparation and presentation of its bid, including, if applicable, costs incurred for interviews or demonstrations.

3.7 Bid to be Retained by the Owner

The Owner will not return the bid or any accompanying documentation or samples submitted by a bidder.

3.8 Communication after issuance of open call - Bidders shall promptly examine all of the documents comprising this Open Call, and

a) shall report any errors, omissions or ambiguities; and
b) may direct questions or seek additional information

in writing by email to opencalls@mun.ca on or before the Deadline for Questions. All questions or comments submitted by bidders by email to the Open Call Contact shall be deemed to be received once the email has entered into the Open Call.
Contact’s email inbox. No such communications are to be directed to anyone other than the Open Call Contact, and the Owner shall not be responsible for any information provided by or obtained from any source other than the Strategic Procurement Office. The Owner is under no obligation to provide additional information. It is the responsibility of the bidder to seek clarification from the Open Call Contact on any matter it considers to be unclear. The Owner shall not be responsible for any misunderstanding on the part of the bidder concerning this Open Call or its process.

3.9 All New Information to Bidders by Way of Addenda

This Open Call may be amended only by addendum in accordance with this section. If the Owner, for any reason, determines that it is necessary to provide additional information relating to this Open Call, such information will be communicated to all bidders by addenda. Each addendum forms an integral part of this Open Call and may contain important information, including significant changes to this Open Call. Bidders are responsible for obtaining all addenda issued by the Owner. In section 1.10 (Table 1.10), bidders MUST confirm their receipt of all addenda by setting out the number of each addendum in the space provided.

3.10 Addenda and Extension of Submission Deadline

Any addendum added within Four (4) calendar days of the Open Call for Bids closing (including on closing day) will extend closing by a reasonable period to be determined by Memorial University.

3.11 Trade Agreements

Bidders should note that procurements falling within the scope of the Canadian Free Trade Agreement, and/or the Canada-European Union Comprehensive Economic Trade Agreement are subject to those trade agreements but that the rights and obligations of the parties will be governed by the specific terms of this Open Call.

3.12 Notification to Other Bidders

In accordance with section 30 of the Public Procurement Regulations, once the Agreement is awarded by the Owner, the outcome of the Open Call will be publicly posted at www.mun.ca/procurement. There will be no issuing of regret letters.

3.13 Debriefing

In accordance with the Public Procurement Act and Regulations, unsuccessful bidders may request a debriefing within ten (10) business days after the award has been posted. The request must be sent in writing to the Open call contact. The intent of the debriefing information session is to provide the bidder an overview of their bid and why it was unsuccessful and to help the bidder in presenting a better bid in subsequent procurement opportunities. The debriefing process is not for the purpose of providing an opportunity to challenge the procurement process or its outcome. A debriefing shall not disclose information regarding another bidder’s bid.
3.14 Supplier Complaint Process

If a bidder wishes to register a complaint with respect to the Open Call process, the complaint should be provided in writing and within the parameters established by section 25 of the Public Procurement Regulations, as amended. The notice must provide a detailed explanation of the bidder’s concerns with the procurement process or its outcome, in addition to such other information as may be required by the Regulations. Bidders should note that these complaint procedures are separate and distinct from any dispute resolution processes that may be provided for under applicable trade agreements. If a bidder wishes to dispute a matter under an applicable trade agreement, the bidder must follow the process set out in the trade agreement.

3.15 Conflict of Interest

The Owner may disqualify a bidder for any conduct, situation or circumstances, determined by the Owner, in its sole and absolute discretion, that constitutes a conflict of interest.

The Owner reserves the right to disqualify any bidder that in the Owner’s sole opinion has an actual or potential conflict of interest or an unfair advantage.

For the purposes of this Open Call, the term “Conflict of Interest” includes, but is not limited to, any situation or circumstance where in relation to the Open Call process, the bidder has an unfair advantage or engages in conduct, directly or indirectly, that may give it an unfair advantage, including but not limited to: (i) having, or having access to, confidential information of the Owner in the preparation of its bid that is not available to other bidders, (ii) communicating with any person with a view to influencing preferred treatment in the Open Call process (including but not limited to the lobbying of decision makers involved in the Open Call process), or (iii) engaging in conduct that compromises, or could be seen to compromise, the integrity of the open and competitive Open Call process or render that process non-competitive or unfair. Bidders are required to disclose, to the Open Call Contact, any potential or perceived conflict of interest issues prior to Open Call closing date and time.

3.16 Disqualification for Prohibited Conduct

The Owner may disqualify a bidder, rescind a notification of selection or terminate a contract subsequently entered into if the Owner determines that the bidder has engaged in any conduct prohibited by this Open Call.

3.17 Bidder Not to Communicate with Media

Bidders must not at any time directly or indirectly communicate with the media in relation to this Open Call or any agreement entered into pursuant to this Open Call without first obtaining the written permission of the Open Call Contact.

3.18 No Lobbying

Bidders must not, in relation to this Open Call or the evaluation and selection process, engage directly or indirectly in any form of political or other lobbying whatsoever to influence the selection of the successful bidder(s)

3.19 Illegal or Unethical Conduct
Bidders must not engage in any illegal business practices, including activities such as bid-rigging, price-fixing, bribery, fraud, coercion or collusion. Bidders must not engage in any unethical conduct, including lobbying, as described above, or other inappropriate communications; offering gifts to any employees, officers, agents, elected or appointed officials or other representatives of the Owner; deceitfulness; submitting bids containing misrepresentations or other misleading or inaccurate information; or any other conduct that compromises or may be seen to compromise the competitive process provided for in this Open Call.

3.20 Past Performance or Past Conduct

The Owner may prohibit a supplier from participating in a procurement process based on past performance or based on inappropriate conduct in a prior procurement process, including but not limited to the following:

(a) illegal or unethical conduct as described above;
(b) the refusal of the supplier to honor submitted pricing or other commitments; or
(c) any conduct, situation or circumstance determined by the Owner, in its sole and absolute discretion, to have constituted a Conflict of Interest.

In addition, the Owner may suspend the bidding privileges of a supplier in regard to non-compliant or substandard performance in accordance with section 26 of the Public Procurement Regulations.

3.21 Reserved Rights of the Owner

The Owner reserves the right to:

(a) make public the names of any or all bidders as well as bid price and value of contract;

(b) make changes, including substantial changes, to this Open Call provided that those changes are issued by way of addendum in the manner set out in this Open Call;

(c) request written clarification or the submission of supplementary written information in relation to the clarification request from any bidder and incorporate a bidder’s response to that request for clarification into the bidder’s bid. This shall not be an opportunity for bid repair;

(d) assess a bidder’s bid on the basis of: (i) a financial analysis determining the actual cost of the bid when considering factors including quality, service, price and transition costs arising from the replacement of existing goods, services, practices, methodologies and infrastructure (howsoever originally established); and (ii) in addition to any other evaluation criteria or considerations set out in this Open Call consider any other relevant information that arises during this Open call process;

(e) waive minor irregularities and formalities and accept bids that substantially comply with the requirements of this Open Call;

(f) verify with any bidder or with a third party any information set out in a bid;

(g) check references other than those provided by any bidder;
(h) disqualify a bidder, rescind a notice of selection or terminate a contract subsequently entered into if the bidder has engaged in any conduct that breaches the process rules or otherwise compromises or may be seen to compromise the competitive process;

(i) cancel this Open Call process at any stage;

(j) cancel this Open Call process at any stage and issue a new Open Call for the same or similar deliverables;

(k)

(l) accept any bid in whole or in part; or

(m) reject any or all bids;

(n) not necessarily select the lowest or any bidder;

And these reserved rights are in addition to any other express rights or any other rights that may be implied in the circumstances.

3.22 Limitation of Liability

By submitting a bid, each bidder agrees that:

(a) neither the Owner nor any of its employees, officers, agents, elected or appointed officials, advisors or representatives will be liable, under any circumstances, for any claim arising out of this Open Call process including but not limited to costs of preparation of the bid, loss of profits, loss of opportunity or for any other claim; and

(b) the bidder waives any right to or claim for any compensation of any kind whatsoever, including claims for costs of preparation of the bid, loss of profit or loss of opportunity by reason of the Owner's decision not to accept the bid submitted by the bidder for any reason, the Owner's decision to enter into an agreement with any other bidder or to cancel this bidding process, and the bidder shall be deemed to have agreed to waive such right or claim.

3.23 Governing Law and Interpretation

These Terms and Conditions of the Open Call Process:

(a) are intended to be interpreted broadly and independently (with no particular provision intended to limit the scope of any other provision);

(b) are non-exhaustive and shall not be construed as intending to limit the pre-existing rights of the Owner; and

(c) are to be governed by and construed in accordance with the laws of the Province of Newfoundland & Labrador and the federal laws of Canada applicable therein.
BIDDER CONTACT PAGE
See Clause 1.21, for Electronic Signature acceptance
(Please Print)

Bid For: __________________________________________________________

Contractor’s Full Business Name
______________________________________________________________

Contractor’s Full Business Mailing Address
______________________________________________________________

Phone No. ___________________________________ Email: ________________________________ Fax No. ______________________________

______________________________________________________________

Attested to and delivered on behalf of the Bidder this _____ day of ____________, 20____.

Signature(s)                               Title(s)
______________________________________________________________

(Signature) (Please Print)

(Print Name)

CORPORATE SEAL:

Accepted on Behalf of Memorial University of Newfoundland:

Signature(s)                               Title(s)
______________________________________________________________

(Signature) (Please Print)

(Please Print)

I have the authority to bind the bidder.

IN COMPLETING THIS PAGE AND SUBMITTING YOUR BID, THE PROPONENT
ACKNOWLEDGES HAVING READ, UNDERSTOOD AND
AGREED TO THE TERMS AND CONDITIONS OF THIS DOCUMENT
APPENDIX “A” – LIST OF SUBCONTRACTORS

Herewith is the list of Subcontractors, Suppliers and/or Manufacturers referred to in Section 10 of the Bid and Acceptance Form. The Subcontractors and Suppliers whose bids have been used in the preparation of this Bid must be listed in full including work to be done by own forces (B.O.F.). By Own Forces will be considered valid and satisfactory only if, prior to award, the supplier provides three (3) current (< 3 years) references of satisfactory completion of trade work of similar scale, scope and complexity as that described within the Bid documents. Trade certifications may be requested in addition to the references above. The determination of suitability is entirely at the discretion of the owner and shall be based on submitted documentation. The owner may use their knowledge and understanding of experience and performance of the Contractor on past work in lieu of this submission. The list will be subject to the approval of the Owner.

NOTE: FAILURE TO COMPLETE THIS PORTION OF THE BID SUBMISSION SHALL RESULT IN DISQUALIFICATION.

The trades below, if listed, have been identified by the owner, however it is the Bidder’s responsibility to identify all applicable subtrades.

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APPENDIX “B”

1. **Bidders are to bid on ONE PRODUCT PER ITEM** as per Product Description OR Approved Alternate in Bid Quotation Form below. Multiple alternate items will **NOT** be accepted.

2. Substitution acceptance (Approved Alternate) must be in accordance with Item No. **1.7.0 Substitution of Materials** in the **Instruction to Bidders** section of the **General Conditions and Agreement Between Owner and Contractor for The Stipulated Price Contract**.

3. If the sum of all items bid on this bid is in excess of $25,000.00 (HST included) refer to Item No. **1.4.0 Bid Surety** in the **Instruction to Bidders** section of the **General Conditions and Agreement Between Owner and Contractor for The Stipulated Price Contract** to include correct bid surety.

4. Furniture Supplier must be an authorized dealer of all furniture bid on this bid. I hereby certify that I/we are an authorized dealer on all products quoted on below. See clause 1.21 for electronic signature allowances.

_____________________________________________  _________________________________________
Signature        Title

_____________________________________________
Date
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<th>Item #</th>
<th>Product Description</th>
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<th>Approved Alternate (Please indicate Manufacturer and Model Number) (SEE NO. 2 ABOVE)</th>
<th>Delivery (Weeks)</th>
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| 1      | Upholstered Bench, 3-Seat | ![Upholstered Bench](image) | - 64.5 x 21.5”
- Grade 5, minimum 100,000 double rubs upholstery
- Metal frame base & legs
- Global Citi Square model S7894 or approved alternate | | | | | |
| 2      | Upholstered Lounge Chair, Single Seat with Arms | ![Upholstered Lounge Chair](image) | - 30 x 31 x 30H”
- Grade 5, minimum 100,000 double rubs upholstery
- Metal frame base & legs
- Global Citi Square model S7875 or approved alternate | | | | | |
| 3      | Laminate Occasional Table | ![Laminate Occasional Table](image) | - 18 x 18 x 21H”
- High Pressure Laminate
- Global Cube model CU1821 or approved alternate | | | | | |

**Items 4 – 10 are to be from the same manufacturer and match existing furnishings which are Global Products**

For item 4 & 4b, 1 Desk to be Right Handed, 1 to be Left Handed

| Item # | Product Description | Image | | | | | | |
|--------|---------------------|-------|-----------------|----------|--------------|---------|------------------------------------------|
| 4      | Extended Corner Desk | ![Extended Corner Desk](image) | - 1-3/16” min. High Pressure Laminate
- 1x Full End Gable, and 1x half gable with levelers
- 1 grommet
- 72 x 48 x 24”D
- Global Adaptabilities model A2472FNR | | | | |
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| 11 | **Rectangular Workstation**  
• 30 x 60 x 29"H  
• Supported by 30"D B/B/F Metal pedestal c/w lock and keys, and Open H-leg  
• High Pressure Laminate, 3mm edge banding | 2 |
| 12 | **Freestanding Upholstered Privacy Panel**  
• 60 x 60"H  
• Grade 2  
• Global GPS II model GPS4 | 1 |
| 13 | **Mesh Low Back Guest Chair**  
• 25.5 x 24 x 34.5H"  
• Grade 2, minimum 100,000 double rubs upholstery  
• Global Vion model 6325 or approved alternate | 4 |
| 14 | **Mesh Medium Back Meeting Chair**  
• 26.5 x 24 x 39H"  
• Grade 2, minimum 100,000 double rubs upholstery  
• Height Adjustable arms  
• Casters for hard-surface flooring  
• Global Factor model 5541 or approved alternate | 10 |
| 15 | **Mesh Back Flip-Seat Nesting Armchair, with Casters**  
• 23.75 x 23 x 33H"  
• Grade 2, minimum 100,000 double rubs upholstery  
• Casters for hard-surface flooring  
• Global Spritz model 6765FC or approved alternate | 28 |
| 16 | **Task Chair, High Back Multi-Tilter**  
   • 26 x 25 x 41H”  
   • Grade 2, minimum 100,000 double rubs upholstery  
   • G5 Adjustable T-arms  
   • Casters for hard-surface flooring  
   • Global Malaga model 3140-3 or approved alternate | ![Task Chair Image] | 1 |  

| 17 | **Rectangular Table 4 post leg**  
   • 30 x 60 x 29”H  
   • 4-Post leg with locking casters  
   • 30mm Thick Top  
   • High Pressure Laminate, 3mm edgeband (Grade B Laminate)  
   • Haworth Jive model TCRA or approved alternate | ![Rectangular Table Image] | 11 |  

| 17a |  
   **Add-on to include center cut-out**  
   (cost per table) | | 1 |  

| 17b |  
   **Add-on to make table post-legs “power-ready”**  
   (cost per table) | | 1 |  

| 16 | **Laboratory Stool with Polyurethane Seat**  
   • Height adjustable from 23 – 33”  
   • Foot Ring  
   • 5-prong Base with toe cap  
   • Stance HealthCare model S1600-MOD, backless with modified seat model or approved alternate | ![Laboratory Stool Image] | 25 |  

| 17 | **Stainless Steel Gowning Bench**  
   • 12 x 36 x 16H”  
   • Leveling feet  
   • Stat medical model SO801 or approved alternate | ![Stainless Steel Gowning Bench Image] | 1 |
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LIST OF DRAWINGS
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5. Transaction top
6. Hutch with solid hinged doors
7. Mobile pedestal
8. 2 door low cabinet with lock and key
9. Extended desk bridge 42" long
10. Modesty panel 36" wide
11. Rectangular workstation
12. Freestanding upholstered privacy panel

13. Mesh low back guest chair
14. Mesh medium back meeting chair
15. Mesh back flip-seat nesting armchair, with casters
16. Task chair, high back multi-tilter
17. Rectangular table 4-post leg
18. Laboratory stool with polyurethane seat
19. Stainless steel gowning bench
PART 1 - GENERAL

1.1 F SERIES DRAWINGS – Furniture

.1 F-1.0 New Furniture layout Level 1

END OF SECTION
PART 1 - GENERAL

1.1 Contacts

.1 For information concerning this Tender contact:

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adamm@mun.ca

END OF SECTION
DEPARTMENT OF FACILITIES MANAGEMENT

GENERAL CONDITIONS

AND

AGREEMENT BETWEEN OWNER AND CONTRACTOR

FOR

THE STIPULATED PRICE CONTRACT

June 2020
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1.0 INSTRUCTIONS TO TENDERERS
1.1.0 TENDERS

1.1.1 Tender Submissions
Tenderers are required to submit their tenders for the Work as outlined in the Tender and Acceptance Form and the General Conditions and any other documents forming the tender package.

1.1.2 Tender Closing Time
Closing time and date shall be designated in the tender notice(s) and will be strictly adhered to.

NOTE: In the event that the Memorial University of Newfoundland ("Owner") is closed earlier than normally expected prior to a scheduled tender closing for that day or for the full day, the closing date for those tenders will be extended to the next business day for the Owner at the same time as listed originally.

1.1.3 Tenderers shall deposit their tenders addressed to:

As indicated on Page 1 of the Tender and Acceptance form.

1.1.4 Unacceptable Tenders

(a) No oral, facsimile or telephone tenders will be considered.

(b) Tenders not submitted on the accompanying Tender and Acceptance Form will not be considered.

(c) Tenders containing qualifications or additional clauses to the Tender and Acceptance Form may be rejected, where, in the opinion of the Owner, there is an unfair advantage to the Tenderer.

(d) Tenders received after the tender closing time will not be considered.

(e) Incorrectly prepared tenders may be rejected.

(f) Incomplete tenders may be rejected.

(g) The Owner reserves the right to waive any informality in a tender.

(h) If security is required to be included with the tender and is not provided in the correct form and amount, the tender will be rejected.

(i) Tenderers may revise their tender by facsimile or letter provided it is received by the Tendering Section, Department of Facilities Management before the tender closing time. Revisions by facsimile must be sent to the fax
number as indicated on Page 1 of the Tender and Acceptance form. The Owner will not be responsible for any failure attributable to the transmission or receipt of the facsimile.

(j) Tenderers may not submit tenders in the form of a facsimile message. Facsimile messages may only be used to revise a tender provided that such a message is received prior to the tender closing time.

(k) Tenders may be withdrawn without penalty if the request is received by letter or facsimile prior to the tender closing time.

1.1.5 It shall be understood that all tenders will remain valid for acceptance for a period of thirty (30) days of the closing date established by the Owner for the acceptance of tenders. The preferred Tenderer may be required to execute a formal agreement within a thirty (30) day period from the date of the letter of acceptance of their tender.

1.1.6 The Owner reserves the right to reject any and all tenders, and the lowest tender will not necessarily be accepted.

1.1.7 The Owner reserves the right to accept the tender deemed most favourable to the interest of the Owner, and the award will be made in respect of the tender which gives the greatest value to the Owner based on quality, time, service and price.

1.1.8 With respect to current or prior transactions with the Owner, the Owner may reject a bid where any of the following circumstances present:

(a) The Tenderer is bankrupt or where, for whatever reason, their activities are rendered inoperable for an extended period of time;

(b) Evidence, satisfactory to the Owner, of fraud, bribery, fraudulent misrepresentation or failure to comply with any law protecting individuals against discrimination, received by the Owner with respect to the Tenderer, any of their owners, employees or any subcontractor included in part of their tender;

(c) The Owner has exercised their contractual remedies of suspension or termination for default with respect to a contract with the Tenderer, any of their owners, employees or any subcontractor included as part of their tender;

(d) The Owner determines that the Tenderer’s performance on other contracts, including the efficiency and workmanship as well as the extent to which the Tenderer performed the Work in accordance with the contractual clauses and conditions, is sufficiently poor to jeopardize the successful completion of the project being bid on.

1.1.9 Unbalanced bids, as determined by the Owner, will be rejected (i.e. prices must fairly represent proper compensation for various items of work to be done).
1.1.10 Upon withdrawal of a tender by a Tenderer, the Owner has the right to disqualify any
tenders submitted by a related person of the Tenderer or a related corporation of the
Tenderer as defined by Section 251 of the Income Tax Act, R.S.C., 1985,
5th Supplement, ch. 1, as amended.

1.2.0 TENDER DOCUMENTS

1.2.1 The Tender Documents consist of the Instructions to Tenderers, General Conditions
of Contract, Supplementary General Conditions of Contract, Special Conditions,
Campus Safety and Health Regulations, Contractors Performance Evaluation,
Tender and Acceptance Form, Drawings, Specifications and any Addenda to the
Contract Documents issued before the tender closing period.

1.2.2 Tenderers may, during the tendering period, be advised by written Addenda of
required additions to, deletions from or alterations to the requirements of the Tender
Documents. All such changes shall become an integral part of the Tender
Documents and shall be included in the tender price.

1.2.3 Tenderers shall insert, in the space provided in the Tender and Acceptance Form,
the Addenda numbers of all Addenda received by them during the tendering period
including any bound into the Tender Documents. If no Addenda have been
received, the word "NONE" shall be inserted in the space provided.

1.2.4 Addenda will not be issued by the Owner after the fourth (4th) day prior to tender
closing without providing an extension of time.

1.2.5 EACH TENDERER WILL BE RESPONSIBLE TO VERIFY THAT ALL ADDENDA
ISSUED HAVE BEEN RECEIVED BEFORE DEPOSITING THEIR TENDER.

1.3.0 SITE VISIT

1.3.1 Before submitting a tender, Tenderers shall carefully examine the site of the
proposed Work and fully inform themselves of the existing condition and limitations.
It is the responsibility of the Tenderer to report any unsatisfactory conditions in
writing which may adversely affect the proper completion of the Work, to the
Architect/Engineer or the Owner, at least five (5) days before the tender closing
date. Submission of the tender shall imply acceptance of previously completed
Work and the conditions of the site, and the Contractor shall, therefore, be fully
responsible for executing the Work in accordance with the Contract Documents.
1.4.0 TENDER SURETY

1.4.1 Tenders shall be accompanied by bid security by way of (i) an approved Bid Bond from a surety company acceptable to the Owner and which is licensed to do business in the Province of Newfoundland and Labrador or (ii) an approved certified cheque payable to Memorial University of Newfoundland in the amount of 10 percent of the tender price.

Bid security will not be required for a total contract value of $25,000 or less (HST included) unless specifically called for elsewhere in the Contract Documents. The bid security will be returned to the Tenderer upon receipt of the required Performance Bond and Labour and Materials Payment Bond.

The terms of the bid security will be invoked and the amount retained by the Owner if: the Tenderer fails to enter into a formal agreement, where one is specified, when notified of the award of the Contract within the tender validity period; or fails to provide the required Performance Bond and Labour and Materials Payment Bond within the time specified.

1.4.2 Within seven (7) days of the issuance of the letter of acceptance, the preferred Tenderer shall obtain and deliver to the Owner a Performance Bond in the amount of 50 percent of the tender price which guarantees the successful and complete performance of the Work. The Performance Bond is required as a condition of tender award. In lieu of a Performance Bond an approved certified cheque in the amount of 10 percent of the tender price may, at their option, be accepted for retention by the Owner until the successful completion of the Contract. The certified cheque will be retained until satisfactory completion of the Work including the warranty period after which it will be returned to the Contractor. Performance Bond or other such security will not be required for a contract value of $25,000 or less. No Work is to be undertaken while the above performance security remains outstanding.

1.4.3 Within seven (7) days of issuance of the letter of acceptance, the preferred Tenderer shall obtain and deliver to the Owner a Labour and Materials Payment Bond in the amount of 50 percent of the tender price. The Labour and Materials Payment Bond is required as a condition of the tender award. In lieu of a Labour and Materials Payment Bond, an approved certified cheque in the amount 10 percent of the tender price may, at their option, be accepted for retention by the Owner until successful completion of the Contract. The certified cheque will be retained until substantial completion of the Work as defined by the Mechanics Lien Act and upon receipt of an acceptable statutory declaration form stating that all labour and material obligations due and payable under the Work have been discharged, after which it will then be returned to the Contractor. Labour and Materials Payment Bond or other such security will not be required for a contract value of $25,000 or less. No Work is to be undertaken while the above labour and materials security remains outstanding.
1.4.4 No interest will be paid to the preferred Tenderer for any certified cheques on deposit during the period of retention.

1.4.5 The cost of all bid, performance and labour and materials security shall be included in the tender price.

1.5.0 COMPLETION OF TENDER AND ACCEPTANCE FORM

1.5.1 Tenders are to be submitted, duly completed, in a sealed envelope using the Envelope Cover Page included in the Tender and Acceptance. The Tenderer should retain a copy of the tender for their records.

1.5.2 Type or legibly print the Tenderer’s full business name and full mailing address in the spaces provided for "Contractor’s Full Business Name and Contractor’s Business Mailing Address", respectively. Also ensure that the phone and fax numbers are listed in the space provided.

1.5.3 Sign the Tender and Acceptance Form in the space provided as indicated below:

   In case of a Sole Proprietorship: Signature of Sole Proprietor in the presence of a witness or witnesses who will sign where indicated. Insert the words "Sole Proprietor" next to the signature.

   In the case of a Partnership: Signatures of all partners in the presence of a witness or witnesses who will sign where indicated. Insert the word "Partner" against each signature under Title(s).

   In the case of a Joint Venture: Signature of the joint venture representative in the presence of a witness or witnesses who will sign where indicated. Insert the words “Authorized Representative” below the signature. The names of the joint venture members must be listed on the signature page.

   In the case of an Incorporated Body: Signatures of authorized signing officers in the presence of a witness or witnesses who will sign where indicated. Enter the corporate title of each signer under Title(s).

   Insert the date of signature in the space provided.
1.5.4 Where a purchase order is issued by the Owner in addition to the Tender and Acceptance Form or a formal agreement, the purchase order shall not alter the terms herein except to the extent specified in the purchase order.

1.6.0 QUALIFICATION INFORMATION

1.6.1 The Owner may require the Tenderer to submit qualification information with the tender or prior to the award of any Contract or nominated Subcontracts.

1.6.2 This request includes the submission of details of previous construction experience by this Tenderer and their intended Subcontractors, lists of equipment to be used in the performance of the Work and other pertinent information.

1.6.3 Where such information is requested with the tender, spaces or appendices will be provided and all such spaces or appendices must be completed in their entirety by typing or legibly printed in ink.

1.6.4 The Owner reserves the right to interpret the qualification information provided. Any decision made by the Owner concerning the Tenderer’s and/or their Subcontractors’ ability or otherwise to successfully perform the Work shall be final.

1.7.0 SUBSTITUTION OF MATERIALS

1.7.1 Tenders shall be based upon using the materials or products as specified without substitution, unless there is an "or approved alternate" clause. Where two or more brand names are specified, the choice shall be left to the Contractor. Where only one brand name is stated, there shall be no substitution.

1.7.2 Where the Specifications include the "or approved alternate" clause, substitutions may be proposed provided that the request for a substitution is received in writing at least six (6) days prior to the tender closing date and shall clearly define and describe the product for which the substitution is requested.

1.7.3 It is the Tenderer’s responsibility to ensure that the substituted article is equivalent to the specified article with regard to design, function, appearance, durability, operation and quality.

1.7.4 Request for substitutions made after the award of the contract will be subject to the requirements of Clause 2.37.0 MATERIALS AND SUBSTITUTIONS in the General Conditions of the Contract and will only be considered under special circumstances or where it is clear, at the Engineer’s/Architect’s discretion, that proposed substitution will provide a substantial benefit to the Owner.

1.7.5 Approval of the substitution by the Engineer/Architect shall be in the form of an addendum to the Specifications issued at least four (4) days prior to the Tender
closing date to all of those contractors listed as having received a copy of the Tender Documents. The Engineer/Architect's decision on substitutions will be final.

1.8.0  **LIST OF SUBCONTRACTORS, SUPPLIES AND MANUFACTURERS**

1.8.1 The Subcontractors and Suppliers whose bids have been used by the Tenderer in the preparation of their tender must be listed in Appendix "A" of the Tender and Acceptance Form under the categories indicated therein including any Work to be done by the Tenderer's own forces (B.O.F.). Failure to complete this list may result in the tender being rejected.

1.8.2 The Owner reserves the right to reject any Subcontractors or Suppliers proposed for the various parts of Work. If, as a result of the Owner rejecting a Subcontractor or Supplier, the cost to perform the Work by the Tenderer changes then the Tender Price shall be adjusted by the amount of the change. While the Owner may propose a substitute Subcontractor or Supplier, it is recognized that the Contractor shall have a right to object to the use of any Subcontractor proposed by the Owner.

1.8.3 The Subcontractors and Suppliers accepted and approved by the Owner shall be the Subcontractors and Suppliers who will actually be employed in the performance of the Work.

1.9.0  **COMPLETION DATE**

Tenderers shall state the time required to complete the Contract from time of tender award. The Contractor shall, within seven (7) days after the Contract is award, submit a construction schedule indicating as closely as possible the starting and completion dates for the major sections of the Work. A sample schedule is provided in Appendix D of the Tender and Acceptance form.

1.10.0  **LABOUR CONDITIONS**

1.10.1 The Tenderers shall be aware that the majority of hourly paid and maintenance workers employed within the Owner's organization are unionized. It is of utmost importance that any labour force used by the preferred Tenderer neither disrupts nor be disrupted by any labour conditions existing on the Owner's property. Failure by the preferred Tenderer to familiarize themselves with labour conditions on the Owner's property or disruptions to the preferred Tenderer's own labour force because of labour conditions on the Owner’s property will not relieve the Tenderer of their obligations to furnish all labour and materials necessary to carry out the requirements of the Contract.
1.11.0 SAFETY

1.11.1 General Contractors and their sub-contractors who have complied with 1.11.2 will be permitted to commence physical work on the site however no work shall be performed by the General Contractor, their sub-contractors until such a time as they comply with 1.11.2.

1.11.2 Prior to signing of contract, the preferred General Contractor shall provide proof of compliance with 1.11.3.

Within seven (7) calendar days after a pre-signing start up meeting the General Contractor shall provide proof of compliance of themselves and their subcontractors with 1.11.3 as well as provide the information requested in Section 1.11.4(a) (b).

1.11.3 All Contractors, and their Subcontractors, shall be required to submit confirmation of a current third party occupational health and safety program certification (Letter of Assurance). These may include, but not be limited to, Certificate of Recognition (COR), OHSAS 18001, and CSA Z.1000.

Tenderers and their Subcontractors can have one of the three (3) possible designations of: “COR”, “Audit Pending” or “In the Process”.

Failure to provide the requested documentation within the specified time may result in the tender being rejected.

1.11.4 Contractors shall also provide the following:
(a) health and safety policy statement;
(b) safety program table of contents; and
(c) site hazard assessment;
The hazard assessment shall be updated by the General Contractor and re-submitted whenever the conditions, work practices or work forces change to the extent that new hazards can be identified.

1.11.5 In lieu of a Subcontractors 3rd party program, Contractors shall be required to integrate the Subcontractor(s) into the Contractors program and provide proof of same.

1.11.6 Memorial reserves the right to request and audit the full safety program of Contractors and Subcontractors and their associated documentation. This documentation may include, but not be limited to the following:
(a) safety program and/or manual
(b) applicable documented safe work practices;
(c) inspection reports and schedules;
(d) required employee safety training certifications and qualifications; and
(e) updated list of OHS Committee and/or a worker health and safety
representative, or workplace health and safety designate.

Request for submission shall be complied with within 7 calendar days of a written request from Memorial's Environmental Health and Safety unit.

**Failure to provide the requested documentation within the specified time may result in the Contract being cancelled.**

1.11.7 Memorial reserves the right to:

1. Reject any Contractor that fails to meet the requirements or schedules outlined herein;
2. The University reserves the right to stop any work or portion of work where the risk presents an immediate danger.

1.11.8 Contractors will comply with applicable Federal and Provincial legislation and applicable MUN safety procedures. Contractor responsibilities include but not limited to:

- report all incidents immediately to the required University project team followed by a written incident report within 24 hours;
- be responsible for the safety of subcontractors including those not under their employ;
- stop work if the conditions are such that work cannot be performed safely;
- perform evaluation, monitoring of the workplace to identify potential hazards and associated risks and ensure corrective actions are implemented;
- ensure daily task specific hazard assessments are completed; and
- maintain the accountability of persons responsible for the reporting and correction of hazards.

1.11.7 The Owner reserves the right to reject any Tenderer that is not in compliance with Owner’s standards for Safety.

1.12.0 **ACCESS TO SITE**

1.12.1 All successful Tenderer and Subcontractors/Suppliers to be used by the Tenderer in the execution of the Contract shall give advance notification of when they will be on site. While on site, normal hours of work will be from 8 a.m. to 5 p.m., Monday to Friday. Any work to be performed outside these hours must have advanced approval by the Owner.

Any discontinuation of Work which causes a Contractor or their Subcontractors/Suppliers to suspend operation on site, will require the following:

(a) Contractor/Subcontractors/Suppliers shall notify the Owner of the stop work date;
(b) Contractor/Subcontractors/Suppliers shall ensure the site is left in a safe and secure conditions;

(c) Contractor/Subcontractors/Suppliers shall conduct a site visit with MUN's Safety Officer before leaving the site;

(d) Contractor/Subcontractors/Suppliers shall ensure that locks and tags on mechanical and/or electrical systems are removed and, where necessary, replaced by MUN;

(e) Contractor/Subcontractors/Suppliers shall not return to site without expressed prior permission from the Owner.
2.0 GENERAL CONDITIONS
2.1.0 **DEFINITIONS**

2.1.1 Contract Documents

The Contract Documents consist of the Instructions to Tenderers, Executed Agreement between the Owner and the Contractor, General Conditions of Contract, Supplementary General Conditions of Contract, Special Conditions, Campus Safety and Health Regulation, Contractor Performance Evaluations, Specifications, Drawings and such other documents forming part of the Tender, including all amendments thereto incorporated before their execution and subsequent amendments thereto made pursuant to the provisions of the Contract or agreed upon between the parties. The successful Tenderers Tender and any Addenda to the Specifications issued during the bidding period shall also form part of the Contract Documents.

2.1.2 Owner, Engineer/Architect, Contractor

The Owner, Engineer/Architect and Contractor are the persons, firms or corporation identified as such in the Agreement. The term Owner, Engineer/Architect and Contractor means the Owner, Engineer/Architect and Contractor or their authorized representatives as designated by each party in writing.

2.1.3 Subcontractors

A Subcontractor is a person, firm or corporation having a direct contract with the Contractor to perform a part or parts of the Work included in the Contract, or to supply products worked to a special design according to the Contract Documents, but does not include one who merely supplies products not so worked.

2.1.4 The Project

The Project is the total construction contemplated of which the Work performed under the Contract Documents may be the whole or a part.

2.1.5 The Work

The Work means the total construction and related services required by the Contract Documents.

2.1.6 Place of Work

The Place of Work is the designated site or location of the project of which the Work may be the whole or a part.
2.1.7 Products/Materials/Equipment

The term Products/Materials/Equipment means all materials, machinery, equipment and fixtures forming the Work as required by the Contract Documents but does not include machinery and equipment used for preparation, fabrication, conveying and erection of the Work and normally referred to as construction machinery and equipment.

2.1.8 Other Contractor

The term Other Contractor means any persons, firm or corporation employed by or having a separate contract directly or indirectly with the Owner for Work other than that required by the Contract Documents.

2.1.9 Time

a) The Contract Time is the time stated in the Tender and Acceptance Form for substantial performance of the Work.

b) The date of substantial performance of the Work is the date certified by the Engineer/Architect.

c) The term day, as used in the Contract Documents, shall mean the calendar day.

d) The term working day means any day observed by the construction industry in the area of the place of the Work.

2.1.10 Substantial Performance of the Work

A Contract shall be deemed to be substantially performed:

a) When the Work or a substantial part thereof is ready for use or is being used for the purpose intended; and

b) When the Work to be done under the Contract is capable of completion or correction at a cost of not more than:

   (i) Three per centum of the first two hundred and fifty thousand dollars ($250,000) of the Contract Price;

   (ii) Two per centum of the next two hundred and fifty thousand dollars ($250,000) of the Contract Price; and

   (iii) One per centum of the balance of the Contract Price.

c) When the Work or a substantial part thereof is ready for use or is being used for the purpose intended and where the Work cannot be completed expeditiously for
reasons beyond the control of the Contractor, the value of the remaining Work to be completed shall be deducted from the Contract Price in determining substantial performance.

2.1.11 Total Performance of the Work

Total Performance of the Work shall mean when the entire Work except those items arising from the provision 2.26.0 WARRANTY has been performed to the requirements of the Contract Documents and is so certified by the Engineer/Architect.

2.1.12 Changes in the Work

Changes in the Work means additions, deletions or other revisions to the Work within the general scope of Work as contemplated by the Contract Documents.

2.1.13 Extra Work

Extra Work means any additional work or service, the performance of which is beyond the scope of Work as contemplated by the Contract Documents.

2.2.0 DOCUMENTS

2.2.1 The Contract Documents shall be signed in triplicate by the Owner and the Contractor.

2.2.2 Words and abbreviations which have well-known technical or trade meanings are used in the Contract Documents in accordance with such recognized meanings.

2.2.3 In the event of conflicts between Contract Documents, the following shall apply:

a) Documents of later date shall govern;

b) Figured dimensions shown on the drawings shall govern even though they may differ from scaled dimensions on the same drawing;

c) Drawings of larger scale shall govern over those of smaller scale of the same date;

d) Specifications shall govern over drawings;

e) Special Conditions shall govern over Specifications;

f) The General Conditions of Contract shall govern over Specifications;

g) Supplementary General Conditions shall govern over the General Conditions of the Contract;
h) The Executed Agreement between the Owner and the Contractor shall govern over all documents.

2.2.4 The Contractor will be provided, without charge, up to twelve (12) sets of Contract Documents or parts thereof as are reasonably necessary for the performance of the Work.

2.2.5 The Contractor shall keep a copy of all current Contract Documents and shop drawings on the site, in good order and available to the Engineer/Architect and or their representatives. This requirement shall not be deemed to include the executed Contract Documents.

2.2.6 Drawings, specifications, models and copies thereof furnished to the Contractor are to be used only with respect to the Work. Such documents and models are not to be otherwise used or revised in any manner without the written authorization of the Owner.

2.2.7 Models furnished by the Contractor at the Owner’s expense are the property of the Owner.

2.3.0 ADDITIONAL INSTRUCTIONS AND SCHEDULE OF WORK

2.3.1 During the progress of the Work, the Engineer/Architect shall furnish to the Contractor such additional instructions as may be necessary to supplement the Contract Documents. All such instructions shall be consistent with the intent of the Contract Documents.

2.3.2 Additional instructions may include minor changes to the Work which affect neither the Contract Price nor the Contract Time.

2.3.3 Additional instructions may be in the form of drawings, samples, models or written instructions.

2.3.4 Additional instructions will be issued by the Engineer/Architect with reasonable promptness and in accordance with any schedule agreed upon for such instructions.

2.3.5 The Contractor shall prepare and update, as required, a construction schedule indicating the timing of major activities of the Work. The schedule shall be designed to conform with the Contract Time. The schedule shall be submitted to the Engineer/Architect within seven (7) days of the date of the Owner’s letter of award. The contractor shall monitor the progress of the Work relative to the schedule and advise the Engineer/Architect of any revisions required as a result of delays, as provided for in 2.5.0 DELAYS, and indicating what action will be taken to complete the Work within the Contract Time.
2.4.0 ENGINEER/ARCHITECT’S DECISIONS

2.4.1 The Engineer/Architect, in the first instance, shall decide on questions arising under the contract Documents and interpret the requirements therein. Such decisions shall be given in writing.

2.4.2 The Contractor shall notify the Engineer/Architect in writing within fourteen (14) days of receipt of a decision of the Engineer/Architect referred to in 2.4.1, should they hold that a decision by the Engineer/Architect is in error and/or at variance with the Contract Documents. Unless the Contractor fulfils this requirement, subsequent claims by them for extra compensation arising out of the decision will not be accepted.

2.4.3 If the question of error and/or variance is not resolved immediately, and the Engineer/Architect decides that the disputed work shall be carried out, the Contractor shall act according to the Engineer/Architect’s written decision.

Any questions of change in Contract Price and/or extension of Contract Time due to such error and/or variance shall be decided as provided in 2.11.0 DISPUTES.

2.5.0 DELAYS

2.5.1 If it can be clearly shown that the Contractor is delayed in the performance of the Work by any act or fault of the Owner, Engineer/Architect, then the Contract Time shall be extended for such reasonable time as the Engineer/Architect may decide in consultation with the Owner and the Contractor. The Contractor shall be entitled to be reimbursed for any costs incurred by them as a result of such a delay occasioned by the act or fault, provided that it can be clearly shown that the Contractor’s forces cannot work efficiently elsewhere on the project and that the incurred cost is limited to that which could not reasonably have been avoided.

2.5.2 If the Contractor is delayed in the performance of the Work by a Stop Work Order issued by any court or other public authority and providing that such order was not issued as the result of any act or fault of the Contractor or of anyone employed by them directly or indirectly then the Contract Time shall be extended for such reasonable time as the Engineer/Architect may decide in consultation with the Contractor.

2.5.3 If the Contractor is delayed in the performance of the Work by civil disorders, labour disputes, strikes, lockouts, (including lockouts decreed or recommended for its members by a recognized Contractor’s Association, of which the Contractor is a member) fire, unusual delay by common carriers or unavoidable casualties, or without limit to any of the foregoing, by any cause of any kind whatsoever beyond the Contractor’s control, then the Contract Time shall be extended for such reasonable time as may be decided by the Engineer/Architect in consultation with the Owner and the Contractor, but in no case shall the extension of time be less than the time lost as the result of the event causing the delay, unless such shorter extension of time be agreed to by the Contractor.
2.5.4 No extension shall be made for delays unless written notice of claims is given to the Engineer/Architect within fourteen (14) days of its commencement, providing that in the case of the continuing cause of delay one notice shall be necessary.

2.5.5 If no schedule is provided under 2.3.0 ADDITIONAL INSTRUCTIONS AND SCHEDULE OF WORK, no claim for delay will be considered because of failure to furnish instructions until fourteen (14) days after a demand for such instructions had been made and not then unless such claim is reasonable.

2.6.0 OWNER’S RIGHT TO PERFORM WORK, STOP WORK AND/OR TERMINATE CONTRACT

2.6.1 If the Contractor should be adjudged bankrupt or makes a general assignment for the benefit of creditors because of their insolvency or if a Receiver is appointed on account of their insolvency, the Owner may, without prejudice to any other right or remedy they may have, by giving the Contractor or Receiver or Trustee in Bankruptcy written notice, terminate the Contract. If a Performance Bond has been provided by the Contractor guaranteeing faithful performance of the Work, the Owner shall give written notice to the Surety invoking the terms of the bond.

2.6.2 The Owner may notify the Contractor in writing that they are in default of their contractual obligations, if the Contractor:

a) Fails to proceed regularly and diligently with the Work; or

b) Without reasonable cause wholly suspends the carrying out of the Work before the completion thereof; or

c) Refuses or fails to supply sufficient, properly skilled workmen for proper workmanship, products or construction machinery and equipment for the scheduled performance of the Work within five (5) working days of receiving written notice from the Engineer/Architect except in those cases provided in 2.5.0 DELAYS; or

d) Fails to make payments due to their Subcontractors, their Suppliers for their workmen; or

e) Persistently disregards laws or ordinances, or the Engineer/Architect’s instructions; or

f) Otherwise violates the provisions of their Contract to a substantial degree.

Such written notice by the Owner shall instruct the Contractor to correct the default within five (5) working days from the receipt of the written notice. If a Performance Bond has been provided by the Contractor, a copy of such written notice will be provided to the Surety.
2.6.3 If the correction of the default cannot be completed within the five (5) working days specified, the Contractor shall be considered to be in compliance with the Owner’s instruction if they:

a) Commence the correction of the default within the specified time; and

b) Provide the Owner with an acceptable schedule for such correction; and

c) Complete the correction in accordance with such schedule.

2.6.4 If the Contractor fails to correct the default within the time specified or subsequently agreed upon, the Owner may, without prejudice to any other right or remedy they may have:

a) Correct such default and deduct the cost thereof as certified by the Engineer/Architect from any payment due under the Contract; or

b) Terminate the Contract by written notice to the Contractor. If a Performance Bond has been provided by the Contractor, the Owner will provide the Surety with a copy of such notice.

2.6.5 If the Owner terminates the Contract under the conditions set out above, they are entitled to:

a) Take possession of the premises and products and utilize the temporary buildings, plants, tools, construction machinery and equipment, goods and materials, intended for, delivered to and placed on or adjacent to the Work and may complete the Work by whatever method they may deem expedient but without undue delay or expense;

b) Withhold any further payments to the Contractor until the Work is finished;

c) Upon total performance of the Work, charge the Contractor the amount by which the full cost of finishing the Work as certified by the Engineer/Architect including compensation to the Engineer/Architect for their additional services and a reasonable allowance to cover the cost of any corrections required by 2.26.0 WARRANTY exceeds the unpaid balance of the Contract Price; or if such cost of finishing the Work is less than the unpaid balance of the Contract Price, pay the Contractor the difference;

d) On expiry of the warranty period, charge the Contractor the amount by which the cost of corrections under 2.26.0 WARRANTY exceeds the allowance provided for such corrections, or if the cost of such corrections is less than the allowance, pay the Contractor the difference;
e) Invoke the terms of the Performance Bond if such Bond has been provided under the Contract.

2.6.6 The Contractor’s obligation under the Contract as to the performance of the Work up to the time of termination will remain in force after such termination.

2.7.0 CONTRACTOR’S RIGHT TO STOP WORK AND/OR TERMINATE CONTRACT

2.7.1 If the Owner should be adjudged bankrupt or makes a general assignment for the benefit of creditors or if a Receiver is appointed on account of their insolvency, the Contractor may, without prejudice to any other right or remedy they may have, by giving the Owner written notice, terminate the Contract.

2.7.2 If the Work should be stopped or otherwise delayed for a period of thirty (30) days or more under an order of any court or other public authority and providing that such order was not issued as the result of any act or fault of the Contractor or of anyone directly or indirectly employed by him, the Contractor may, without prejudice to any other right or remedy they may have, by giving the Owner fifteen (15) days’ written notice, terminate the Contract.

2.7.3 The Contractor may notify the Owner in writing that the Owner is in default of their contractual obligations if:

a) The Engineer/Architect fails to issue a certificate in accordance with 2.16.0 CERTIFICATES AND PAYMENTS;

b) The Owner fails to pay the Contractor when due any amount certified by the Engineer/Architect and verified by the audit of the Owner;

c) The Owner violates the provisions of the Contract to a substantial degree.

Such written notice shall advise the Owner that if such default is not corrected within fifteen (15) days from the receipt of the written notice, the Contractor may, without prejudice to any other right or remedy they may have, stop the Work and/or terminate the Contract.

2.7.4 If the Contractor terminates the Contract under the conditions set out above, they shall be entitled to be paid for all work performed including reasonable overhead and profit and for any loss sustained upon products, construction machinery and equipment and other damages as the Contractor may have sustained as a result of the termination of the Contract.
2.8.0 OTHER CONTRACTORS

2.8.1 The Owner reserves the right to let separate contracts in connection with the project of which the Work is part or do certain work by their own forces.

2.8.2 The Owner shall, in such cases, coordinate the Work and insurance coverage of other Contractors as it affects the Work of this Contract.

2.8.3 The Contractor shall coordinate their work with that of other Contractors and connect as specified or shown in the Contract Documents. Any change in the costs incurred by the Contractor in the planning and performance of such work which was not shown or included in the Contract Documents as of the date of signing the Contract, shall be evaluated as provided under 2.14.0 VALUATION AND CERTIFICATION OF CHANGES IN THE WORK and authorized as provided in 2.13.0 CHANGES IN THE WORK AND EXTRA WORK.

2.8.4 The Contractor shall report to the Engineer/Architect any apparent deficiencies in other Contractor’s work which would affect this Contract immediately as they come to their attention and shall confirm such report in writing. Failure by the Contractor to so report shall invalidate any claims against the Owner by reason of the deficiencies of other Contractor’s work except as to those of which they were not reasonably aware.

2.9.0 ASSIGNMENT

2.9.1 The Contractor shall not assign the Contract or any part thereof or any benefit or interest therein or thereunder without the written consent of the Owner.

2.10.0 SUBCONTRACTORS

2.10.1 The Contractor agrees to preserve and protect the rights of the Owner under the Contract with respect to any work to be performed under subcontract. The Contractor shall:

a) Require their Subcontractors to perform their work in accordance with and subject to the terms and conditions of the Contract Documents; and

b) Be fully responsible to the Owner for acts and omissions of their Subcontractors and of persons directly or indirectly employed by them as for acts and omissions of persons directly employed by them.

The Contractor, therefore, agrees that they will incorporate all the terms and conditions of the Contract Documents into all Subcontractor Agreements they enter into with their Subcontractors.
2.10.2 The Contractor shall employ those Subcontractors proposed by them in writing and accepted by the Owner prior to the signing of the Contract for such portions of the Work as may be designated in the bidding requirements.

2.10.3 The Owner may, for reasonable cause, object to the use of a proposed Subcontractor and require the Contractor to employ one of the other Subcontractor Tenderers.

2.10.4 In the event that the Owner requires a change from any proposed Subcontractor, the Contract price shall be adjusted by the difference in cost occasioned by such required change.

2.10.5 The Contractor shall not be required to employ as a Subcontractor any person or firm to whom they may reasonably object.

2.10.6 The Engineer/Architect may, upon reasonable request and at their discretion, provide to a Subcontractor information as to the percentage of the Subcontractor's work which has been certified for payment.

2.10.7 Nothing contained in the Contract Documents shall create any contractual relationship between any Subcontractor and the Owner.

2.11.0 DISPUTES

2.11.1 Differences between the parties to the Contract as to the interpretation, application or administration of this Contract or any failure to agree where agreement between the parties is called for, herein collectively called disputes, which are not resolved in the first instances by decision of the Engineer/Architect pursuant to the provisions of 2.4.0 ENGINEER/ARCHITECT’S DECISIONS shall be settled in accordance with the requirement of the General Conditions.

2.11.2 The Claimant shall give written notice of such dispute to the other party no later than fourteen (14) days after the receipt of the Engineer/Architect’s decisions given under 2.4.0 ENGINEER/ARCHITECT’S DECISIONS. Such notice shall set forth particulars of the matters in dispute, the probable scope, extent and value of the dispute and relevant provisions of the Contract Documents. The other party shall reply to such notice no later than fourteen (14) days after they receive or are considered to have received it, setting out in such reply their grounds and other relevant provisions of the Contract Documents.

2.11.3 Pending settlement of the dispute, the Engineer/Architect will give such instructions as, in their opinion, are necessary for the proper performance of the Work or to prevent delays pending settlement of the dispute. The parties shall act immediately according to such instructions, it being understood that by so doing neither party will jeopardize any claim they may have. If it is subsequently determined that such instructions were in error or at variance with the Contract Documents, the Owner shall pay the Contractor cost incurred by the Contractor in carrying out such instructions which they were
required to do beyond what the Contract Documents correctly understood and interpreted would have required them to do, including costs resulting from interruption of the Work.

2.11.4 It is agreed that no act by either party shall be construed as a renunciation or waiver of any of their rights or recourse, provided they have given the notices in accordance with Paragraph 2.11.2 and have carried out the instructions as provided in Paragraph 2.11.3.

2.11.5 If the dispute or claim cannot be resolved to the satisfaction of both parties, either party may refer the matter to such judicial tribunal as the circumstances require.

2.11.6 In recognition of the obligation of the Contractor to perform the disputed work as provided in Paragraph 2.11.3, it is agreed that settlement of dispute proceedings may be commenced immediately following the dispute in accordance with the aforegoing settlement of dispute procedures.

2.12.0 INDEMNIFICATION

2.12.1 Except as provided in Paragraph 2.10.2, the Contractor shall be liable for and shall indemnify and hold harmless the Owner and the Engineer/Architect, their agents and employees from and against all claims, demands, losses, costs, damages, actions, suits or proceedings whatsoever arising under any statute or Common law.

   a) In respect of personal injury to or the death of any person whomsoever arising out of or in the course of or caused by the carrying out of the Work; and

   b) In respect of any injury or damage whatsoever to any property, real or personal or any chattel real, insofar as such injury or damage arises out of or in the course of or by reason of the carrying out of the Work.

2.12.2 The Contractor shall not be liable under Paragraph 2.12.1 if the injury, death, loss or damage is due to any act or neglect of the Owner or Engineer/Architect, their agents or employees.

2.13.0 CHANGES IN THE WORK AND EXTRA WORK

2.13.1 The Owner may, without invalidating the Contract, make changes by altering, adding to or deducting from the Work, with the Contract Price and the Contract Time being adjusted accordingly; and

2.13.2 No change in the Work shall be made without prior written order from the Owner, and no claim for an addition or deduction to the Contract Price or change in the Contract Time shall be valid unless so ordered and at the same time valued or agreed to be valued as provided in 2.14.0 VALUATION AND CERTIFICATION OF CHANGES IN THE WORK. Signed faxed copies are acceptable at the discretion of the Owner.
2.14.0  VALUATION AND CERTIFICATION OF CHANGES IN THE WORK

2.14.1  The value of any change shall be determined in one or more of the following methods:

a)  By estimate and acceptance in a lump sum;

b)  By unit prices subsequently agreed upon;

c)  By cost and a fixed or percentage fee.

In the case of changes in the Work valued as outlined in Paragraph 2.14.1(a) (as will be the usual case), the Contractor will submit an itemized estimate of all materials and labour (including Subcontractor’s work) to complete the change.

In the case of changes in the Work as valued in Paragraph 2.14.1 (c), the Contractor shall submit detailed invoices, vouchers and time sheets for all materials and labour to complete the change.

The submissions in both cases shall be in the manner acceptable to the Engineer/Architect and will show separately the following percentages for overhead and profit:

(i)  Subcontractors shall include, in the breakdown, their 15 percent mark-up (10 percent of the estimated cost for the overhead and 5 percent for profit).

(ii)  The Contractor shall include, in the breakdown, the percentages as outlined in (i) for the overhead and profit on their portion of the Work.

(iii)  The Contractor shall add 10 percent to the Subcontractor’s pricing for their own profit and overhead combined.

2.14.2  Notwithstanding the provisions of Paragraph 2.14.1, in case of changes in the Work, the amount charged for equipment rentals shall be that provided in the rental Contract, and no additional amount shall be paid as markup for overhead or profit for the Contractor or Subcontractor.

2.14.3  When a change in the Work is proposed or required, the Contractor shall present to the Engineer/Architect for approval their claim for the change in the Contract Price and/or change in the Contract Time in a form acceptable to the Engineer/Architect and including the appropriate documentation. The Engineer/Architect shall satisfy themselves as to the correctness of such claim, and when approved by the Owner, a change order will be issued to the Contractor to proceed with the change. The value of Work performed in the change shall be included for payment with the regular certificates for payment.
2.14.4 In the case of changes in the Work to be paid for under methods (b) and (c) of Paragraph 2.14.1, the form of presentation of costs and methods of measurement shall be agreed to by the Engineer/Architect and Contractor before proceeding with the change. The Contractor shall keep accurate records, as agreed upon, of quantities or costs and present an account of the cost of the change in the Work, together with vouchers where applicable.

2.14.5 If the method of valuation, measurement and the change in Contract Price and/or change in Contract Time cannot be promptly agreed upon, and the change is required to be proceeded with, then the valuation, measurement and the change in Contract Price and/or Contract Time will be subject to final determination in the manner set out in 2.11.0 DISPUTES. In this case, the Engineer/Architect shall, with the consent of the Owner, issue a written authorization for the change setting out the method of valuation and, if by lump sum, their valuation of the change in Contract Price and/or Contract Time.

2.14.6 In the case of a dispute in the valuation of a change authorized in the Work and pending final determination of such value, the Engineer/Architect shall certify the value of the Work performed in accordance with their own evaluation of the change and include the amount with the regular certificates for payment. The Contractor shall keep accurate records of quantities and cost of such work.

2.14.7 It is intended in all matters referred to above that both the Engineer/Architect and Contractor shall act promptly.

2.14.8 Should the Owner direct the Contractor not to correct work that has been damaged or that was not performed in accordance with the Contract Document, an equitable deduction from the Contract amount by the Architect/Engineer shall be made to compensate the Owner for the uncorrected or uncompleted work.

2.14.9 Credits will be based on the net cost of material and labour or the net difference in the unit price quantities.

2.15.0 APPLICATION FOR PAYMENT

2.15.1 Applications for payment on account may be made monthly as the Work progresses.

2.15.2 Applications for payment shall be made monthly on a date to be agreed upon between the Owner and the Contractor, and the amount claimed shall be for the value proportionate to the amount of the Contract, of the Work performed and products delivered to the site at that date.

2.15.3 The Contractor shall submit to the Engineer/Architect, before the first application for payment, a schedule of values of the various parts of the Work aggregating the total amount of the Contract Price and divided so as to facilitate evaluation of applications for payment.
2.15.4 This schedule shall be made out in such form and supported by such evidence as to its correctness as the Engineer/Architect may reasonably direct and, when approved by the Engineer/Architect, shall be used as the basis for application for payment.

2.15.5 When making application for payment, the Contractor shall submit a statement based upon this schedule. Claims for products delivered to the site but not yet incorporated into the Work shall be supported by such evidence as the Engineer/Architect may reasonably require to establish the value and delivery of the products.

2.15.6 With each monthly claim for payment, except the first, the Contractor shall submit a Statutory Declaration attesting that they have made all payments to Subcontractors, Suppliers, and workmen on behalf of whom amounts were included in the previous claim for payment.

2.15.7 Applications for release of holdback monies following the substantial performance of the Work and the application for final payment shall be made at the time in the manner set forth in 2.16.0 CERTIFICATES AND PAYMENTS.

2.15.8 For all projects, it should be clearly understood that the University's policy is as follows:

a) Each Progress Claim must be accompanied by a breakdown indicating amounts included for each Subcontractor;

b) When the University makes a Progress Payment, it is made in prorated amounts on behalf of those Subcontractors for whom amounts have been included in the corresponding Progress Claim;

c) The Contractor submitting the Progress Claim must make payment of the amounts included for the various Subcontractors to the various Subcontractors within ten (10) working days of issuance of the Progress Payment by the University.

d) Monthly payment amounts are not final or conclusive as to their value or quality of work performed and are subject to reopening and readjustment

2.15.9 Contractors not following the above procedures will be considered to be in default of their Contract, and the University may proceed in accordance with Article 2.6.0 OWNER’S RIGHT TO PERFORM WORK, STOP WORK AND/OR TERMINATE CONTRACT Subsection 2.6.2 (d) of the General Conditions.
2.16.0 CERTIFICATES AND PAYMENTS

2.16.1 The Engineer/Architect shall, within ten (10) days of receipt of an application for payment from the Contractor submitted in accordance with 2.15.0 APPLICATION FOR PAYMENT, issue a certificate for payment in the amount applied for or such amount as they shall determine to be properly due. If the Engineer/Architect amends the application, they shall promptly notify the Contractor in writing, giving their reason(s) for the amendment.

2.16.2 The Owner shall, within thirty (30) days of receipt and approval by the Owner of a certificate for payment from the Engineer/Architect, make payment to the Contractor on account.

2.16.3 Notwithstanding any other provisions of the Contract:

a) Where legislation permits and where, upon application by the Contractor, the Engineer/Architect has certified that a Subcontract has been totally performed to their satisfaction prior to the Substantial Performance of this Contract, the Owner may, at their discretion, pay the Contractor the holdback retained for such Subcontractor on the day following the expiration of the Statutory Limitations Period stipulated in the Mechanic’s Lien Act applicable to the place of the Work and subject to the following conditions:

(i) A copy of the Contract between the Subcontractor and the General Contractor must be submitted.

(ii) The Subcontract is completed without deficiencies.

(iii) The warranty for the Subcontract will not start until Substantial Performance of the General Contract.

(iv) The General Contractor provides an approved Statutory Declaration that all monies have been paid to the said Subcontractor.

(v) The General Contractor provides an approved Waiver of Lien from this Subcontractor.

(vi) The Contractor and the Subcontractor provide an approved Waiver of Claim for all work associated with this Subcontractor.

(vii) A certificate is issued by the Engineer/Architect indicating that the Subcontract has been totally completed to their satisfaction.

(viii) The Owner will, at that time, release the total amount specified on the Subcontractor’s Contract.
2.16.4 Notwithstanding the provisions of Paragraph 16.3 (a) and notwithstanding the wording of such certificate, the Contractor shall ensure that such work is protected pending the Total Performance of the Contract and be responsible for the correction of any defects in it regardless of whether or not they were apparent when such certificates were issued.

2.16.5 The Engineer/Architect shall within ten (10) days of receipt of an application from the Contractor for a Certificate of Substantial Performance make an inspection and assessment of the Work to verify the validity of the application. The Engineer/Architect shall within seven (7) days of their inspection notify the Contractor of their approval or the reasons for their disapproval of the application. When the Engineer/Architect finds the Work to be substantially performed, they shall issue such a certificate. The date of this certificate shall be the date of Substantial Performance of the Contract. Immediately following the issuance of the Certificate of Substantial Performance, the Engineer/Architect, in consultation with the Contractor, shall establish a reasonable date for the Total Performance of the Contract.

2.16.6 Following the issuance of the Certificate of Substantial Performance and upon receipt from the Contractor of all documentation called for in the Contract Documents, the Engineer/Architect shall issue a Certificate for Payment of holdback monies, providing that no lien or privilege claims against the Work exists, that the Contractor has submitted to the Owner a sworn statement that all accounts for labour, Subcontracts, products, construction machinery and equipment and any other indebtedness which may have been incurred by the Contractor in the Substantial Performance of the Work and for which the Owner might in any way be held responsible, have been paid in full and that the Contractor has submitted to the Owner a waiver of all claims associated with this project except holdback monies properly retained. The holdback monies will become due and payable on the day following the expiration of the Statutory Limitation Period stipulated in the Mechanic’s Lien Act applicable to the place of buildings. The Owner may retain out of such holdback monies any sum required by law to satisfy any liens against the Work or other monetary claims against the Contractor which may be enforceable against the Owner.

2.16.7 The Engineer/Architect shall, within ten (10) days of receipt of an application from the Contractor for payment upon Total Performance of the Contract, make an inspection and assessment of the Work to verify the validity of the application. The Engineer/Architect shall, within seven (7) days of their inspection, notify the Contractor of their approval or the reasons for their disapproval of the application. When the Engineer/Architect finds the Work to be totally performed to their satisfaction, they shall issue a Certificate of Total Performance and certify for payment the remaining monies due to the Contractor under the Contract, less any holdback monies which are required to be retained. The date of this certificate shall be the date of Total Performance of the Contract. The Owner shall, within thirty (30) days of issuance of such certificate, make payment to the Contractor in accordance with the provisions of the Contract.

2.16.8 The release of any remaining holdback monies shall become due and payable on the day following the expiration of the Statutory Limitation period stipulated in the
Mechanics’ Lien Act of the place of building provided that no claims against the Work exists and that the Contractor has submitted to the Owner a sworn statement that all accounts for labour, Subcontractors, products, construction machinery and equipment and any other indebtedness which may have been incurred by the Contractor in the Total Performance of the Work and for which the Owner might in any way be held responsible have been paid in full, except holdback monies properly retained.

2.16.9 No certificate for payment, any payment made thereunder or any partial or entire use of occupancy of the Work by the Owner shall constitute an acceptance of any work or products not in accordance with the Contract Documents.

2.16.10 As of the date of Total Performance of the Work as set out in the Certificate of Total Performance of the Work, the Owner expressly waives and releases the Contractor from all claims against the Contractor including, without limitation, those that might arise from the negligence or breach of Contract by the Contractor except one or more of the following:

a) Those made in writing prior to the date of the Total Performance of the Work and still unsettled;

b) Those arising from the provisions of 2.12.0 INDEMNIFICATION or 2.26.0 WARRANTY;

c) Those made in writing within a period of six (6) years from the date of Substantial Performance of the Work, as set out in the Certificate of Substantial Performance of the Work or within such shorter period as may be prescribed by any Limitation Statute of the Province of Newfoundland and Labrador and arising from any liability of the Contractor for damages resulting from their performance of the Contract with respect to substantial defects or deficiencies in the Work for which the Contractor is proven responsible.

As used herein, "substantial defects or deficiencies" means those defects or deficiencies in the Work which affect the Work to such an extent or in such manner that a significant part or the whole of the Work is unfit for the purpose intended by the Contract Documents.

2.16.11 As of the date of Total Performance of the Work, as set out in the Certificate of Total Performance of Work, the Contractor expressly waives and releases the Owner from all claims against the Owner including, without limitation, those that might arise from the negligence or breach of Contract by the Owner except those made in writing prior to the Contractor’s application for payment upon Total Performance of the Work and still unsettled.

2.16.12 In the event of conflict between the provisions of the General Conditions and 2.24.0 DAMAGES AND MUTUAL RESPONSIBILITY, the provisions of this General Condition shall govern.
2.16.13 The holdback to be used by the Engineer/Architect when issuing certificates of payment will be ten (10) percent of the value of the Work completed at the date of Contractor’s claim.

2.16.14 Notwithstanding any other provision of this Contract, the Owner may:

a) In the event of a claim by the Owner against the Contractor for damages arising out of the performance or non-performance of the Contract, withhold payment of any amount equal to the alleged damages until the liability for damages is established, and no amount of interest will be paid on amounts held under this Clause;

b) Set-off amounts owing by the Contractor to the Owner;

c) Following the issuance of the Certificate of Substantial Performance, withhold payment of an amount equal to twice the cost as estimated by the Engineer/Architect of remedying deficiencies until the issuance of a Certificate of Total Performance, and no amount of interest will be paid on amounts held under this Clause.

2.17.0 TAXES AND DUTIES

2.17.1 Unless otherwise stated in the Supplementary General Conditions, the Contractor shall pay all applicable government sales taxes, goods and services taxes, customs duties and excise taxes with respect to the Contract.

2.17.2 Any increase or decrease in costs to the Contractor due to changes in such taxes and duties after the date of the Agreement and up to the agreed date of completion shall increase or decrease the Contract Price accordingly. If the Owner so desires, the Contractor is to cooperate with the Engineer/Architect and Owner and permit access to books and records in order to establish the amount of such taxes involved.

2.17.3 The Contractor shall maintain full records of their estimates and of actual costs to them of the Work, together with all proper tender calls, quotations, contracts, correspondence, invoices, receipts, payments to Subcontractors and Suppliers and vouchers relating thereto and shall make them available to audit and inspection by the Owner, the Auditor General for Newfoundland and Labrador or by persons acting on their behalf and shall furnish them with any information which they may require from time to time in connection with such records.

2.18.0 LAWS, NOTICES, PERMITS AND FEES

2.18.1 The laws of the Province of Newfoundland and Labrador shall govern the Work.
2.18.2 The Contractor shall obtain all permits, licenses and certificates and pay all fees required for the performance of the Work which are in force at the date of tender closing with the following exceptions:

a) The Contractor shall obtain building permits for the Work but are not required to pay for said permits.

b) The Contractor shall not include the obtaining of permanent easements or rights of servitude.

2.18.3 The Contractor shall give all required notices and comply with all laws, ordinances, rules, regulations, codes and order of all authorities having jurisdiction relating to the Work, to the preservation of the public health and construction safety which are or become in force during the performance of the Work.

2.18.4 The Contractor shall not be responsible for verifying that the Contract Documents are in compliance with the applicable laws, ordinances, rules, regulations and codes relating to the Work. If the Contract Documents are a variance therewith or changes which necessitate modifications to the Contract Documents are required by the authorities having jurisdiction subsequent to the date of tender closing, the Contractor shall notify the Engineer/Architect in writing requesting direction immediately when any such variance or change is observed by them. The Engineer/Architect will make the changes required to the Contract Documents, and the Contract Price and/or Contract Time shall be adjusted in accordance with 2.13.0 CHANGES IN THE WORK AND EXTRA WORK and evaluated in accordance with 2.14.0 VALUATION AND CERTIFICATION OF CHANGES IN THE WORK.

2.18.5 If the Contractor fails to notify the Engineer/Architect in writing and obtain their direction as required in 2.18.4 and performs any work knowing it to be contrary to any laws, ordinances, rules, regulation, codes and orders of any authority having jurisdiction, they shall be responsible for and shall correct any violations thereof and shall bear all costs, expense and damages, attributable to their failure to comply with the provisions of such laws, ordinances, rules, regulations, codes and orders.

2.19.0 PATENT FEES

2.19.1 The Contractor shall pay all royalties and patent license fees required for the performance of the Contract and such royalties or fees shall be deemed to have been included in the Contract Price. They shall hold the Owner harmless from and against all claims, demands, losses, costs, damages, actions, suits or proceedings arising out of the Contractor’s performance of the Contract which are attributable to an infringement or an alleged infringement of any patent or invention by the Contractor or anyone for whose acts they may be liable.

2.19.2 The Owner shall hold the Contractor harmless against all claims, demands, losses, costs, damages, actions, suits or proceedings arising out of the Contractor’s performance of the Contract which are attributable to an infringement or an alleged
infringement of any patent or invention in executing anything for the purpose of the
Contract, the model, plan or design of which was supplied to the Contractor by the
Owner.

2.20.0 WORKERS’ COMPENSATION

2.20.1 The Contractor shall be registered with and shall remain in good standing with the
Workplace Health and Safety Compensation Commission during the term of their
Contract.

2.20.2 At any time during the term of the Contract when requested by the Owner, the
Contractor shall provide evidence of compliance by themselves and any or all of their
Subcontractors.

2.21.0 LIABILITY INSURANCE

2.21.1 Comprehensive General Liability Insurance

a) Without restricting the generality of 2.12.0 INDEMNIFICATION, the Contractor
shall provide and maintain, either by way of a separate policy or by an
endorsement to their existing policy, Comprehensive General Liability Insurance
acceptable to the Owner and subject to limits set out in detail below, inclusive per
occurrence for bodily injury, death and damage to property including loss of use
thereof.

b) The insurance shall be in the joint names of the Contractor and the Owner. It shall
also cover as named Insureds all Subcontractors and anyone employed directly or
indirectly by the Contractor or their Subcontractors to perform a part or parts of the
Work but excluding Suppliers whose only function is to supply and/or transport
products to the project site.

c) The insurance shall also include as Named Insureds the architectural and
engineering consultants of the Owner and Engineer/Architect.

d) The insurance shall preclude subrogation claims by the Insurer against anyone
insured thereunder.

e) The Comprehensive General Liability Insurance will not be limited to, but shall
include coverage for:

   (i) Premises and Operations Liability

   (ii) Products or Completed Operations Liability

   (iii) Blanket Contractual Liability
(iv) Cross Liability

(v) Elevator and Hoist Liability

(vi) Contingent Employer’s Liability

(vii) Personal Injury Liability arising out of false arrest, detention or imprisonment or malicious prosecution, libel, slander or defamation of character, invasion of privacy or wrongful entry

(viii) Shoring, blasting, excavating, underpinning, demolition, pile driving and caisson work, work below ground surface, tunnelling and grading, as applicable

(ix) Liability with respect to non-owned, licensed vehicles.

2.21.2 The Contractor shall provide and maintain liability insurance in respect of owned licensed vehicles subject to limits set out in detail in Article 2.21.0 LIABILITY INSURANCE subsection 2.21.6.

2.21.3 All liability insurance shall be maintained continuously until twelve (12) months after the date the Engineer/Architect issues a Certificate of Substantial Performance.

2.21.4 The Contractor shall provide the Owner with evidence of all liability insurance prior to the commencement of the Work and shall promptly provide the Owner with a certified true copy of each insurance policy.

2.21.5 All liability insurance policies shall contain an endorsement to provide all Named Insureds with prior notice of changes and cancellations. Such endorsements shall be in the following form:

"It is understood and agreed that the coverage provided by this policy will not be changed or amended in any way nor cancelled until thirty (30) days after written notice of such change or cancellation shall have been given to all Named Insureds."

2.21.6 The Contractor shall protect themselves and indemnify and save the Owner harmless from any and all claims which may arise from the Contractor’s performance or failure of performance of the Contract and for this purpose shall, without restricting the generality of the foregoing, maintain insurance acceptable to the Owner to the following limits:

a) Where the contract value exceed $100,000 (inclusive of HST)
   - Comprehensive General Liability = $3,000,000.00;
   - Standard Automobile Policy Liability = $3,000,000.00.
b) Where the contract value is less than $100,000 (inclusive of HST)
- Comprehensive General Liability = $2,000,000.00;
- Standard Automobile Policy Liability = $2,000,000.00.

Prior to the commencement of any work hereunder, the Contractor shall file with the Owner a copy of each insurance policy and certificate required.

2.22.0 PROPERTY INSURANCE

2.22.1 The Contractor shall provide and maintain property insurance acceptable to the Owner insuring the full value of the Work in the amount of the replacement cost or the Contract value, whichever is greater, and the full value as stated of products for incorporation into the Work. The insurance shall be in the joint names of the Contractor, the Owner, the Subcontractors as Unnamed Insured or, if they specifically request, as Named Insured. The policies shall preclude subrogation claims by the Insurer against anyone insured thereunder.

2.22.2 Such coverage shall be provided by EITHER an ALL RISKS Builders’ Risk Policy OR by a combination of a Coverage and Malicious Damage Endorsements and a Builder’s Risk Difference in Conditions Policy providing equivalent coverage of Piers, Wharves and Docks, Government Structures Policy.

2.22.3 The policies shall insure against all risks of direct loss or damage. Such coverage shall apply to:

a) All products, labour and supplies of any nature whatsoever, the property of the Insureds or of others for which the Insureds may have assumed responsibility, to be used in or pertaining to the site preparations, demolition of existing structures, erections and/or fabrication and/or reconstruction and/or repair of the insured project, while on the site or in transit, subject to the exclusion of the property specified.

b) The installation, testing and any subsequent use of machinery and equipment including boilers, pressure vessels or vessels under vacuum.

c) Damage to the Work caused by an accident to and/or the explosion of any boiler(s) or pressure vessel(s) forming part of the Work.

Such coverage shall exclude construction machinery, equipment, temporary structural and other temporary facilities, tools and supplies used in the construction of the Work and which are not expendable under the Contract.

2.22.4 The Contractor shall provide the Owner with evidence of all insurance prior to the commencement of the Work and shall promptly provide the Owner with a certified true copy of each insurance policy.
Policies provided shall contain an endorsement to provide all Named Insureds with prior notice of changes and cancellations. Such endorsements shall be in the following form:

"It is understood and agreed that the coverage provided by this policy will not be changed or amended in any way or cancelled until thirty (30) days after written notice of such change or cancellation shall have been given to all Named Insureds."

2.22.5 All such insurance shall be maintained continuously until ten (10) days after the date the Engineer/Architect issues a certificate of Total Performance. All such insurance shall provide for the Owner to take occupancy of the Work or any part thereof during the terms of this insurance. Any increase in the cost of this insurance arising out of such occupancy shall be at the Owner’s expense.

2.22.6 The policies shall provide that, in the event of a loss, payment for damage to the Work shall be made to the Owner and the Contractor as their respective interests may appear. Damage shall not affect the rights and obligations of either party under the Contract except that the Contractor shall be entitled to such reasonable extension of time for Substantial and Total Performance of the Work as the Engineer/Architect may decide.

2.22.7 The Contractor and/or their Subcontractors, as may be applicable, shall be responsible for any deductible amounts under the policies and for providing such additional insurance as may be required to protect the Insureds against loss on items excluded from the policies.

2.22.8 When this Contract pertains to a new building or structure with a total tender amount greater than $25,000.00, the Contractor shall maintain All Risk Builder’s Risk Insurance acceptable to the Owner in the joint names of the Owner and Contractor in the amount of 100 percent of the total value of the Work done and material delivered to the site and payable to the Owner and Contractor as their respective interest may appear.

2.23.0 PROTECTION OF WORK AND PROPERTY

2.23.1 The Contractor shall protect the property adjacent to the project site from damage as the result of their operations under the Contract.

2.23.2 The Contractor shall protect the Work and the Owner’s property from damage and shall be responsible for any damage which may arise as the result of their operations under the Contract except damage which occurs as the result of:

a) Errors in the Contract documents; and/or

b) Acts or omissions by the Owner, their agents, employees or other Contractors.
2.23.3 Should the Contractor, in the performance of this Contract, damage the Work and/or Owner’s property and/or property adjacent to the place of the Work, the Contractor shall be responsible for making good such damage at their own expense or pay all costs incurred by others in making good such damage.

2.23.4 Should any damage occur to the Work and/or Owner’s property for which the Contractor is not responsible as provided in of 2.12.0 INDEMNIFICATION, they shall make good such damage to the Work and, if the Owner so directs, to the Owner’s property, and the contract Price and Contract Time shall be adjusted in accordance with in 2.13.0 CHANGES IN THE WORK AND EXTRA WORK and evaluated in accordance with in 2.14.0 VALUATION AND CERTIFICATION OF CHANGES IN THE WORK.

2.23.5 The Contractor shall be completely responsible for the safety of the Work as it applies to protection of the public and property and construction of the Work. The codes that must be followed and enforced for safety are:

a) The National Building Code, Part 8, Safety Measures at Construction and Demolition Sites (Latest Edition);

b) Canadian Code for Construction Safety (Latest Edition) as issued by the Associate Committee of the National Building Code;

c) The Occupational Health and Safety Act (1979) and Regulations.

2.23.6 Any person not following stipulated safety regulations shall be dismissed.

2.24.0 DAMAGES AND MUTUAL RESPONSIBILITY

2.24.1 If either party to this Contract should suffer damage in any manner because of any wrongful act or neglect of the other party or anyone employed by them then they shall be reimbursed by the other party for such damages. The party reimbursing the other party shall be subrogated to the rights of the other party in respect of such wrongful act or neglect if it be that of a third party.

2.24.2 Claims under this Contract shall be made in writing to the party liable within two (2) weeks after the first observance of such damage and may be adjusted by agreement or in the manner set out in 2.11.0 DISPUTES.

2.24.3 If the Contractor has caused damage to any other Contractor on the Work, the Contractor agrees upon due notice to settle with such other Contractor by agreement or arbitration, if they will so settle. If such other Contractor sues the Owner on account of any damage alleged to have been sustained, the Owner shall notify the Contractor and may require the Contractor to defend the action at the Contractor’s expense. If
any final order or judgment against the Owner arises therefrom, the Contractor shall pay or satisfy it and pay all costs incurred by the Owner.

2.24.4 If the Contractor becomes liable to pay or satisfy any final order, judgment or award against the Owner then the Contractor, upon undertaking to indemnify the Owner against any and all liability for costs, shall have the right to appeal in the name of the Owner such final order or judgment to any and all courts of competent jurisdiction.

2.24.5 Should the Contractor fail to meet the date to substantially perform the Work, as indicated in the Agreement between the Owner and the Contractor, and is unable to provide justification acceptable to the Owner for the delay then the Contractor will be held liable for any liquidated damage amount indicated in 3.0 SUPPLEMENTARY GENERAL CONDITIONS and may be held liable for payment to the Owner for other damages and losses suffered by the Owner as a result of the Contractor’s delay including additional costs for Engineering/Architectural supervision.

2.25.0 BONDS

2.25.1 The Contractor shall promptly provide the Owner the surety bonds called for in the Tender Documents.

2.25.2 All such bonds shall be issued by a duly incorporated surety company approved by the Owner and authorized to transact a business or surety-ship in the Province of Newfoundland and Labrador.

2.25.3 If bonds are called for in the Tender and Acceptance form, Instructions to Tenderers or Supplementary General Conditions, the costs attributable to providing such bonds shall be included in the tender price.

2.25.4 Should the Owner require the provision of a bond or bonds by the Contractor other than those provided for under 2.25.3, the Contract Price shall be increased by all costs attributable to providing such bonds.

2.26.0 WARRANTY

2.26.1 The Contractor shall be responsible for the proper performance of the Work to the extend that the design and specifications permit such performance.

2.26.2 Subject to Paragraph 2.26.1, the Contractor agrees to correct promptly, at their own expense, defects or deficiencies in the Work which appear prior to and during the period of one (1) year from the date of Substantial Performance of the Work or such longer periods as may be specified for certain products or work.

2.26.3 The Contractor shall correct and/or pay for any damage to other work resulting from any corrections required under the conditions of Paragraph 2.26.2.
2.26.4 Neither the Engineer/Architect’s final certificate nor payment thereunder shall relieve the Contractor from their responsibility hereunder.

2.26.5 The Owner and/or Engineer/Architect shall give the Contractor written notice of observed defects promptly.

2.27.0 CONTRACTOR’S RESPONSIBILITIES AND CONTROL OF THE WORK

2.27.1 The Contractor shall have complete control of the Work and shall effectively direct and supervise the Work so as to ensure conformance with the requirements of the Contract Documents. They shall be solely responsible for all construction means, methods, techniques, sequences and procedures and for coordinating all parts of the Work under the Contract.

2.27.2 The Contractor shall have the sole responsibility for the design, erection, operation, maintenance and removal of temporary structural and other temporary facilities and the design and execution of construction methods required in their use. The Contractor shall engage and pay for registered professional engineering personnel skilled in the appropriate disciplines to perform these functions where required by law or by the Contract Documents and, in all cases, where such temporary facilities and their method of construction are of such a nature that professional engineering skill is required to produce safe and satisfactory results.

2.27.3 Notwithstanding the provision of Paragraphs 2.27.1 and 2.27.2 above or any provisions to the contrary elsewhere in the Contract Documents where such Contract Documents include designs for temporary structural and other temporary facilities or specify a method of construction in whole or in part, such facilities and methods shall be deemed to comprise part of the overall design of the Work, and the Contractor shall not be held responsible for that part of the design or the specified method of construction. The Contractor shall, however, be responsible for the execution of such design or specified method of construction in the same manner that they are responsible for the execution of the Work.

2.27.4 The Contractor shall carefully examine the Contract Documents and shall promptly report to the Engineer/Architect any error, inconsistency or omission they may discover. The Contractor shall not be held liable for any damage resulting from any such errors, inconsistencies or omissions in the Contract Documents which they may discover, and they shall not proceed with the Work affected until they have received corrected or missing information from the Engineer/Architect.

2.28.0 SUPERINTENDENCE

2.28.1 The Contractor shall employ a competent Superintendent and necessary assistants who shall be in attendance at the Work site at all times while the Work is being performed.
2.28.2 The Superintendent shall be satisfactory to the Engineer/Architect and shall not be changed except for good reason and only then after consultation with and agreement by the Engineer/Architect.

2.28.3 The Superintendent shall represent the Contractor at the place of work and instructions given to them by the Engineer/Architect shall be held to have been given to the Contractor. Important instructions shall be confirmed to the Contractor in writing, other instructions will be so confirmed if requested.

2.29.0 LABOUR AND PRODUCTS

2.29.1 Unless otherwise stipulated elsewhere in the Contract Documents, the Contractor shall provide and pay for all labour, products, tools, construction equipment and machinery, water, heat, light, power, transportation and other facilities and services necessary for the requirements of the Contract Documents.

2.29.2 All products provided shall be new unless otherwise specified in the Contract Documents. Any products which are not specified shall be of a quality best suited to the purpose required, and their use shall be subject to the approval of the Engineer/Architect.

2.29.3 In carrying out their duties under this Contract, the Contractor shall comply with all Provincial and Federal legislation respecting labour and the employment of labour, where applicable, including the Labour Standards Code and shall not operate in conflict with the Human Rights legislation. In the employment of labour, preference should be given to persons normally residing in Newfoundland and Labrador.

2.29.4 The Contractor and Subcontractors shall maintain and keep available for inspection by the Owner, a record of the names and addresses of all persons employed on the project.

2.29.5 The Contractor shall maintain good order and discipline among their employees engaged on the Work and shall employ on the Work only employees skilled in their various trades.

2.29.6 There shall be no discrimination in the selection of workers for employment on the project in respect to race, religion, views or political affiliation, and the office of the Canada Manpower will be used in the recruitment of workers wherever possible.

2.29.7 The Contractor shall pay fair wages and shall pay rates of wages and allowances to the various classes of labour not less favourable than those prevailing in the area where the Work is being performed.

2.29.8 The Contractor shall be aware that the majority of hourly-paid and maintenance workers employed within the University are unionized. It is of utmost importance that
any labour force used by the Contractor neither disrupts or be disrupted by any labour conditions existing on the University campus. Failure by the Contractor to familiarize themselves with labour conditions on Campus or disruptions to the Contractor’s own labour force because of labour conditions on Campus will not relieve them of their obligations to furnish all labour and materials necessary to carry out the requirements of the Contract.

2.30.0 **SUBSURFACE CONDITIONS**

2.30.1 The Contractor shall promptly notify the Engineer/Architect in writing if, in their opinion, the subsurface conditions at the project site differ materially from that indicated or reasonably inferred from the Contract Documents.

2.30.2 After prompt investigation, should the Engineer/Architect determine that conditions do differ materially, they shall issue appropriate instructions for changes in the Work as provided for in **2.13.0 CHANGES IN THE WORK AND EXTRA WORK**.

2.31.0 **USE OF THE WORK**

2.31.1 The Contractor shall confine their apparatus, the storage of products and the operations of their employees to limits indicated by laws, ordinances, permits or by instructions of the Engineer/Architect and shall not unreasonably encumber the premises with their products.

2.31.2 The Contractor shall not load or permit to be loaded any part of the Work with a weight or force that will endanger its safety.

2.31.3 Unless otherwise provided, the Contractor shall, at their own expense and without expense to the Owner, make suitable provision to accommodate all traffic, either pedestrian or vehicular, over or around the project upon which work is being performed in a manner satisfactory to the Engineer/Architect.

2.31.4 The Contractor shall provide and maintain at their own expense such fences, barriers, signs, lights and watchmen as may be necessary to prevent avoidable accidents to University Users or to the public generally.

2.31.5 All work shall be executed with the least possible interference with or disturbance to personnel and the Public. The Contractor shall cooperate with the person in charge of the premises. The Contractor shall ascertain from the Owner's representative the hours during which the work shall be performed, conform to the directions of the representative and to the directions of the said representative in determining the order in which the work shall be done.

2.31.6 The Contractor shall carry out all work required to maintain the building services and to provide necessary access for personnel and vehicles whenever new work affects occupied portions of the building.
2.31.7 Before final completion of the work, the Owner shall be entitled to make use of any portion of the work which is completed and fit for use for the installation of equipment, storage and furniture, supplies, etc., and for occupancy, if such can be arranged without interfering with the progress of the work.

2.32.0 **CUTTING AND REMEDIAL WORK**

2.32.1 The Contractor shall do all cutting and remedial work that may be required to make the several parts of the Work come together properly and shall coordinate the Work to ensure that this requirement is kept to a minimum.

2.32.2 Should the Owner, the Engineer/Architect, other contractors or anyone employed by them, be responsible for ill-timed work necessitating additional cutting and/or remedial work to be performed, it shall be valued as provided in **2.14.0 VALUATION AND CERTIFICATION OF CHANGES IN THE WORK** and added to the Contract Price.

2.32.3 Cutting and remedial work shall be performed by specialists familiar with the materials affected and shall be performed in a manner to neither damage nor endanger any work.

2.33.0 **INSPECTION OF WORK**

2.33.1 The Owner, the Engineer/Architect and their authorized representatives shall have access to the Work for inspection wherever it is in preparation or progress. The Contractor shall cooperate to provide reasonable facilities for such access.

2.33.2 If parts of the Work are designated for special tests, inspections or approvals in the Contract Documents or by the Engineer/Architect’s instructions or the laws or ordinances of the place of the Work, the Contractor shall give the Engineer/Architect timely notice requesting inspection. Inspection by the Engineer/Architect shall be made promptly. The Contractor shall arrange for inspections by other authorities and shall notify the Engineer/Architect with timely notice of the date and time.

2.33.3 If the Contractor covers or permits to be covered any of the Work that is designated for special tests, inspections or approvals, before such special tests, the Contractor shall, if so instructed by the Engineer/Architect, uncover the Work, have the inspection satisfactorily completed and make good the Work at their own expense.

2.33.4 The Engineer/Architect may order any part of the Work to be specifically examined, should they believe such work not to be in accordance with the requirements of the Contract Documents. If upon examination such work is found not to be in accordance with the requirements of the Contract Documents, the Contractor shall correct such work and pay the cost of examination and correction. If such work is found to be in accordance with the requirements of the Contract Documents, the Owner will pay the cost of examination and replacement.
2.33.5 The Contractors shall furnish promptly to the Engineer/Architect two (2) copies of all certificates and inspection reports relating to the Work.

2.34.0 REJECTED WORK

2.34.1 Defective work, whether the result of poor workmanship, use of defective products or damage through carelessness or other act or omission of the Contractor and whether incorporated in the Work or not which has been rejected by the Engineer/Architect as failing to conform to the Contract Documents, shall be removed promptly from the premises by the Contractor and replaced and/or re-executed promptly in accordance with the Contract Documents at the Contractor’s expense.

2.34.2 Other contractors’ work destroyed or damaged by such removals or replacements shall be made good promptly at the Contractor’s expense.

2.34.3 If, in the opinion of the Engineer/Architect, it is not expedient to correct defective work not done in accordance with the Contract Documents, the Owner may deduct from the Contract Price the difference in value between the Work as done and that called for by the Contract, the amount of which shall be determined in the first instance by the Engineer/Architect.

2.35.0 SHOP DRAWINGS AND SAMPLES

2.35.1 The term "shop drawings" means drawings, diagrams, illustrations, schedules, performance charts, brochures and other data which are to be provided by the Contractor to illustrate details of a portion of the Work.

2.35.2 The Contractor shall arrange for the preparation of clearly identified shop drawings as called for by the Contract Documents or as the Engineer/Architect may reasonably request.

2.35.3 Prior to submission to the Engineer/Architect, the Contractor shall review all shop drawings. By this review, the Contractor represents that they have determined and verified all field measurements, field construction criteria, materials, catalogue numbers and similar data, or will do so, and that they have checked and coordinated each shop drawing with the requirements of the Work and of the Contract Documents. The Contractor’s review of each shop drawing shall be indicated by stamp, date and signature of a responsible person.

2.35.4 The Contractor shall submit shop drawings to the Engineer/Architect for their review with reasonable promptness and in orderly sequence so as to cause no delay in the Work or in the Work of other contractors. If either the Contractor or the Engineer/Architect so requests, they shall jointly prepare a schedule fixing the dates for submission and return of shop drawings. Shop drawings shall be submitted in the form
of reproducible transparencies or prints as the Engineer/Architect may direct. At the

2.35.5 The Engineer/Architect will review and return shop drawings in accordance with any
time of the submission, the Contractor shall notify the Engineer/Architect in writing of
schedule agreed upon or otherwise with reasonable promptness so as to cause no
development of deviations in the shop drawings from the requirements of the Contract Documents.

2.35.6 The Contractor shall make any changes in shop drawings which the Engineer/
Architect may require consistent with the Contract Documents and resubmit, unless
otherwise directed by the Engineer/Architect. When resubmitting, the Contractor shall
notify the Engineer/Architect in writing of any deviations other than those requested by

2.35.7 The Contractor shall submit for the Engineer/Architect’s approval such standard
manufacturer’s samples as the Engineer/Architect may reasonably require. Samples
shall be labeled as to origin and intended use in the Work and shall conform to the
requirements of the Contract Documents.

2.35.8 The Contractor shall provide samples of special products, assemblies or components
when so specified. The cost of such samples not specified shall be authorized as an
addition to the Contract Price as provided in 2.13.0 CHANGES IN THE WORK AND
EXTRA WORK.

2.36.0 TESTS AND MIX DESIGNS

2.36.1 The Contractor shall furnish to the Engineer/Architect test results and mix designs as
may be requested. The testing company must first be approved by the

2.36.2 The cost of tests and mix designs beyond those called for in the Contract Documents
or beyond those required by law, ordinances, rules and regulations relating to the Work
and the preservation of public health, shall be authorized as an addition to the Contract
Price as provided in 2.13.0 CHANGES IN THE WORK AND EXTRA WORK.

2.37.0 MATERIALS AND SUBSTITUTIONS

2.37.1 Materials described and named in the specifications with "or approved equal" clause
after the Manufacturer’s name are so described as to the establish quality only, and
substitutions of a similar materials may be made before the award of the Contract
provided the Engineer/Architect’s approval is obtained. Substitutions after the award

may be considered under special circumstances as indicated in Subsection 1.7.4 in the INSTRUCTIONS TO TENDERERS.

2.37.2 Requests for substitutions must be accompanied by sufficient information in the form of shop drawings, manufacturer’s literature, samples and other data to permit proper investigation of the substitutes proposed, together with any increase or decrease in price.

2.37.3 Whenever a substitute is proposed for approval, the Contractor shall guarantee that such proposed substitute will not adversely affect the space requirements allocated on the drawings for the material specified, and they shall agree to bear any additional expense incurred due to their use of the proposed substitute.

2.37.4 The Engineer/Architect may accept or reject any or all of the proposed substitutions as they see fit, and their decision on a question of equality shall be final.

2.38.0 TIME OF ESSENCE

2.38.1 Time is of the essence of the Contract.

2.39.0 CASH ALLOWANCE

2.39.1 The Contract Price includes cash allowances, if any, stated in the Contract Documents.

2.39.2 Cash allowances, unless otherwise specified, cover the net cost to the Contractor of services, products, construction machinery and equipment, freight, unloading, handling, storage, installation and other authorized expenses incurred in performing the Work stipulated under the cash allowances.

2.39.3 The cash allowances shall include the Contractor’s overhead and profit in connection with such cash allowance.

2.39.4 The cash allowance shall not include HST.

2.39.5 Where costs under a cash allowance exceed the amount of the allowance, the Contractor shall be compensated for any excess incurred and substantiated plus an allowance for overhead and profit as set out in 2.14.0 VALUATION AND CERTIFICATION OF CHANGES IN THE WORK.

2.39.6 The Contract Price shall be adjusted by written order to provide for any excess or deficit to each cash allowance.

2.39.7 Progress payments on account of Work authorized under cash allowance shall be included in the Engineer/Architect’s monthly certificates for payment.
2.39.8 A schedule shall be prepared jointly by the Engineer/Architect and Contractor to show the items called for under Cash Allowances. They must be authorized by the Owner for ordering purposes so that the progress of the Work will not be delayed.

2.40.0 **CLEANUP AND FINAL CLEANING OF THE WORK**

2.40.1 The Contractor shall maintain the Work in a tidy condition and free from the accumulation of waste products and debris, other than that caused by the Owner, other contractors or their employees.

2.40.2 When the Work is substantially performed, the Contractor shall remove their surplus products, tools, construction machinery and equipment not required for the performance of the remaining Work. They shall also remove waste products and debris, other than that caused by the Owner, other contractors or their employees, and leave the Work clean and suitable for occupancy by the Owner, unless otherwise specified.

2.40.3 When the Work is totally performed, the Contractor shall remove their surplus products, tools, construction machinery and equipment. They shall also remove waste products and debris other than that caused by the Owner, other contractors or their employees.
3.0 SUPPLEMENTARY GENERAL CONDITIONS
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3.1.0 Supplementary Instructions to Bidders

3.1.1 Where information in section 1, Instructions to Tenderers, differs from that in the Open Call and Acceptance Form, the Open Call and Acceptance Form shall take precedence.

3.1.2 Supplementary Safety Information: COVID-19 Requirements
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1.0 Purpose

In accordance with federal, provincial and municipal government public health and safety directives, this protocol for Contractors at Memorial outlines recommended best practices for all Contractors including construction sites in order to maintain the health and safety of all workers required to perform duties at Memorial during the COVID-19 pandemic. The protocols, which include, detection, prevention and rapid response measures, help minimize the impacts of the crisis and ensure business continuity.

2.0 Objectives

The objectives of the protocol are to:

- Prioritize the health and safety of workers and of their surrounding communities;
- Apply directives, recommendations and best practices from federal, provincial and municipal public health authorities;
- Establish and maintain a standardized common COVID-19 Pandemic response plan for Contractors and across construction sites at Memorial University; and
- Foster open communication amongst stakeholders and ensure a respectful work environment.

3.0 Prevention Measures

3.1 Site Access

Contractors should develop a COVID-19 health and safety plan outlining their commitment to maintaining health and safety during the COVID-19 pandemic in accordance with the health and safety measures that have been put in place by the federal, provincial or municipal governments. A COVID-19 health and safety plan should be submitted to Memorial’s Project Manager and reviewed by Memorial’s Environmental Health and Safety unit prior to the start of work at Memorial. The COVID-19 health and safety plan are complementary to typical workplace risk assessments which are already required under provincial OHS legislation.

Contractors should communicate daily to both workers and Memorial project managers any amendments to the health and safety plan such as screening tools, programing changes, etc. that the Contractor intends to follow.
Each worker should remain inside their designated approved work area related to each project and should not go into any other locations at Memorial to eat lunch, purchase food, visit a friend, etc. and should only use designated washroom facilities. The Contractor is responsible to monitor workers outside of the designated project work areas, and the Contractor should ask workers in violation to leave any area the worker is not designated to be in. Exceptions will be made for workers responding to personal or work-related emergency events.

3.2 Communication and Awareness

All workers are responsible for implementing the following recommended practices for reducing the risk of transmission as identified by the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC), Health Canada, and the Canada Public Health Agency (PHAC):

- Avoid touching eyes, nose and mouth with unwashed hands; or when coughing or sneezing;
- Cough or sneeze into a tissue or the bend of your arm, not your hand; and dispose of any tissues you have used as soon as possible in a lined waste basket and wash your hands or use hand sanitizer, with at least 60 per cent alcohol, immediately afterwards;
- Clean and disinfect frequently touched objects and surfaces using a regular household cleaning spray or wipe;
- Do not share personal items or supplies such as phones, pens, notebooks, PPE, etc.;
- Avoid common greetings, such as handshakes; and
- Wash hands often with soap and water for at least 20 seconds, and especially after using the washroom; when preparing food, and after blowing nose, coughing, or sneezing. In the absence of hand washing facilities, use hand sanitizer with at least 60 per cent alcohol.

3.2.1 Communication of Suspected Cases of COVID-19

In the event that a worker reports feeling unwell, they should leave site and notify the Contractor’s project manager, and the Contractor’s project manager must immediately notify the Memorial Project Manager. The Contractor Project Manager must cooperate and share necessary information as applicable with Memorial to ensure the health and safety of all workers and to facilitate any contact tracing as will be required by the provincial Chief Medical Officer of Health.

3.2.2 Construction Sites

The Contractor should post clear signage at entry points on the construction site which outline the commitment of the Contractor to maintain health and safety measures during the COVID-19 pandemic, including any daily updates on the latest developments and guidelines from the NL Provincial government.
3.3 Working Remotely

Where practical, all office employees supporting a project should work remotely. Meetings are to be held through teleconferencing or video conferencing, using videoconference technology approved by Memorial.

3.4 Cleaning Protocols

Contractors should ensure any offices and job sites implement the cleaning measures of common areas as recommended by the CDC and PHAC. All door handles, railings and personal workstation areas should be wiped down at a minimum of twice a day with a disinfectant, such as disinfectant wipes. Individuals are responsible for cleaning their workstation area with disinfectant wipes.

Additional sanitary measures are implemented on site: water stations, a hand washing protocol, hand sanitizer stations, provision of disinfectant wiping products.

3.5 Compartmentalization of Construction Sites

Contractors should ensure that construction sites are delineated to the extent possible in zones or other methods to keep different crews/trades physically separated at all time. This promotes physical distancing and supports the containment of disease transmission should it arise.

Directional travel should be established wherever practical to minimize worker’s contact.

Freight elevators should be operated/occupied by only one individual at a time or where feasible, by respecting the physical distancing guidelines.

3.6 Site Operation

Contractors are encouraged to implement the following controls on site:

- Contractors are encouraged to develop alternate work methods to reduce numbers onsite i.e. split/alternating shifts to avoid extensive intermingling.
- The number of in-person meetings should be limited. If required, they should be held in well ventilated spaces, while maintaining physical distancing of 2 meters.
- Video conferencing or phone calls are recommended in lieu of in-person meetings.
- Stagger break and lunch schedules to minimize the number of workers in close proximity to one another. Socialization is discouraged at lunch time.
- Workers at sites should avoid working within two meters of others for prolonged periods unless their role requires closer proximity. In such cases the Contractor should consider, engineering and administrative control measures (i.e. barriers, or other necessary controls).
- Workers should conform to all PPE requirements of the Contractor, pursuant to the public health directives of the federal, provincial or municipal governments.
4.0 Construction Workers from Outside Newfoundland and Labrador

The following government-required documentation must be completed prior to or on arrival in the province. The documentation listed below is complementary to typical workplace risk assessments required under provincial OHS legislation.

4.1 Asymptomatic Workers from Other Provinces in Territories in Canada

Asymptomatic Workers in trades in NL from other provinces or territories in Canada must self-isolate for 14 days when not working. As of April 27, 2020 exempted asymptomatic workers in trades in NL from other provinces or territories in Canada must complete a declaration form and self-isolation plan [https://www.gov.nl.ca/covid-19/files/Declaration-Self-Isolation-April-27.pdf](https://www.gov.nl.ca/covid-19/files/Declaration-Self-Isolation-April-27.pdf) (Self-isolation plan is included in the declaration form).

4.2 Workers from Outside of Canada


5.0 Detection Measures

5.1 Screening at Entry of Construction Site


5.2 Response Measures

Any individual exhibiting flu-like symptoms such as fever, coughing or congestion should:

- Not come to work.
- Contact their supervisor and/or human resources department.
- Stay at home and self-isolate as directed.
Pursuant to provincial government requirements, workers who have been identified as having potentially been exposed to the Covid-19 virus (i.e., first degree of separation level) or who exhibit symptoms of the virus are required to not return to work until they receive medical clearance, take a COVID-19 detection test for which the result is negative and have self-isolated for 14 days.

- Refer to https://www.gov.nl.ca/covid-19/ for the latest information.
4.0 SPECIAL CONDITIONS
4.1.0 LAYOUT OF WORK

4.1.1 Other than the original lot lines and a bench mark, both shown on the drawings, establish and maintain all grades, lines, levels and well-built batter boards at all corners of the building. As work progresses, lay out on the forms or rough flooring the exact location of all partitions as a guide to all trades.

4.1.2 Verify all grades, lines, levels and dimensions as shown on the drawings and report any errors or inconsistencies in the above to the Engineer/Architect before commencing Work.

4.2.0 JOB SIGN

4.2.1 At the start of the job, erect two painted signs as detailed and where located by the Engineer/Architect. This will be the only sign or advertisement permitted on the site unless instructed otherwise by the Engineer/Architect.

4.2.2 The signs shall be 8'0" x 8'0" plywood, properly supported. It shall be painted and shall show the names of the building, Owner, Prime Consultant, Major Subconsultants, Contractor and Major Subcontractors. A drawing of the signs to be erected will be supplied by the Engineer/Architect.

4.3.0 TEMPORARY OFFICES AND SHEDS

4.3.1 Construct and maintain, until completion of the Contract temporary offices and storage sheds in approved locations on site for the use of staff.

4.3.2 Buildings shall be of weatherproof wood stud and plywood construction completely equipped with adequate lighting, heating and ventilation, and in addition, the Contractor’s office shall be fully furnished with desks, plan tables, storage cabinets, file drawers, chairs, stools and plan racks.

4.3.3 Provide storage sheds for small tools, equipment, perishable materials, etc., as necessary. All buildings shall be equipped with windows for natural light and doors properly fitted and equipped with locks.

4.3.4 Maintain offices and storage sheds in good condition to the approval of the Engineer/Architect from start of Work until final completion of Work or, when directed by the Engineer/Architect, remove offices and sheds from the site and leave areas free of debris and waste materials and in a clean and tidy condition.

4.3.5 Offices and storage sheds required by Trade Contractors, such as mechanical and electrical, shall be provided by the trade requiring them.
4.3.6 Provide an office approximately 120 square feet for the absolute use of the Owner or their representative(s). It shall be properly fitted and furnished with light, heat, telephone, lock and key, shelving, table and chairs and plan rack. The building shall be removed from the site at the completion of the Work.

4.4.0 TEMPORARY SERVICES

4.4.1 Light and Power

Furnish all temporary light and power required to provide such intensity of light and sufficient power as necessary for the Work to be carried out under the best conditions. Obtain and pay for all permits and inspection tests required by Provincial and/or Municipal authorities. Pay all charges and maintain fixtures and equipment in good working order.

4.4.2 Telephone

Install and pay for the operation of one job telephone and one telephone for the use of the Engineer/Architect for the duration of the Contract. Subcontractors requiring individual telephones shall have them installed at their expense. Long distance calls will be at the expense of the party making the calls.

4.4.3 Toilets

At the start of operations, provide and maintain in sanitary condition sufficient temporary toilets and washing facilities for the use of personnel on the job. Conform to requirements of the Department of Health and other authorities having jurisdiction. Supply adequate quantities of disinfectant and toilet paper. When building toilets and washing facilities are operable, they may be used under the same conditions as the temporary toilets with the latter being removed, leaving all surfaces and areas hygienically clean and in immaculate condition.

4.4.4 Heat

Provide and maintain in good condition a temporary heating system for use when the building is closed in until the project has been handed over to the Owner. Pay for fuel and maintenance of the system. Maintain temperatures at a minimum of 50º F, (higher if required for special trades). Heating equipment not adequately protected or operated in conditions other than those intended by the manufacturer shall be regarded as temporary. Remove all such equipment and replace with new permanent equipment.

When ready for operation, the permanent heating equipment may be used for temporary heating purposes, subject to the conditions of the Mechanical Division of the specifications. Protect all permanent heating equipment used for temporary heating purposes. Provide satisfactory site conditions for the proper operation of this equipment.
4.4.5 Water Supply

Provide in two convenient locations outside the building line a fresh water supply for the use of all trades.

Where connection cannot be made to an existing water supply, provide adequate size tanks and keep them filled for use of all trades.

4.5.0 PLANT AND MACHINERY

4.5.1 Provide all framework, scaffolding, ladders, cranes, derricks, planks, screens, gantries, tarpaulins, tools, equipment and machinery for the proper execution of the Work. Scaffolding shall be erected without damage of the structure or the finishes, be removed to suit the installation of work of other trades and be promptly removed at completion.

4.5.2 Where it is the normal practice for the trade to provide its own scaffolding, it shall be included in the Subcontract.

4.6.0 PROTECTION OF PUBLIC AND WORKMEN

4.6.1 Part 8 of the National Building Code of Canada, latest edition, shall apply to this project in its entirety. This covers fencing, barricades, Fire protection, excavation, use of streets or public property, control of vehicular traffic and mechanical methods of demolition.

4.6.2 The latest edition of Canadian Construction Safety Code shall also apply to all phases of this project.

4.6.3 The Workers’ Compensation Board Regulations shall also apply to all phases of this project.

4.7.0 CONSTRUCTION SCHEDULE

4.7.1 The Contractor shall, within seven (7) days after the Contract is awarded, prepare for the use of the Engineer/Architect and Owner, a construction schedule. It shall indicate as closely as possible the starting and completion dates for the major sections of the Work, together with the Subcontractors’ names.

4.7.2 With each monthly progress claim, submit two (2) copies of the original construction schedule marked in red to show the actual construction progress on the date of the submission of the claim.
4.8.0 PROGRESS PHOTOGRAPHS

4.8.1 Submit with monthly progress claim three (3) copies each of four (4) progress photographs, 8" x 10", gloss finish, taken from points designated by the Engineer/Architect. In the lower right-hand corner of the prints show the date and name of the project.

4.9.0 OPERATIONS AND MAINTENANCE DATA

4.9.1 On completion of the project, submit to the Engineer/Architect two (2) copies of Operations and Maintenance Data and one (1) electronic copy as original editable format.

   a) Bind data in vinyl hard covered, 3-ring, loose-leaf binder for 215 x 280 mm size paper.

   b) Enclose title sheet, labelled "Operation and Maintenance Data", project number, project name, date and list of contents.

   c) Organize contents into applicable sections of work to parallel project specifications breakdown. Mark each section by labelled tabs protected with celluloid covers fastened to hard paper dividing sheets.

   d) Provide electronic document in CD or DVD as original editable file format or, at the direction of the Owner, pdf format.

4.9.2 Include the following information plus data specified in Division 15 and 16:

   a) Maintenance instruction for finished surface and materials.

   b) Copy of hardware schedules.

   c) Description, operation and maintenance instructions for equipment and systems, including complete list of equipment and parts list. Indicate nameplate information such as make, size capacity and serial number.

   d) Names, addresses, phone and fax numbers of Subcontractors and Suppliers.

   e) Guarantees, warranties and bonds showing:

      (i) Name and address of project;

      (ii) Guarantee commencement date (date of Final Certification of Completion).

      (iii) Duration of guarantee.
(iv) Clear indication of what is being guaranteed and what remedial action will be taken under guarantee.

(v) Signature and Seal of Contractor.

f) Additional materials used in project listed under various sections showing name of manufacturer and source of supply.

4.9.3 Neatly type lists and notes. Use clear drawings, diagrams or manufacturer’s literature.

4.9.4 The final certificate will not be issued until the data books have been received and approved by the Engineer/Architect.

4.10.0 COORDINATION OF WORK

4.10.1 The Contractor will coordinate the Work of their Subcontractors and provide necessary instructions and scheduling so as to permit continuous progress in the Work by all trades. They will coordinate work between the Subcontractors on the site to ensure that anchor bolts, plates, attachments, etc., are provided and set in place in a timely manner. They will lay out partitions and assist Subcontractors in establishing the actual location of the fixtures, pipes, outlets, duct conduit, etc., so as to limit the interference of one trade with another. Locations shown on the drawings are approximate. If interference problems are encountered which cannot be resolved on the site, advise the Engineer/Architect before proceeding with the Work. Conceal all mechanical and electrical work unless otherwise indicated.

4.11.0 TRAFFIC MAINTENANCE

4.11.1 Do not close or obstruct streets, sidewalks, driveways, etc., without permission from authorities having jurisdiction. Do not place or store materials in street, sidewalks, parking areas, etc., unless so authorized.

4.12.0 FIRE PROTECTION

4.12.1 Fire protection measures shall include:

   a) An adequate fire alarm signal, the use of fire resistant tarpaulins, the daily inspection of temporary heating system by competent staff and regular fire patrol;

   b) All temporary wiring shall be done by electricians qualified under the applicable local regulations;

   c) Supply and maintenance of fifteen (15) pounds dry chemicals and/or five (5) gallons soda-acid fire extinguishers in such locations that no working crew has to
travel more than fifty (50) feet to an extinguisher station. In any case, there shall be not less than one (1) fully charged extinguisher(s) at the job at any time.

4.13.0  **JOB MEETINGS**

4.13.1 Where the value of the contract exceeds $100,000 (HST included) job meetings shall occur at definitely prescribed times (minimum once a month), which will be determined after commencement of work, the Contractor shall organize job meetings and send out notices stating time and place to the Owner’s representative, the Engineer/Architect, Subconsultants, to all Subcontractors and to other persons whose presences are required at the meetings. They shall take note of all persons attending these meetings and shall, within one (1) week after each job meeting, submit to the Owner, the Engineer/Architect, the Subconsultants and others present, minutes of the meeting which must show any major decisions made and any instructions or information required.

4.13.2 Where the value of the contract is less than $100,000 (HST included) job meetings shall occur at the discretion of the University Project Coordinator but shall not occur fewer than once per month.

4.14.0  **AS-BUILT DRAWINGS**

4.14.1 The Engineer/Architect will issue to the Contractor three (3) sets of prints of architectural, mechanical and electrical drawings for the sole purpose of providing "as-built" drawings. The Contractor shall pass these to the relevant Subcontractor who shall keep two (2) sets in their office and one (1) set on the job. As changes occur, the Subcontractor shall make them on the field set. Upon completion of the project, the Subcontractor shall accurately transfer all changes to the two (2) office sets in red ink and pass them to the Engineer/Architect, through the Contractor, for approval. If they are not approved, the Subcontractor shall prepare new sets for resubmission (purchasing additional white prints for this purpose).

4.14.2 As-built drawings shall be white prints and shall indicate all changes in Architectural, Mechanical and Electrical work, including any changes in location of piping, ducts, panels, etc.

4.14.3 Provide electronic as-builts in CD or DVD as original editable file format or, at the direction of the Owner, pdf format.

4.14.4 The Certificate of Total Performance will not be issued until such drawings have been received and approved.

4.15.0  **COMPLETION TIME**

4.15.1 The project shall be ready for the use and occupancy by the Owner within the time stated in the Tender and Acceptance Form.
4.15.2 Prior to the acceptance by the Owner of the Substantial Performance, the Contractor and the Owner shall sign a list of deficiencies as prepared by the Engineer/Architect for prompt correction and/or completion.

4.16.0 CLOSE DOWN OF WORK

4.16.1 Should the Work be closed down for any cause, the Contractor shall assume all responsibility for its proper protection during such period. They must protect all foundation work and other work liable to be damaged.

4.17.0 BROKEN GLASS

4.17.1 The Contractor shall be held responsible for any damaged, broken or scratched glass and at completion shall replace all such glass at no additional cost to the Owner.

4.18.0 HOARDING

4.18.1 Before starting excavating, construct and thereafter maintain all necessary hoarding required by Municipal or Provincial regulations or by other authorities having jurisdiction.

4.19.0 COMMISSIONING

4.19.1 The Contractor is responsible for commissioning the Work to ensure that the various parts are operating in a manner as intended by the Contract Documents. Even through individual components and/or parts of the Work may have been tested and approved prior to the substantial completion, the Contractor must coordinate a final commissioning of the complete Work, including at the place of the Work all their major Subcontractors and Suppliers. The final commissioning will be carried out by the appropriate trades working together in a complementary manner such that the successful operation of the whole Work is completed properly to the satisfaction of the Engineer/Architect. The Substantial Performance Certificate will not be issued until the final commissioning of the Work has been successfully completed.

4.20.0 FINAL CLEAN-UP

4.20.1 At the end of the job, thoroughly clean the building of all rubbish and surplus materials.

4.20.2 Make good all damaged areas in the building caused as a result of the Work of this Contract.

4.20.3 Do final cleaning, waxing and polishing of resilient flooring.
5.0 CAMPUS SAFETY AND HEALTH REGULATIONS
Maintaining a healthy and safe environment for all members of the campus community, as well as visitors, is a priority with the University. This involves a commitment from all sectors of the campus community and extends to outside agencies having occasion to come on campus to conduct business.

The following regulations will apply to all work undertaken by contractors and service personnel on any University property.

5.1.0 REGULATIONS, CODES AND STANDARDS

Contractors shall be familiar with and abide by provisions of various safety codes and standards applicable to the work performed and should refer to Article 23. PROTECTION OF WORK AND PROPERTY in the General Conditions.

In particular, strict adherence shall be required to the Provincial Occupational Health and Safety Act and Regulations and the National Building Code of Canada, Part 8.

5.2.0 GENERAL SAFETY REGULATIONS

a) Contractors/service agencies shall ensure that members of the campus community are not endangered by any work or process in which they may be engaged. Work areas shall be adequately barricaded, and if dust or fumes are generated, suitable enclosures shall be installed to contain such emissions.

b) No material shall be stored in such a way as to obstruct walkways or represent a danger to pedestrian traffic.

c) Adequate protection shall be provided to prevent the possibility of materials falling from scaffolding or elevated areas. Areas where materials are being loaded or offloaded shall be barricaded or otherwise protected to prevent unauthorized entry. Where necessary, appropriate warning signs shall be posted.

d) The work areas must be kept reasonably clean and free from debris which could constitute a fire hazard. Care must be taken to ensure that the work process does not activate fire alarm detection devices. (Generation of dust and fumes can activate smoke detectors causing a false alarm).

e) Due consideration shall be given to fire safety in buildings. Flammable materials must be kept away from sources of ignition. No work involving the use of open flame devices must be undertaken around flammable solvents or gases.

f) Do not alter or disturb any materials believed to contain asbestos materials (unless this is a duly authorized part of the project). Should suspect materials be encountered, consult with University officials before proceeding.
g) Material Safety Data Sheets shall be procured for any hazardous product used on campus. Such sheets shall be made readily available for consultation as required under the Workplace Hazardous Materials Information System.

**NOTE:** The above regulations are not to be considered all inclusive and are considered to be complementary to the safety requirements outlined in the agreement between the Owner and the Contractor/Service Agency. Certain conditions and circumstances may require adherence to additional safety regulations.

As a general requirement, contract/service personnel are expected to conduct all work on campus in a professional and safe manner and to give priority to the welfare of members of the campus community.
6.0 CONTRACTOR PERFORMANCE EVALUATION
6.1.0 The purpose of this process is to maintain an acceptable level of performance with external contractors carrying out work for the Department of Facilities Management.

6.2.0 A record of the performance of external contractors will be maintained to identify the following:

   a) Those contractors who by virtue of satisfactory performance will continue to be eligible to submit tenders for work at the University;

   b) Those contractors whose performance is considered unsatisfactory and will be advised of the need to improve performance to remain eligible to submit tender bids for work at the University;

   c) Those contractors whose record of unsatisfactory performance will render them ineligible to submit tenders for work at the University.

6.3.0 Contractors’ performance will be evaluated on a points rating system relative to quality of work performed, timeliness in completing work and management/administration of contracts/work and safety parameters.
PART 1 - GENERAL

1.1 RELATED DOCUMENTS

A. Drawings and general provisions of the Contract, including General and Supplementary Conditions and Division 01 Specification Sections, apply to this Section.

1.2 SUMMARY

A. Types of items described in this Section:

B. Types of items described in this Section:
   1. Work Covered By the Contract Documents.
   2. Type of the Contract.
   5. Products Ordered In Advance.
   6. Owner-Furnished Products.
   7. Use of Premises.
   8. Owner's Occupancy Requirements.
   10. Interpretation Of Documents
   15. Submittal Procedures.
   17. Quality Requirements.
   18. Regulatory Requirements.
   20. Temporary Barriers and Enclosures.
   22. Execution.
   25. Operation and Maintenance Data.
   26. Project Record Documents.
   27. Demonstration and Training.

C. Types of items you will not find described in this Section:
   1. Health and Safety Requirements

1.3 WORK COVERED BY CONTRACT DOCUMENTS

   1. Project Location: Main Campus, Memorial University, St. John’s, NL.

B. Owner: Memorial University of Newfoundland
   1. Owner's Representative: Department of Facilities Management, Tel. 709-864-8725
C. The Work consists of the following:
   1. The Work includes Supply, delivery and installation of loose and modular furniture

1.4 TYPE OF CONTRACT
A. Project will be constructed under a single prime contract.

1.5 WORK PHASES
A. The Work shall be conducted in a single phase

1.6 WORK UNDER OTHER CONTRACTS
A. General: Cooperate fully with separate contractors so work on those contracts may be carried out smoothly, without interfering with or delaying work under this Contract. Coordinate the Work of this Contract with work performed under separate contracts.

B. Preceding Work: Owner has awarded / will award separate contract(s) for the following construction operations at Project site. Those operations are scheduled to be substantially complete before work under this Contract begins.
   1. No proceeding work planned.

C. Concurrent Work: Owner has awarded / will award separate contract(s) for the following construction operations at Project site. Those operations will be conducted simultaneously with work under this Contract.
   1. No concurrent work planned.

D. Future Work: Owner has awarded / will award separate contract(s) for the following additional work to be performed at site after Substantial Completion. Completion of that work will depend on successful completion of preparatory work under this Contract.
   1. No future work planned.

1.7 PRODUCTS ORDERED IN ADVANCE
A. General: Owner has negotiated Purchase Orders with suppliers of material and equipment to be incorporated into the Work. Owner will assign these Purchase Orders to Contractor. Costs for receiving, handling, storage if required, and installation of material and equipment are included in the Contract Sum.
   1. Contractor's responsibilities are same as if Contractor had negotiated Purchase Orders, including responsibility to renegotiate purchase and to execute final Purchase-Order agreements.

B. List of Products Ordered in Advance:
   1. None.

1.8 OWNER-FURNISHED PRODUCTS
A. Owner will furnish products indicated. The Work includes providing support systems to receive Owner's equipment and making plumbing, mechanical, and electrical connections.
   1. Owner will arrange for and deliver Shop Drawings, Product Data, and Samples to Contractor.
   2. Owner will arrange and pay for delivery of Owner-furnished items according to Contractor's Construction Schedule.
   3. After delivery, Owner will inspect delivered items for damage. Contractor shall be present for and assist in Owner's inspection.
   4. If Owner-furnished items are damaged, defective, or missing, Owner will arrange for replacement.
5. Owner will arrange for manufacturer's field services and for delivery of manufacturer's warranties to Contractor.

6. Owner will furnish Contractor the earliest possible delivery date for Owner-furnished products. Using Owner-furnished earliest possible delivery dates, Contractor shall designate delivery dates of Owner-furnished items in Contractor's Construction Schedule.

7. Contractor shall review Shop Drawings, Product Data, and Samples and return them to Owner's Representative noting discrepancies or anticipated problems in use of product.

8. Contractor is responsible for receiving, unloading, and handling Owner-furnished items at Project site.

9. Contractor is responsible for protecting Owner-furnished items from damage during storage and handling, including damage from exposure to the elements.

10. If Owner-furnished items are damaged as a result of Contractor's operations, Contractor shall repair or replace them.

11. Contractor shall install and otherwise incorporate Owner-furnished items into the Work.

B. Owner-Furnished Products:
   1. No Owner-furnished products.

1.9 USE OF PREMISES

A. General: Contractor shall have full use of premises for construction operations, including use of Project site, during construction period. Contractor's use of premises is limited only by Owner's right to perform work or to retain other contractors on portions of Project.

B. General: Contractor shall have limited use of premises for construction operations as indicated on Drawings by the Contract limits.

C. Use of Site: Limit use of premises to areas under construction. Do not disturb portions of Project site beyond areas in which the Work is indicated.
   1. Owner Occupancy: Allow for Owner occupancy of Project site and use by the public.
   2. Driveways and Entrances: Keep driveways parking garage, loading areas, and entrances serving premises clear and available to Owner, Owner's employees, and emergency vehicles at all times. Do not use these areas for parking or storage of materials.
      a. Schedule deliveries to minimize use of driveways and entrances.
      b. Schedule deliveries to minimize space and time requirements for storage of materials and equipment on-site.

D. Use of Existing Building: If the work involves construction in an existing building, maintain the existing building in a weather tight condition throughout construction period. Repair damage caused by construction operations. Protect building and its occupants during construction period.

1.10 OWNER'S OCCUPANCY REQUIREMENTS

A. Full Owner Occupancy: Owner will occupy site and existing building during entire construction period. Cooperate with Owner during construction operations to minimize conflicts and facilitate Owner usage. Perform the Work so as not to interfere with Owner's day-to-day operations. Maintain existing exits, unless otherwise indicated.
   1. Maintain access to existing walkways, corridors, and other adjacent occupied or used facilities. Do not close or obstruct walkways, corridors, or other occupied or used facilities without written permission from Owner and authorities having jurisdiction.
   2. Provide not less than 72 hours' notice to Owner of activities that will affect Owner's operations.

B. Partial Owner Occupancy: Owner will occupy the premises during entire construction period, with the exception of areas under construction. Cooperate with Owner during construction operations to minimize conflicts and facilitate
Owner usage. Perform the Work so as not to interfere with Owner's operations. Maintain existing exits, unless otherwise indicated.

1. Maintain access to existing walkways, corridors, and other adjacent occupied or used facilities. Do not close or obstruct walkways, corridors, or other occupied or used facilities without written permission from Owner and authorities having jurisdiction.

2. Provide not less than 72 hours’ notice to Owner of activities that will affect Owner's operations.

C. Owner Occupancy of Completed Areas of Construction: Owner reserves the right to occupy and to place and install equipment in completed areas of building, before Substantial Completion, provided such occupancy does not interfere with completion of the Work. Such placement of equipment and partial occupancy shall not constitute acceptance of the total Work.

1. Obtain a Certificate of Occupancy from authorities having jurisdiction before Owner occupancy.

2. Before partial Owner occupancy, mechanical and electrical systems shall be fully operational, and required tests and inspections shall be successfully completed. On occupancy, Owner will operate and maintain mechanical and electrical systems serving occupied portions of building.

3. On occupancy, Owner will assume responsibility for maintenance and custodial service for occupied portions of building.

1.11 WORK RESTRICTIONS

A. On-Site Work Hours: Work shall be generally performed inside the existing building during normal business working hours, Monday through Friday, except otherwise indicated.

1. Weekend Hours: **Contractor to notify Owner’s representative 48hrs prior to scheduling.**

2. Early Morning Hours: **Contractor to notify Owner’s representative 48hrs prior to scheduling.**

3. Hours for Utility Shutdowns: **Dependant on Scope of shutdown. Contractor to notify Owner’s representative 2 weeks prior to scheduling.**

4. Hours for Core Drilling and other noise generating activities: **To be scheduled after regular work hours. Contractor to notify Owner’s representative 48hrs prior to scheduling.**

B. Existing Utility Interruptions: Do not interrupt utilities serving facilities occupied by Owner or others unless permitted under the following conditions and then only after arranging to provide temporary utility services according to requirements indicated:

1. Notify Owner’s Representative not less than two days in advance of proposed utility interruptions.

2. Do not proceed with utility interruptions without Owner’s Representative’s written permission.

C. No smoking is permitted on MUN Campus.

1.12 INTERPRETATION OF DOCUMENTS

A. In the event of discrepancies or conflicts in interpreting the Plans (drawings) and Specifications,

1. Supplementary General Conditions take precedence over all other documents.

2. General Conditions take precedence over drawings and specifications.

3. Division 1 Sections take precedence over technical specification sections in other Divisions;

4. Legends and schedules take precedence over drawings and Specifications, whether they are bound with the specifications or integral with the drawings;

5. Specifications take precedence over all other drawings;

B. Plans (drawings) and Specifications are complementary. When work is shown or mentioned on the drawings but is not indicated in the Specifications, or when work is indicated in the Specifications but is not shown or mentioned on the Drawings, it shall nevertheless be included in the Contract.

1.13 SPECIFICATION FORMATS AND CONVENTIONS
A. Specification Format: The Specifications are organized into Divisions and Sections using the 50-division format and CSI/CSC's MasterFormat numbering system.
   1. Section Identification: The Specifications use Section numbers and titles to help cross-referencing in the Contract Documents. Sections in the Project Manual are in numeric sequence; however, the sequence is incomplete because all available Section numbers are not used. Consult the table of contents at the beginning of the Project Manual to determine numbers and names of Sections in the Contract Documents.
   2. Division 01: Sections in Division 01 govern the execution of the Work of all Sections in the Specifications.

B. Specification Content: The Specifications use certain conventions for the style of language and the intended meaning of certain terms, words, and phrases when used in particular situations. These conventions are as follows:
   1. Abbreviated Language: Language used in the Specifications and other Contract Documents is abbreviated. Words and meanings shall be interpreted as appropriate. Words implied, but not stated, shall be inferred as the sense requires. Singular words shall be interpreted as plural, and plural words shall be interpreted as singular where applicable as the context of the Contract Documents indicates.
   2. Imperative mood and streamlined language are generally used in the Specifications. Requirements expressed in the imperative mood are to be performed by Contractor. Occasionally, the indicative or subjunctive mood may be used in the Section Text for clarity to describe responsibilities that must be fulfilled indirectly by Contractor or by others when so noted.

C. The words shall, shall be, or shall comply with, depending on the context, are implied where a colon (:) is used within a sentence or phrase.

1.14 PROJECT MANAGEMENT AND COORDINATION

A. Coordination
   1. Coordination: Coordinate construction operations included in different Sections of the Specifications to ensure efficient and orderly installation of each part of the Work. Coordinate construction operations, included in different Sections, that depend on each other for proper installation, connection, and operation.

B. Administrative and supervisory personnel
   1. General: In addition to Project superintendent, provide other administrative and supervisory personnel as required for proper performance of the Work.
   2. Maintain same superintendent on Project for duration of Project. Immediately notify Owner’s Representative if superintendent should become unavailable to work and immediately replace with an alternate person acceptable to the Owner’s Representative.

C. Project meetings
   1. General: Schedule and conduct meetings and conferences at Project site, unless otherwise indicated.
   2. Minutes: Record significant discussions and agreements achieved. Distribute the meeting minutes to everyone concerned, including Owner and Owner’s Representative, within three days of the meeting.
   3. Progress Meetings: Conduct progress meetings at monthly intervals. Coordinate dates of meetings with preparation of payment requests.

1.15 Requests For Interpretation (RFIs)
   1. Procedure: Immediately on discovery of the need for interpretation of the Contract Documents, and if not possible to request interpretation at Project meeting, prepare and submit an RFI in the form specified.
      a. Coordinate and submit RFIs in a prompt manner so as to avoid delays in Contractor’s work or work of subcontractors.
   2. Allow seven working days for Owner’s Representative’s response for each RFI.
   3. If Contractor believes the RFI response warrants change in the Contract Time or the Contract Sum, notify Owner’s Representative in writing within 10 days of receipt of the RFI response.
1.16 CONSTRUCTION PROGRESS DOCUMENTATION

A. Gantt-Chart Schedule: Submit a comprehensive, fully developed, horizontal Gantt-chart-type, Contractor's Construction Schedule within 30 days of date established for the Notice of Award.

1. Indicate each significant construction activity separately. Identify first workday of each week with a continuous vertical line.

2. At monthly intervals, update schedule to reflect actual construction progress and activities. Issue schedule one week before each regularly scheduled progress meeting.

B. Reports

1. Daily Construction Reports: Prepare a daily construction report and submit to Owner’s Representative each week recording the following information concerning events at Project site:
   a. List of subcontractors at Project site.
   b. List of separate contractors at Project site.
   c. Approximate count of personnel at Project site.
   d. Equipment at Project site.
   e. Material deliveries.
   f. High and low temperatures and general weather conditions.
   g. Accidents.
   h. Meetings and significant decisions.
   i. Unusual events.
   j. Stoppages, delays, shortages, and losses.
   k. Meter readings and similar recordings.
   l. Emergency procedures.
   m. Orders and requests of authorities having jurisdiction.
   n. Change Orders received and implemented.
   o. Construction Change Directives received and implemented.
   p. Services connected and disconnected.
   q. Equipment or system tests and start-ups.
   r. Partial Completions and occupancies.
   s. Substantial Completions authorized.

2. Field Condition Reports: Immediately on discovery of a difference between field conditions and the Contract Documents, prepare and submit a detailed report. Submit with a request for interpretation. Include a detailed description of the differing conditions, together with recommendations for changing the Contract Documents.

1.17 PHOTOGRAPHIC DOCUMENTATION

A. Preconstruction Photographs: Before starting construction take, digital photographs of Project site and surrounding areas, including existing items to remain during construction, from different vantage points.

B. Periodic Construction Photographs: Take digital photographs weekly, with timing each month adjusted to coincide with the cut-off date associated with each Application for Payment. Select vantage points to show status of construction and progress since last photographs were taken.

C. E-mail or otherwise submit photos to Owner’s representative on monthly basis to coincide with the each Application for Payment.

1.18 SUBMITTAL PROCEDURES

A. Contractor's Review
1. Review each submittal and check for coordination with other Work of the Contract and for compliance with the Contract Documents. Note corrections and field dimensions. Mark with approval stamp before submitting to Owner’s Representative.

B. Preferred Size for Paper Submittals
1. Provide paper submittals on sheets no less than 8 ½ x 11" Whenever practical, provide paper submittals on sheet size not greater than 11 x 17". In all cases ease of readability of submittal content by Engineer shall take precedent over providing information on preferred sheet size.
2. Paper submittals greater than 11 x 17" in size shall be subject to a $5 per sheet processing fee levied against the Contractor and deducted from the Contract Price via the issuance of a credit Change Order.

C. Submittal Procedures
1. Prepare and submit submittals required by individual Specification Sections. Types of submittals are indicated in individual Specification Sections.
   a. Stamp each submittal with a uniform, approval stamp. Include Project name and location, submittal number, Specification Section title and number, name of reviewer, date of Contractor's approval, and statement certifying that submittal has been reviewed, checked, and approved for compliance with the Contract Documents.
2. Submit three paper copies of each submittal, unless otherwise indicated. The Owner’s Representative will return no copies on any submittals but instead will e-mail a web link to a web site which will host PDFs of the reviewed documents.
3. Allow time for submittal review, including time for resubmittals, as follows. Time for review shall commence on Owner’s Representative's receipt of submittal. No extension of the Contract Time will be authorized because of failure to transmit submittals enough in advance of the Work to permit processing, including resubmittals.
   a. Initial Review: Allow 15 days for initial review of each submittal. Allow additional time if coordination with subsequent submittals is required. Owner’s Representative will advise Contractor when a submittal being processed must be delayed for coordination.
   b. Resubmittal Review: Allow 15 days for review of each resubmittal.
   c. Sequential Review: Where sequential review of submittals by Owner’s Representative's consultants, Owner, or other parties is indicated, allow 21 days for initial review of each submittal.
4. Owner’s Representative will review each submittal, make marks to indicate corrections or modifications required, and return it. Owner’s Representative will stamp each submittal with an action stamp and will mark stamp appropriately to indicate action, as follows:
   a. REVIEWED
   b. REVIEWED AS NOTED
   c. REVISE AND RESUBMIT
   d. NOT REVIEWED.

ENVIRONMENTAL PROCEDURES

A. Definitions
1. Hazardous Material: Product, substance, or organism that is used for its original purpose; and that is either dangerous goods or a material that may cause adverse impact to the environment or adversely affect health of persons, animals, or plant life when released into the environment.

B. Fires and burning of rubbish on site not permitted.

C. Store, handle, and dispose of hazardous materials in accordance with applicable federal and provincial laws, regulations, codes and guidelines. Store in location that will prevent spillage into the environment.

D. Provide temporary drainage and pumping as necessary to keep excavations and site free from water.
1. Do not pump water containing suspended materials into waterways, sewer or drainage systems.

E. Protect any trees and plants on site and adjacent properties that are in immediate area of construction.
   1. Protect roots of designated trees to dripline during excavation and site grading to prevent disturbance or damage. Avoid unnecessary traffic, dumping and storage of materials over root zones.
   2. Restrict tree removal to areas indicated or designated by Owner’s Representative.

F. Minimize stripping of topsoil and vegetation.

1.20 QUALITY REQUIREMENTS

A. Conflicting Requirements
   1. General: If compliance with two or more standards is specified and the standards establish different or conflicting requirements for minimum quantities or quality levels, comply with the most stringent requirement. Refer uncertainties and requirements that are different, but apparently equal, to Owner’s Representative for a decision before proceeding.

   2. Minimum Quantity or Quality Levels: The quantity or quality level shown or specified shall be the minimum provided or performed. The actual installation may comply exactly with the minimum quantity or quality specified, or it may exceed the minimum within reasonable limits. To comply with these requirements, indicated numeric values are minimum or maximum, as appropriate, for the context of requirements. Refer uncertainties to Owner’s Representative for a decision before proceeding.

B. Quality Control
   1. Owner Responsibilities: Where quality-control services are indicated as Owner's responsibility, Owner will engage a qualified testing agency to perform these services.
      a. Payment for these services will be made by the Owner.
      b. Costs for retesting and reinspecting construction that replaces or is necessitated by work that failed to comply with the Contract Documents will be charged to Contractor, and the Contract Sum will be adjusted by Change Order.
   2. Tests and inspections not explicitly assigned to Owner are Contractor's responsibility. Unless otherwise indicated, provide quality-control services specified and those required by authorities having jurisdiction. Perform quality-control services required of Contractor by authorities having jurisdiction, whether specified or not.
      a. Where services are indicated as Contractor’s responsibility, engage a qualified testing agency to perform these quality-control services.
      b. Where quality-control services are indicated as Contractor's responsibility, submit a certified written report, in duplicate, of each quality-control service.
      c. Testing and inspecting requested by Contractor and not required by the Contract Documents are Contractor’s responsibility.

1.21 REGULATORY REQUIREMENTS

A. Perform Work in accordance with National Building Code of Canada (NBC) including all amendments up to tender closing date and other codes of provincial or local application provided that in case of conflict or discrepancy, more stringent requirements apply.

B. Meet or exceed requirements of:
   2. Specified standards, codes, and referenced documents.

1.22 TEMPORARY FACILITIES AND CONTROLS
A. Temporary Utility Installation
   1. General: Install temporary service or connect to existing service.
      a. Arrange with utility company, Owner, and existing users for time when service can be interrupted, if necessary, to make connections for temporary services.
   2. Sanitary Facilities: If the Owner has existing toilet facilities these may be used as long as these facilities are kept cleaned and maintained in a condition acceptable to the Owner. Otherwise provide temporary toilets, wash facilities, and drinking water for use of construction personnel. Comply with authorities having jurisdiction for type, number, location, operation, and maintenance of fixtures and facilities.
   3. Water Service: If the Owner has existing water service it may be used as long as it does not impact on the Owner’s need. Otherwise install water service and distribution piping in sizes and pressures adequate for construction.
   4. Sewers and Drainage: Provide temporary utilities as required to remove effluent lawfully.
   5. Heating: Provide temporary heating as required by construction activities for curing or drying of completed installations or for protecting installed construction from adverse effects of low temperatures or high humidity. Select equipment that will not have a harmful effect on completed installations or elements being installed.
   6. Ventilation and Humidity Control: Provide temporary ventilation as required by construction activities for curing or drying of completed installations or for protecting installed construction from adverse effects of high humidity. Select equipment that will not have a harmful effect on completed installations or elements being installed. Coordinate ventilation requirements to produce ambient condition required and minimize energy consumption.
   7. Electric Power Service: Provide electric power service and distribution system of sufficient size, capacity, and power characteristics required for construction operations.
      a. Install electric power service overhead, unless otherwise indicated.
      b. If the Owner has an existing power source, the contractor may access it for temporary power provided it does not impact the Owner’s needs.
   8. Lighting: Provide temporary lighting with local switching as required to provide adequate illumination for construction operations, observations, inspections, and traffic conditions.
   9. Barricades, Warning Signs, and Lights: Comply with requirements of authorities having jurisdiction for erecting structurally adequate barricades, including warning signs and lighting.
  10. Temporary Enclosures: Provide temporary enclosures for protection of construction, in progress and completed, from exposure, foul weather, other construction operations, and similar activities. Provide temporary weather tight enclosure for building exterior.
  11. Tree and Plant Protection: Install temporary fencing as required to protect trees and plants intended to remain. Install protection outside the drip line of trees to protect vegetation from damage from construction operations. Protect tree root systems from damage, flooding, and erosion.
  12. Site Enclosure Fence: Before construction operations begin, furnish and install site enclosure fence in a manner as required to prevent people and animals from easily entering site except by entrance gates.

B. Operation, Termination, and Removal
   1. Maintain facilities in good operating condition until removal.
   2. Remove each temporary facility when need for its service has ended.

1.23 TEMPORARY BARRIERS AND ENCLOSURES

A. Hoarding
   1. For work involving the excavation for new foundations or the erection of new structures outside of an enclosure, provide hoarding.

B. Weather Enclosures
1. Provide weather tight closures to unfinished door and window openings, tops of shafts and other openings in floors and roofs.

C. Dust Tight Screens
   1. Provide dust tight screens or insulated partitions to localize dust generating activities, and for protection of workers, finished areas of Work and public.

D. Protection Of Building Finishes
   1. Provide protection for finished and partially finished building finishes and equipment during performance of work.
   2. Provide necessary screens, covers, and hoardings.
   3. Be responsible for damage incurred due to lack of or improper protection.

1.24 PRODUCT REQUIREMENTS

A. Manufacturer's Instructions
   1. Unless otherwise indicated in specifications, install or erect products in accordance with manufacturer's instructions. Do not rely on labels or enclosures provided with products. Obtain written instructions directly from manufacturers.
   2. Notify Owner's Representative in writing, of conflicts between specifications and manufacturer's instructions, so that Owner's Representative may establish course of action.

B. Quality
   1. Products, materials, equipment and articles (referred to as products throughout specifications) incorporated in Work shall be new, not damaged or defective, and of best quality (compatible with specifications) for purpose intended. If requested, furnish evidence as to type, source, and quality of products provided.
   2. Defective products, whenever identified prior to completion of Work, will be rejected, regardless of previous inspections. Inspection does not relieve responsibility, but is precaution against oversight or error. Remove and replace defective products at own expense and be responsible for delays and expenses caused by rejection.
   3. Should any dispute arise as to quality or fitness of products, decision rests strictly with Owner's Representative based upon requirements of Contract Documents.
   4. Unless otherwise indicated in specifications, maintain uniformity of manufacture for any particular or like item throughout building.

C. Product Warranties
   1. Warranties specified in other Sections shall be in addition to, and run concurrent with, other warranties required by the Contract Documents. Manufacturer's disclaimers and limitations on product warranties do not relieve Contractor of obligations under requirements of the Contract Documents.

D. Product Selection Procedures
   1. General Product Requirements: Provide products that comply with the Contract Documents, that are undamaged and, unless otherwise indicated, that are new at time of installation.

1.25 EXECUTION

A. Materials
   1. Use materials for patching identical to in-place materials. For exposed surfaces, use materials that visually match in-place adjacent surfaces to the fullest extent possible.
   2. If identical materials are unavailable or cannot be used, use materials that, when installed, will provide a match acceptable to the Owner's Representative for the visual and functional performance of in-place materials.
B. Construction Layout
1. Where work involves construction outside of an existing footprint, engage a land surveyor to lay out the Work using accepted surveying practices.
2. On completion of foundation walls, major site improvements, and other work requiring field-engineering services, prepare a certified location certificate showing dimensions, locations, angles, and elevations of construction and site work.

C. Installation
1. General: Locate the Work and components of the Work accurately, in correct alignment and elevation, as indicated.
   a. Make vertical work plumb and make horizontal work level.
   b. Where space is limited, install components to maximize space available for maintenance and ease of removal for replacement.
   c. Conceal pipes, ducts, and wiring in finished areas, unless otherwise indicated.
   d. Maintain minimum headroom clearance of 2440 mm in occupied spaces and in unoccupied spaces.
2. Comply with manufacturer's written instructions and recommendations for installing products in applications indicated.
3. Provide blocking and attachment plates and anchors and fasteners of adequate size and number to securely anchor each component in place, accurately located and aligned with other portions of the Work. Where size and type of attachments are not indicated, verify size and type required for load conditions.
   a. Mounting Heights: Where mounting heights are not indicated, mount components at heights directed by Owner’s Representative.

D. Cutting And Patching
1. Employ skilled workers to perform cutting and patching. Proceed with cutting and patching at the earliest feasible time, and complete without delay.
   a. Cut in-place construction to provide for installation of other components or performance of other construction, and subsequently patch as required to restore surfaces to their original condition.
2. Cut in-place construction by sawing, drilling, breaking, chipping, grinding, and similar operations, including excavation, using methods least likely to damage elements retained or adjoining construction. If possible, review proposed procedures with original Installer; comply with original Installer's written recommendations.

E. Patch construction by filling, repairing, refinishing, closing up, and similar operations following performance of other work. Patch with durable seams that are as invisible as practicable. Provide materials and comply with installation requirements specified in other Sections, where applicable.

F. Progress Cleaning
1. General: Clean Project site and work areas daily, including common areas. Enforce requirements strictly. Dispose of materials lawfully.
2. Site: Maintain Project site free of waste materials and debris.

G. Correction Of The Work
1. Repair or remove and replace defective construction. Restore damaged substrates and finishes.
2. Concealed Spaces: Remove debris from concealed spaces before enclosing the space.
3. Exposed Surfaces in Finished Areas: Clean exposed surfaces and protect as necessary to ensure freedom from damage and deterioration at time of Substantial Completion.

H. Protection Of Installed Construction
1. Provide final protection and maintain conditions that ensure installed Work is without damage or deterioration at time of Substantial Completion.
2. Work Areas: Clean areas where work is in progress to the level of cleanliness necessary for proper execution of the Work.

1.26 CONSTRUCTION WASTE MANAGEMENT AND DISPOSAL

A. Waste Reduction
1. Reduce construction waste during installation work. Undertake practices which will minimize waste and optimize full use of new materials on site, such as:
   a. Use of a central cutting area to allow for easy access to off-cuts;
   b. Use of off-cuts for blocking and bridging elsewhere.
   c. Use of effective and strategically placed facilities on site for storage and staging of left-over or partially cut materials (such as gypsum board, plywood, ceiling tiles, insulation etc...) to allow for easy incorporation into

B. Material Source Separation Process
1. Perform demolition and removal of existing building components and equipment following a systematic deconstruction process.
2. Separate materials and equipment at source, carefully dismantling, labelling and stockpiling alike items for the following purposes:
   a. Reinstallation into the work where indicated.
   b. Salvaging reusable items not needed in project which Contractor may sell to other parties. Sale of such items not permitted on site.
   c. Sending as many items as possible to locally available recycling facility.
   d. Segregating remaining waste and debris into various individual waste categories for disposal in a non-mixed state as recommended by waste processing/landfill sites.

C. Disposal Requirements
1. Dispose of waste only at approved waste processing facility or landfill sites approved by authority having jurisdiction.

1.27 CLOSEOUT PROCEDURES

A. Substantial Completion
1. Preliminary Procedures: Before requesting inspection for determining date of Substantial Completion, complete the following. List items below that are incomplete in request.
   a. Prepare a list of items to be completed and corrected (punch list), the value of items on the list, and reasons why the Work is not complete.
   b. Advise Owner of pending insurance changeover requirements.
   c. Submit specific warranties, workmanship bonds, maintenance service agreements, final certifications, and similar documents.
   d. Obtain and submit releases permitting Owner unrestricted use of the Work and access to services and utilities. Include occupancy permits, operating certificates, and similar releases.
   e. Prepare and submit Project Record Documents, operation and maintenance manuals, Final Completion construction photographs, damage or settlement surveys, property surveys, and similar final record information.
   f. Deliver tools, spare parts, extra materials, and similar items to location designated by Owner. Label with manufacturer's name and model number where applicable.
   g. Make final changeover of permanent locks and deliver keys to Owner. Advise Owner's personnel of changeover in security provisions.
   h. Complete start-up testing of systems.
   i. Submit test/adjust/balance records.
j. Terminate and remove temporary facilities from Project site, along with mock-ups, construction tools, and similar elements.
k. Advise Owner of changeover in heat and other utilities.
l. Submit changeover information related to Owner's occupancy, use, operation, and maintenance.
m. Complete final cleaning requirements, including touch-up painting.
n. Touch up and otherwise repair and restore marred exposed finishes to eliminate visual defects.

2. Inspection: Submit a written request for inspection for Substantial Completion. On receipt of request, Owner's Representative will either proceed with inspection or notify Contractor of unfulfilled requirements. Owner's Representative will prepare the Certificate of Substantial Completion after inspection or will notify Contractor of items, either on Contractor's list or additional items identified by Owner's Representative, that must be completed or corrected before certificate will be issued.

3. Reinspection: Request reinspection when the Work identified in previous inspections as incomplete is completed or corrected.

B. Final Completion

1. Preliminary Procedures: Before requesting final inspection for determining date of Final Completion, complete the following:
   a. Submit a final Application for Payment according to the General Conditions.
   b. Submit certified copy of Owner's Representative's Substantial Completion inspection list of items to be completed or corrected (punch list), endorsed and dated by Owner's Representative. The certified copy of the list shall state that each item has been completed or otherwise resolved for acceptance.
   c. Submit evidence of final, continuing insurance coverage complying with insurance requirements.
   d. Instruct Owner's personnel in operation, adjustment, and maintenance of products, equipment, and systems.

2. Inspection: Submit a written request for final inspection for acceptance. On receipt of request, Owner's Representative will either proceed with inspection or notify Contractor of unfulfilled requirements. Owner's Representative will prepare a final Certificate for Payment after inspection or will notify Contractor of construction that must be completed or corrected before certificate will be issued.
   a. Reinspection: Request reinspection when the Work identified in previous inspections as incomplete is completed or corrected.

C. Final Cleaning

1. General: Provide final cleaning. Conduct cleaning and waste-removal operations to comply with local laws and ordinances and Federal and local environmental and antipollution regulations.

2. Cleaning: Employ experienced workers or professional cleaners for final cleaning. Clean each surface or unit to condition expected in an average commercial building cleaning and maintenance program. Comply with manufacturer's written instructions.

1.28 OPERATION AND MAINTENANCE DATA

A. Operation and Maintenance Manuals: Assemble a complete set of operation and maintenance data indicating operation and maintenance of each system, subsystem, and piece of equipment not part of a system.

B. Manufacturers' Data: Where manuals contain manufacturers' standard printed data, include only sheets pertinent to product or component installed. Mark each sheet to identify each product or component incorporated into the Work. If data include more than one item in a tabular format, identify each item using appropriate references from the Contract Documents. Identify data applicable to the Work and delete references to information not applicable.

C. Manual Contents: Operations and maintenance manual content is specified in individual specification sections to be reviewed at the time of Section submittals. Submit reviewed manual content formatted and organized as required by this Section.
1. Where applicable, clarify and update reviewed manual content to correspond to modifications and field conditions.

D. Format: Submit operations and maintenance manuals in the following format:

1. PDF electronic file. Assemble each manual into a composite electronically-indexed file. Submit on digital media acceptable to Owner's Representative.
   a. Name each indexed document file in composite electronic index with applicable item name. Include a complete electronically-linked operation and maintenance directory.
   b. Enable inserted reviewer comments on draft submittals.

2. Three paper copies. Include a complete operation and maintenance directory. Enclose title pages and directories in clear plastic sleeves. Owner's Representative will return one copy.
   a. Binders: Heavy-duty, 3-ring, vinyl-covered, loose-leaf binders, in thickness necessary to accommodate contents, sized to hold 215-by-280-mm paper; with clear plastic sleeve on spine to hold label describing contents and with pockets inside covers to hold folded oversize sheets.

1.29 PROJECT RECORD DOCUMENTS

A. Record Drawings

1. Maintain one set of blue- or black-line white prints of the Contract Drawings and Shop Drawings.
2. Mark Record Prints to show the actual installation where installation varies from that shown originally.
3. Give particular attention to information on concealed elements that would be difficult to identify or measure and record later.
   a. Accurately record information in an understandable drawing technique.
   b. Record data as soon as possible after obtaining it. Record and check the mark-up before enclosing concealed installations.
4. Content: Types of items requiring marking include, but are not limited to, the following:
   a. Dimensional changes to Drawings.
   b. Revisions to details shown on Drawings.
   c. Depths of foundations below first floor.
   d. Locations and depths of underground utilities.
   e. Revisions to routing of piping and conduits.
   f. Revisions to electrical circuitry.
   g. Actual equipment locations.
   h. Duct size and routing.
   i. Locations of concealed internal utilities.
   j. Changes made by Change Order or Change Directive.
   k. Changes made following Owner's Representative's written orders.
   l. Details not on the original Contract Drawings.
   m. Field records for variable and concealed conditions.
   n. Record information on the Work that is shown only schematically.
5. Mark the Contract Drawings or Shop Drawings, whichever is most capable of showing actual physical conditions, completely and accurately. If Shop Drawings are marked, show cross-reference on the Contract Drawings.
6. Mark record sets with erasable, red-coloured pencil. Use other colours to distinguish between changes for different categories of the Work at same location.
7. Mark important additional information that was either shown schematically or omitted from original Drawings.
8. Note Construction Change Directive numbers, alternate numbers, Change Order numbers, and similar identification, where applicable.
9. Submit record drawings to Owner's Representative prior to requesting Substantial Completion inspection.
1.30 DEMONSTRATION AND TRAINING

A. Demonstrate start-up, operation, control, adjustment, troubleshooting, servicing, and maintenance of each item of equipment.

B. Instruct personnel in all phases of operation and maintenance using operation and maintenance manuals as the basis of instruction.

C. Review contents of manual in detail to explain all aspects of operation and maintenance.

D. Prepare and insert additional data in operations and maintenance manuals when the need for additional data becomes apparent during instructions.

E. The GC shall be responsible for training coordination and scheduling and ultimately for ensuring that training is completed.

END OF SECTION
PART 1 - GENERAL

1.1 RELATED DOCUMENTS

.1 Drawings and general provisions of the Contract, including General and Supplementary Conditions and other Division 01 Specification Sections, apply to this Section.

1.2 SUMMARY

.1 Types of items described in this Section:
   .1 Administrative and procedural requirements for substitutions.

.2 Types of items you will not find described in this Section:
   .1 Products selected under an allowance.
   .2 Requirements for submitting comparable product submittals for products by listed manufacturers.
   .3 Divisions 02 through 49 Sections for specific requirements and limitations for substitutions.

1.3 DEFINITIONS

.1 Substitutions: Changes in products, materials, equipment, and methods of construction from those required by the Contract Documents and proposed by Contractor.
   .1 Substitutions for Cause: Changes proposed by Contractor that are required due to changed Project conditions, such as unavailability of product, regulatory changes, or unavailability of required warranty terms.
   .2 Substitutions for Convenience: Changes proposed by Contractor or Owner that are not required in order to meet other Project requirements but may offer advantage to Contractor or Owner.

1.4 SUBMITTALS

.1 Substitution Requests: Submit three copies of each request for consideration. Identify product or fabrication or installation method to be replaced. Include Specification Section number and title and Drawing numbers and titles.
   .1 Documentation: Show compliance with requirements for substitutions and the following, as applicable:
      .1 Statement indicating why specified product or fabrication or installation cannot be provided, if applicable.
      .2 Coordination information, including a list of changes or modifications needed to other parts of the Work and to construction performed by Owner and separate contractors, that will be necessary to accommodate proposed substitution.
      .3 Detailed comparison of significant qualities of proposed substitution with those of the Work specified. Include annotated copy of applicable specification section. Significant qualities may include attributes such as performance, weight, size, durability, visual effect, sustainable design characteristics, warranties, and specific features and requirements indicated. Indicate deviations, if any, from the Work specified.
      .4 Product Data, including drawings and descriptions of products and fabrication and installation procedures.
      .5 Samples, where applicable or requested.
      .6 Certificates and qualification data, where applicable or requested.
      .7 List of similar installations for completed projects with project names and addresses and names and addresses of Owner's Representatives and owners.
      .8 Material test reports from a qualified testing agency indicating and interpreting test results for compliance with requirements indicated.
      .9 Research reports evidencing compliance with building code in effect for Project.
.10 Detailed comparison of Contractor's construction schedule using proposed substitution with products specified for the Work, including effect on the overall Contract Time. If specified product or method of construction cannot be provided within the Contract Time, include letter from manufacturer, on manufacturer's letterhead, stating date of receipt of purchase order, lack of availability, or delays in delivery.

.11 Cost information, including a proposal of change, if any, in the Contract Sum.

.12 Contractor's certification that proposed substitution complies with requirements in the Contract Documents except as indicated in substitution request, is compatible with related materials, and is appropriate for applications indicated.

.13 Contractor's waiver of rights to additional payment or time that may subsequently become necessary because of failure of proposed substitution to produce indicated results.

.2 Owner's Representative's Action: If necessary, Owner's Representative will request additional information or documentation for evaluation within seven days of receipt of a request for substitution. Owner's Representative will notify Contractor of acceptance or rejection of proposed substitution within 15 days of receipt of request, or seven days of receipt of additional information or documentation, whichever is later.

.1 Forms of Acceptance: Change Order, Construction Change Directive, or Owner's Representative's Supplemental Instructions for minor changes in the Work.

.2 Use product specified if Owner's Representative does not issue a decision on use of a proposed substitution within time allocated.

1.5 QUALITY ASSURANCE

.1 Compatibility of Substitutions: Investigate and document compatibility of proposed substitution with related products and materials. Engage qualified testing agency to perform compatibility tests recommended by manufacturers.

1.6 PROCEDURES

.1 Coordination: Modify or adjust affected work as necessary to integrate work of the approved substitutions.

PART 2 - PRODUCTS

2.1 SUBSTITUTIONS

.1 Substitutions for Cause: Submit requests for substitution immediately upon discovery of need for change, but not later than 15 days prior to time required for preparation and review of related submittals.

.1 Conditions: Owner's Representative will consider Contractor's request for substitution when the following conditions are satisfied. If the following conditions are not satisfied, Owner's Representative will return requests without action, except to record noncompliance with these requirements:

.1 Requested substitution is consistent with the Contract Documents and will produce indicated results.

.2 Substitution request is fully documented and properly submitted.

.3 Requested substitution will not adversely affect Contractor's construction schedule.

.4 Requested substitution has received necessary approvals of authorities having jurisdiction.

.5 Requested substitution is compatible with other portions of the Work.

.6 Requested substitution has been coordinated with other portions of the Work.

.7 Requested substitution provides specified warranty.

.8 If requested substitution involves more than one contractor, requested substitution has been coordinated with other portions of the Work, is uniform and consistent, is compatible with other products, and is acceptable to all contractors involved.

.2 Substitutions for Convenience: Owner's Representative will consider requests for substitution if received within 60 days after the Notice of Award. Requests received after that time may be considered or rejected at discretion of Owner's Representative.
.1 Conditions: Owner's Representative will consider Contractor's request for substitution when the following conditions are satisfied. If the following conditions are not satisfied, Owner's Representative will return requests without action, except to record noncompliance with these requirements:

.1 Requested substitution offers Owner a substantial advantage in cost, time, energy conservation, or other considerations, after deducting additional responsibilities Owner must assume. Owner's additional responsibilities may include compensation to Owner's Representative for redesign and evaluation services, increased cost of other construction by Owner, and similar considerations.

.2 Requested substitution does not require extensive revisions to the Contract Documents.

.3 Requested substitution is consistent with the Contract Documents and will produce indicated results.

.4 Substitution request is fully documented and properly submitted.

.5 Requested substitution will not adversely affect Contractor's construction schedule.

.6 Requested substitution has received necessary approvals of authorities having jurisdiction.

.7 Requested substitution is compatible with other portions of the Work.

.8 Requested substitution has been coordinated with other portions of the Work.

.9 Requested substitution provides specified warranty.

.10 If requested substitution involves more than one contractor, requested substitution has been coordinated with other portions of the Work, is uniform and consistent, is compatible with other products, and is acceptable to all contractors involved.

PART 3 - EXECUTION (Not Used)

END OF SECTION
PART 1 - GENERAL

1.1 RELATED DOCUMENTS

.1 Drawings and general provisions of the Contract, including General and Supplementary Conditions and other Division 01 Specification Sections, apply to this Section.

1.2 SUMMARY

.1 Types of items described in this Section:
   .1 Administrative and procedural requirements necessary to prepare and process Applications for Payment.

.2 Types of items you will not find described in this Section:
   .1 Procedural requirements governing the handling and processing of allowances.
   .2 Administrative procedures for handling changes to the contract.
   .3 Administrative requirements governing the preparation and submittal of the contractor's construction schedule.
   .4 Administrative requirements governing the preparation and submittal of the submittal schedule.
   .5 Administrative requirements governing submittal of cost breakdown information required for leed documentation.

1.3 DEFINITIONS

.1 Schedule of Values: A statement furnished by Contractor allocating portions of the Contract Sum to various portions of the Work and used as the basis for reviewing Contractor's Applications for Payment.

1.4 SCHEDULE OF VALUES

.1 Coordination: Coordinate preparation of the schedule of values with preparation of Contractor's construction schedule.
   .1 Correlate line items in the schedule of values with other required administrative forms and schedules, including the following:
      .1 Application for Payment forms with continuation sheets.
      .2 Submittal schedule.
      .3 Items required to be indicated as separate activities in Contractor's construction schedule.
   .2 Submit the schedule of values to Owner's Representative at earliest possible date but no later than seven days before the date scheduled for submittal of initial Applications for Payment.

   Format and Content: Use the Project Manual table of contents as a guide to establish line items for the schedule of values. Provide at least one line item for each Specification Section.
   .1 Arrange the schedule of values in tabular form with separate columns to indicate the following for each item listed:
      .1 Related Specification Section or Division.
      .2 Description of the Work.
      .3 Dollar value of the following, as a percentage of the Contract Sum to nearest one-hundredth percent, adjusted to total 100 percent.
   .2 Provide a breakdown of the Contract Sum in enough detail to facilitate continued evaluation of Applications for Payment and progress reports. Coordinate with the Project Manual table of contents. Provide multiple line items for principal subcontract amounts in excess of five percent of Contract Sum.
.1 Include separate line items under principal subcontracts for sustainability documentation for LEED certification, if applicable, and other project closeout requirements in an amount totalling not less than five percent of the Contract Sum and subcontract amount.

.3 Round amounts to nearest whole dollar; total shall equal the Contract Sum.

.4 Provide a separate line item in the schedule of values for each part of the Work where Applications for Payment may include materials or equipment purchased or fabricated and stored, but not yet installed. Differentiate between items stored on-site and items stored off-site. If required, include evidence of insurance.

.5 Allowances: Provide a separate line item in the schedule of values for each allowance. Show line-item value of unit-cost allowances, as a product of the unit cost, multiplied by measured quantity. Use information indicated in the Contract Documents to determine quantities.

.6 Each item in the schedule of values and Applications for Payment shall be complete. Include total cost and proportionate share of general overhead and profit for each item.

.7 Schedule Updating: Update and resubmit the schedule of values before the next Applications for Payment when Change Orders or Construction Change Directives result in a change in the Contract Sum.

1.5 APPLICATIONS FOR PAYMENT

.1 Each Application for Payment shall be consistent with previous applications and payments as certified by Owner's Representative and paid for by Owner. Initial Application for Payment, Application for Payment at time of Substantial Completion, and final Application for Payment involve additional requirements.

.2 Payment Application Times: The date for each progress payment is indicated in the Agreement between Owner and Contractor. The period of construction work covered by each Application for Payment is the period indicated in the Agreement.

.3 Application for Payment Forms: Use forms acceptable to Owner's Representative and Owner for Applications for Payment. Submit forms for approval with initial submittal of schedule of values.

.4 Application Preparation: Complete every entry on form. Execute by a person authorized to sign legal documents on behalf of Contractor. Owner's Representative will return incomplete applications without action.

.5 Stored Materials: Include in Application for Payment amounts applied for materials or equipment purchased or fabricated and stored, but not yet installed. Differentiate between items stored on-site and items stored off-site. Provide certificate of insurance, evidence of transfer of title to Owner, and consent of surety to payment, for stored materials.

.6 Provide supporting documentation that verifies amount requested, such as paid invoices. Match amount requested with amounts indicated on documentation; do not include overhead and profit on stored materials.

.7 Provide summary documentation for stored materials indicating the following:

.1 Materials previously stored and included in previous Applications for Payment.

.2 Work completed for this Application utilizing previously stored materials.
.3 Additional materials stored with this Application.
.4 Total materials remaining stored, including materials with this Application.

.6 Transmittal: Submit two signed original copies of each Application for Payment to Owner's Representative by a method ensuring receipt within 24 hours. Provide current Letter of Good Standing from Work Place Health and Safety authority.
.1 Transmit each copy with a transmittal form listing attachments and recording appropriate information about application.

.7 Initial Application for Payment: Administrative actions and submittals that must precede or coincide with submittal of first Application for Payment include the following:
.1 List of subcontractors.
.2 Schedule of values.
.3 Contractor's construction schedule (preliminary if not final).
.4 Products list (preliminary if not final).
.5 Schedule of unit prices.
.6 Submittal schedule (preliminary if not final).
.7 List of Contractor's staff assignments.
.8 List of Contractor's principal consultants.
.9 Copies of building permits.
.10 Copies of authorizations and licenses from authorities having jurisdiction for performance of the Work.
.11 Initial progress report.

.8 Application for Payment at Substantial Completion: After issuing the Certificate of Substantial Completion, submit an Application for Payment showing 100 percent completion for portion of the Work claimed as substantially complete.
.1 Include documentation supporting claim that the Work is substantially complete and a statement showing an accounting of changes to the Contract Sum.

.9 Final Payment Application: Submit final Application for Payment with releases and supporting documentation not previously submitted and accepted, including, but not limited, to the following:
.1 Evidence of completion of Project closeout requirements.
.2 Insurance certificates for products and completed operations where required and proof that taxes, fees, and similar obligations were paid.
.3 Updated final statement, accounting for final changes to the Contract Sum.
.4 Final meter readings for utilities, a measured record of stored fuel, and similar data as of date of Substantial Completion or when Owner took possession of and assumed responsibility for corresponding elements of the Work.

PART 2 - PRODUCTS (Not Used)

PART 3 - EXECUTION (Not Used)

END OF SECTION
PART 1 - GENERAL

1.1 RELATED DOCUMENTS

A. Drawings and general provisions of the Contract, including General and Supplementary Conditions and Division 01 Specification Sections, apply to this Section.

1.2 SUMMARY

A. Types of items described in this Section:
   1. Health and safety requirements for projects located in Newfoundland and Labrador.

1.3 REFERENCES

A. Code and standards referenced in this section refer to the latest edition thereof.

B. Canadian Standards Association (CSA)
   1. CSA S269.1 Falsework for Construction Purposes.
   2. CAN/CSA-Z259.1 Safety Belts and Lanyards.
   3. CAN/CSA-Z259.10 Full body Harnesses.
   4. CAN/CSA-Z259.11 Shock Absorbers for Personal Fall Arrest Systems.
   5. CAN/CSA-Z259.2, Fall Arresting Devices, Personnel Lowering Devices and Lifelines.
   8. CSA Z275.4 Competency Standard for Divers Operations.

C. FCC No. 302 Standard for Welding and Cutting.


E. Newfoundland Occupational Health and Safety Act, Amended

F. Consolidated Newfoundland and Regulations 1149 WMIS Regulations Under the Occupational Health and Safety Act


1.4 SUBMITTALS

A. At least 10 (ten) working days prior to commencing any site work: submit to Owner’s Representative copies of:

1. A complete Site Specific Hazard Assessment and Safety Program Table of Contents.
2. Including requirements as outlined by the Department of Environmental Health & Safety at the following link: https://www.mun.ca/health_safety/OHSMS/CSMS/

B. Acceptance of the Project Health and Safety Hazard Assessment and Management Plan and other submitted documents by the Owner’s Representative shall only be viewed as acknowledgement that the contractor has submitted the required documentation under this specification section.

C. Owner’s Representative makes no representation and provides no warranty for the accuracy, completeness and legislative compliance of the Project Health and Safety Hazard Management Plan and other submitted documents by this acceptance.

D. Responsibility for errors and omissions in the Project Health and Safety Hazard Assessment and Management Plan and other submitted documents is not relieved by acceptance by Owner’s Representative.

1.5 OCCUPATIONAL HEALTH AND SAFETY (PROJECT HEALTH AND SAFETY HAZARD ASSESSMENT AND MANAGEMENT PLANS)

A. Conduct operations in accordance with latest edition of the Newfoundland Occupational Health and Safety (OH&S) Act and Regulations.

B. Prepare a detailed Project Health and Safety Hazard Assessment and Management Plan for the Owner. Assessment shall identify, evaluate and control job specific hazards and the necessary control measures to be implemented for managing hazards.

C. Provide a copy of the Project Health and Safety Hazard Assessment and Management Plan upon request to Occupational Health and Safety Branch, Department of Labour, Province of Newfoundland and Labrador and the Owner.

D. The written Health and Safety Hazard Assessment and Management Plan shall incorporate the following:

1. A site-specific health and safety plan, refer to clause 1.6 Site-Specific Health and Safety Hazard Assessment and Management Plan of this section for requirements.
2. An organizational structure which shall establish the specific chain of command and specify the overall responsibilities of contractor’s employees at the work site.
3. A comprehensive work plan which shall:
   a. define work tasks and objectives of site activities/operations and the logistics and resources required to reach these tasks and objectives
   b. establish personnel requirements for implementing the plan, and
   c. establish site specific training and notification requirements and schedules.
4. A personal protected equipment (PPE) Program which shall detail PPE:
   a. Selection criteria based on site hazards.
   b. Use, maintenance, inspection and storage requirements and procedures.
c. Decontamination and disposal procedures.
d. Inspection procedures prior to, during and after use, and other appropriate medical considerations.
e. Limitations during temperature extremes, heat stress and other appropriate medical consideration.

5. An emergency response procedure, refer to Clause 1.7 Supervision and Emergency Response Procedure of this section for requirements.

6. A hazard communication program for informing workers, visitors and individuals outside of the work area as required.

7. A diving program which shall contain standard operating procedures to be followed in the diving operation.

8. A health and safety training program.


E. Periodically review and modify as required each component of the Project Health and Safety Hazard Assessment and Management Plan when a new hazard is identified during completion of work and when an error or omission is identified in any part of the Project Health and Safety Hazard Assessment and Management Plan.

F. Implement all requirements of the Project Health and Safety Hazard Assessment and Management Plan.

1. Ensure that every person entering the project site is informed of requirements under the Project Health and Safety Hazard Assessment and Management Plan.

2. Take all necessary measures to immediately implement any engineering controls, administrative contacts, personal protective equipment required or termination of work procedures to ensure compliance with the Project Health and Safety Hazard Assessment and Management Plan.

1.6 SITE SPECIFIC HEALTH AND SAFETY PLAN

A. Prepare a detailed site Specific Project Health and Safety Plan which shall:

1. Contain certain hazard assessment results.

2. Identify engineering and administrative demonstrative controls (work-practices and procedures) to be implemented for managing identified and potential hazards, and comply with applicable federal and provincial legislation and more stringent requirements that have been specified in these specifications.

B. Review for completeness the hazard assessment results immediately prior to commencing work, when a new hazard is identified during completion of work and when an error or omission is identified.

1. Be solely responsible for investigating, evaluation and managing any report of actual or potential hazards.

2. Retain copies of all completed hazard assessments at the project site and make available to the Owner's Representative immediately upon request.

1.7 SUPERVISION AND EMERGENCY RESCUE PROCEDURE

A. Carry out work under the direct supervision of competent persons responsible for safety by ensuring the work complies with the appropriate section of OH&S Act and Regulations.

B. Assign a sufficient number of supervisory personnel to the work site.

C. Provide a suitable means of communications for workers required to work alone.
D. Develop an emergency rescue plan for the job site and ensure that supervisors and workers are trained in the emergency rescue plan.

E. The emergency response plan shall address, as a minimum:

1. Pre-emergency planning.
2. Personnel roles, lines of authority and communication.
4. Safe distances and places of refuge.
5. Site security and control
6. Evacuation routes and procedures
7. Decontamination procedures which are not covered by the site specific safety and health plan.
9. Emergency alarm, notification and response procedures including procedures for reporting incidents to local, provincial and federal government departments.
10. PPE and emergency equipment.
11. Procedures for handling emergency incidents.
12. Site specific emergency response training requirements and schedules.
13. For diving operation, include procedures for:
   
   a. Managing deteriorating environmental conditions.
   b. Managing unexpected weather or sea-state condition.
   c. Evacuation of diver(s) under pressures greater than atmospheric pressure.
   d. In-water emergency transfers.
   e. Managing failing of equipment below the surface that impairs the ability of a diver to complete a dive.
   f. Managing failure of any major component of diving plant or equipment.
   g. Emergency signalling between divers involved in the diving program and between the diver(s) and the attendants using umbilical, tethers or other suitable methods.
   h. Mobilizing stand-by divers.
   i. Mobilizing crafts, stand-by boats and any other devices to be used for rescue.
   j. Contacting evacuation, rescue, treatment facilities and medical services that will be used in the diving program.
   k. Operation of emergency power and lighting facilities.

F. The emergency response procedures shall be rehearsed regularly as part of the overall training program.

G. Provide adequate first aid facilities for the jobsite and ensure that a minimum number of workers are trained in first aid in accordance with the First Aid Regulations.

1.8 CONTRACTORS SAFETY OFFICER

A. The contractor’s Safety Officer will be solely responsible for the implementation and monitoring of the Project Health and Safety Hazard Assessment and Management Plan, and will have the authority to implement health and safety changes as directed by the Owner’s Representative. The Safety Officer shall have as a minimum:

2. Completed training in the use, maintenance of fall protection systems.
3. Completed training in the design and construction of scaffolding.
4. Completed training in confined space entry protocols and techniques.
5. Completed training in First Aid.
6. Have working knowledge of occupational safety and health regulations.
7. Be responsible for completing Contractor's Health and Safety Training Sessions and ensuring that personnel not successfully completing required training are not permitted to enter site to perform Work.
9. Be on site during execution of Work and report directly to and be under direction of site supervisor.

1.9 HEALTH AND SAFETY COMMITTEE

A. Establish an Occupational Health and Safety Committee where ten or more workers are employed on the job site as per the OH&S Act and Regulations. Be responsible for health and safety of persons on site, safety of property on site and for protection of persons adjacent to site and environment to extent that they may be affected by conduct of Work.

C. Comply with and enforce compliance by employees with safety requirements of Contract Documents, applicable federal, provincial, territorial and local statutes, regulations, and ordinances, and with site-specific Health and Safety Plan.

1.10 RESPONSIBILITY

A. Be responsible for health and safety of persons on site, safety of property on site and for protection of persons adjacent to site and environment to extent that they may be affected by conduct of Work.

B. Comply with and enforce compliance by employees with safety requirements of Contract Documents, applicable federal, provincial, territorial and local statutes, regulations, and ordinances, and with site-specific Health and Safety Plan.

1.11 UNFORESEEN HAZARDS

A. Should any unforeseen or peculiar safety-related factor, hazard, or condition become evident during performance of Work, follow procedures in place for Employee's Right to Refuse Work in accordance with Acts and Regulations of Province having jurisdiction. Advise Owner's Representative verbally and in writing.

1.12 INSTRUCTION AND TRAINING

A. Workers shall not participate in or supervise any activity on the work site until they have been trained to a level required by this job function and responsibility. Training shall as a minimum thoroughly cover the following:

1. Federal and Provincial Health and Safety Legislation requirements including roles and responsibilities of workers and person(s) responsible for implementing, monitoring and enforcing health and safety requirements.
2. Safety and health hazards associated with working on a contaminated site including recognition of symptoms and signs which might indicate over exposure to hazards.
3. Limitations, use, maintenance and disinfection-decontamination of personal protective equipment associated with completing work.
4. Limitations, use, maintenance and care of engineering controls and equipment.
5. Limitations and use of emergency notifications and response equipment including emergency response protocol.
6. Work practices and procedures to minimize the risk of an accident and hazardous occurrence from exposure to a hazard.

B. Provide and maintain training of workers, as required, by Federal and Provincial legislation.

C. Provide copies of all safety training certificates, upon request, to Owner’s Representative for review, and to be maintained on the worker when they enter the work site.

D. Authorized visitors shall not access the work site until they have been:
   1. Notified of the names of persons responsible for implementing, monitoring and enforcing the Health and Safety Hazard Assessment and Management Plan.
   2. Briefed on safety and health hazards present on the site.
   3. Instructed in the proper use and limitations of personal protective equipment.
   4. Briefed as the emergency response protocol including notification and evacuation process.
   5. Informed of practices and procedures to minimize risks from hazards and applicable to activities performed by visitors.

1.13 CONSTRUCTION SAFETY MEASURES


B. Administer the project in a manner that will ensure, at all times, full compliance with Federal and Provincial Acts, regulations and applicable safety codes and the site Health and Safety Hazard Assessment and Management Plan.

C. Provide Owner's Representative with copies of all orders, directions and any other documentation, issued by the Provincial Department of Government Services, Occupational Health and Safety branch immediately after receipt.

1.14 POSTING OF DOCUMENTS

A. Ensure applicable items, articles, notices and orders are posted in conspicuous location on site in accordance with Acts and Regulations of Province and authority having jurisdiction, and in consultation with Owner’s Representative.

1.15 HEALTH AND SAFETY MONITORING

A. Periodic inspections of the contractor's work may be carried out by the Owner's Representative to maintain compliance with the Health and Safety Program. Inspections will include visual inspections as well as testing and sampling as required.

B. The contractor shall be responsible for any and all costs associated with delays as a result of contractor’s failure to comply with the requirements outlined in this section.
1.16 CORRECTION OF NON-COMPLIANCE

A. Immediately address health and safety non-compliance issues identified by authority having jurisdiction or by Owner’s Representative.

B. Provide Owner's Representative with written report of action taken to correct non-compliance of health and safety issues identified.

C. Owner’s Representative may stop work if non-compliance of health and safety regulations is not corrected.

1.17 WHMIS

A. Ensure that all controlled products are in accordance with the Workplace Hazardous Materials Information System (WHMIS) Regulations and Chemical Substances of the OH&S Act and Regulations regarding use, handling, labelling, storage, and disposal of hazardous materials.

B. Deliver copies of relevant (Material) Safety Data Sheets (SDS) to job site and the Owner's Representative. The SDS must be acceptable to Labour Canada and Health and Welfare Canada for all controlled products that will be used in the performance of this work.

C. Train workers required to use or work in close proximity to controlled products as per OH&S Act and Regulations.

D. Label controlled products at jobsite as per OH&S and Regulations.

E. Provide appropriate emergency facilities as specified in the SDS where workers might be exposed to contact with chemicals, e.g. eye-wash facilities, emergency shower.

   1. Workers to be trained in use of such emergency equipment.

F. Contractor shall provide appropriate personal protective equipment as specified in the SDS where workers are required to use controlled products.

   1. Properly fit workers for personal protective equipment
   2. Train workers in care, use and maintenance of personal protective equipment.

G. No controlled products are to be brought on-site without prior approved SDS.

H. The SDS are to remain on site at all times.

1.18 OVERLOADING

A. Ensure no part of work or associated equipment is subjected to loading that will endanger its safety or will cause permanent deformation.

1.19 FALSEWORK

A. Design and construct falsework in accordance with CSA S269.1.
1.20 SCAFFOLDING

A. Design, erect and maintain scaffolding in accordance with CSA S269.2 and Sections 91-97 of the OH&S Act and Regulations.

B. Ensure that fall-restraint or fall-arrest devices are used by all workers working at elevations greater than 3.05 metres above grade or floor level in accordance with CSA Z259.

1.21 PERSONAL PROTECTIVE EQUIPMENT

A. Ensure workers on the jobsite use personal protective equipment appropriate to the hazards identified in the Hazard Assessment and Management Plan and those workers are trained in the proper care, use, and maintenance of such equipment.

B. PPE selections shall be based on an evaluation of the performance characteristics of the PPE relative to the requirements and limitations of the site, task-specific conditions, duration and hazards and potential hazards identified on site.

C. Provide workers and visitors to the site with proper respiratory protection equipment.
   1. No work shall be performed in an area where an airborne contaminant exceeds one half (½) the IDLH concentration.
   2. Respiratory protection shall be provided in accordance with the requirements of the Occupational Health and Safety Branch, Department of Labour of the Province of Newfoundland and Labrador and these specifications.
   3. Establish, implement and maintain a respirator inspection and maintenance program.
   4. Copies of all respirator owners’ maintenance manuals shall be kept at all times at the contractor’s site office.

D. Provide and maintain a supply of dermal protection equipment to allow visitors and all workers proper dermal protection.
   1. Dermal protection shall be sufficient to act as a protective barrier between the skin and an airborne contaminant or hazardous material. Dermal protection shall also be provided for all physical hazards.
   2. Dermal protection equipment shall not be used after exceeding 75% of the break through time. The break through time shall be based on the contaminant which requires the least amount of time to break through the protective equipment.
   3. Copies of all dermal protection user specifications, owners and maintenance manuals shall be kept at all times at the contractor’s site office.
   4. Establish, implement and maintain air inspection program to ensure proper dermal protection in accordance with CSA, NIOSH, U.S. EPA and manufacturer’s requirements.

E. Provide all workers and up to two (2) visitors to the site with proper hearing protection. Workers and visitors shall not be exposed to noise levels greater than 85 dB (A) over an eight hour shift without proper hearing protection.

F. Provide all workers and up to two (2) visitors to the site with CSA approved eye protection sufficient to act as a protective barrier between the eye and airborne contaminants, hazardous materials and physical hazard.

G. Provide workers and up to two (2) visitors to the site with CSA approved hard hats.
1.22 EXCAVATION SAFETY

A. Protect excavations more than 1.25 metres deep against cave-ins or wall collapse by side wall sloping to the appropriate angle of repose, an engineered shoring/sheathing system or an approved trench box.

1. Provide a ladder which can extend from the bottom of the excavation to at least 0.91 metres above the top of the excavation.

B. Ensure that all excavations less than 1.25 metres deep are effectively protected when hazardous ground movement may be expected.

C. Design trench boxes, certified by a registered Professional Engineer, and fabricated by a reputable manufacturer. Provide the manufacturer’s Depth Certificate Statement permanently affixed. Use trench boxes in strict accordance with manufacturer’s instructions and depth certification data.

D. For excavations deeper than six (6) metres, provide a certificate from a registered Professional Engineer stating that the protection methods proposed have been properly designed in accordance with accepted engineering practice. The engineer’s certificate shall verify that the trench boxes, if used, are properly designed and constructed to suit the depth and soil conditions.

1. Ensure that the superintendent and every crew chief, foreperson and lead hand engaged in trenching operations or working in trenches have in his/her possession a copy of the Department of Labour’s “Trench Excavation Safety Guide”.

1.23 CONFINED SPACE WORK

A. Comply with requirements of Canada Occupational Safety and Health Regulations, Part XI and Consolidated Regulations Newfoundland and Labrador (CRNL) OH&S 1165/96.

B. Provide approved air monitoring equipment where workers are working in confined spaces and ensure any test equipment to be used is calibrated, in good working order and used by trained persons.

C. Develop a confined space entry program specific to the nature of work performed and in accordance with OH&S Act and Regulations and ensure supervisors and workers are trained in the confined space entry program.

1. Ensure that personal protective equipment and emergency rescue equipment appropriate to the nature of the work being performed is provided and used.

D. Provide and maintain training of workers, as required by the Federal and Provincial Legislation.

E. Provide Owner’s Representative with a copy of an “Entry Permit” for each entry into the confined space to ensure compliance with Federal and Provincial Legislation.

1.24 HAZARDOUS MATERIALS

A. Should material resembling hazardous materials (asbestos/mould) be encountered during the execution of work and notify Owner’s Representative. Do not proceed until written instructions have been received from Owner's Representative.
B. Unless otherwise noted, for hazardous materials abatement and repair, employ the services of a recognized Environmental Consultant to provide all air monitoring and testing services for regulatory requirements.

1.25 HEAVY EQUIPMENT

A. Ensure mobile equipment used on jobsite is of the type specified in OH&S Act and Regulations fitted with a Roll Over Protective (ROP) Structure.

B. Provide certificate of training in Power Line Hazards for operators of heavy equipment.

C. Obtain written clearance from the power utility where equipment is used in close proximity to (within 5.5 metres) overhead or underground power lines.

D. Equip cranes with:
   1. A mechanism which will effectively prevent the hook assembly from running into the top boom pulley.
   2. A legible load chart.

1.26 WORK STOPPAGE

A. Give precedence to safety and health of public and site personnel and protection of environment over cost and schedule considerations of Work.

PART 2 - PRODUCTS (NOT APPLICABLE)

PART 3 - EXECUTION (NOT APPLICABLE)

END OF SECTION
PART 1 - GENERAL

1.1 RELATED DOCUMENTS

.1 Drawings and general provisions of the Contract, including General and Supplementary Conditions and other Division 01 Specification Sections, apply to this Section.

1.2 SUMMARY

.1 Types of items described in this Section:
  .1 Administrative and procedural requirements for preparing operation and maintenance manuals, including the following:
    .1 Operation and maintenance documentation directory.
    .2 Operation manuals for systems, subsystems, and equipment.
    .3 Product maintenance manuals.
    .4 Systems and equipment maintenance manuals.

.2 Types of items you will not find described in this Section:
  .1 Emergency manuals.
  .2 Procedures for submitting copies of submittals for operation and maintenance manuals.
  .3 Requirements for verification and compilation of data into operation and maintenance manuals.

1.3 DEFINITIONS

.1 System: An organized collection of parts, equipment, or subsystems united by regular interaction.

.2 Subsystem: A portion of a system with characteristics similar to a system.

1.4 CLOSEOUT SUBMITTALS

.1 Manual Content: Operations and maintenance manual content is specified in individual specification sections to be reviewed at the time of Section submittals. Submit reviewed manual content formatted and organized as required by this Section.
  .1 Where applicable, clarify and update reviewed manual content to correspond to modifications and field conditions.

.2 Format: Submit operations and maintenance manuals in the following format:
  .1 PDF electronic file. Assemble each manual into a composite electronically-indexed file. Submit on digital media acceptable to Owner’s Representative.
    .1 Name each indexed document file in composite electronic index with applicable item name. Include a complete electronically-linked operation and maintenance directory.
    .2 Enable inserted reviewer comments on draft submittals.
  .2 One paper copy. Include a complete operation and maintenance directory. Enclose title pages and directories in clear plastic sleeves. Owner’s Representative will return one copy.

.3 Initial Manual Submittal: Submit draft copy of each manual at least 30 days before commencing demonstration and training. Owner’s Representative will comment on whether general scope and content of manual are acceptable.
.4 Final Manual Submittal: Submit each manual in final form prior to requesting inspection for Substantial Completion and at least 15 days before commencing demonstration and training. Owner’s Representative will return copy with comments.

.1 Correct or modify each manual to comply with Owner’s Representative’s comments. Submit copies of each corrected manual within 15 days of receipt of Owner’s Representative’s comments and prior to commencing demonstration and training.

.5 Close-out submittal procedures are to be in conjunction with Memorial University’s Stipulated Price Contract General Conditions.

PART 2 - PRODUCTS

2.1 OPERATION AND MAINTENANCE DOCUMENTATION DIRECTORY

.1 Organization: Include a section in the directory for each of the following:

.1 List of documents.
.2 List of systems.
.3 List of equipment.
.4 Table of contents.

.2 List of Systems and Subsystems: List systems alphabetically. Include references to operation and maintenance manuals that contain information about each system.

.3 List of Equipment: List equipment for each system, organized alphabetically by system. For pieces of equipment not part of system, list alphabetically in separate list.

.4 Tables of Contents: Include a table of contents for each emergency, operation, and maintenance manual.

.5 Identification: In the documentation directory and in each operation and maintenance manual, identify each system, subsystem, and piece of equipment with same designation used in the Contract Documents. If no designation exists, assign a designation according to ASHRAE Guideline 4, Preparation of Operating and Maintenance Documentation for Building Systems.

2.2 REQUIREMENTS FOR EMERGENCY, OPERATION, AND MAINTENANCE MANUALS

.1 Organization: Unless otherwise indicated, organize each manual into a separate section for each system and subsystem, and a separate section for each piece of equipment not part of a system. Each manual shall contain the following materials, in the order listed:

.1 Title page.
.2 Table of contents.
.3 Manual contents.

.2 Title Page: Include the following information:

.1 Subject matter included in manual.
.2 Name and address of Project.
.3 Name and address of Owner.
.4 Date of submittal.
.5 Name and contact information for Contractor.
.6 Name and contact information for Owner’s Representative.
.7 Name and contact information for Commissioning Agent.
.8 Names and contact information for major consultants to the Owner’s Representative that designed the systems contained in the manuals.

.9 Cross-reference to related systems in other operation and maintenance manuals.

.3 Table of Contents: List each product included in manual, identified by product name, indexed to the content of the volume, and cross-referenced to Specification Section number in Project Manual.

.1 If operation or maintenance documentation requires more than one volume to accommodate data, include comprehensive table of contents for all volumes in each volume of the set.

.4 Manual Contents: Organize into sets of manageable size. Arrange contents alphabetically by system, subsystem, and equipment. If possible, assemble instructions for subsystems, equipment, and components of one system into a single binder.

.5 Manuals, Electronic Files: Submit manuals in the form of a multiple file composite electronic PDF file for each manual type required.

.1 Electronic Files: Use electronic files prepared by manufacturer where available. Where scanning of paper documents is required, configure scanned file for minimum readable file size.

.2 File Names and Bookmarks: Enable bookmarking of individual documents based upon file names. Name document files to correspond to system, subsystem, and equipment names used in manual directory and table of contents. Group documents for each system and subsystem into individual composite bookmarked files, then create composite manual, so that resulting bookmarks reflect the system, subsystem, and equipment names in a readily navigated file tree. Configure electronic manual to display bookmark panel upon opening file.

.6 Manuals, Paper Copy: Submit manuals in the form of hard copy, bound and labeled volumes.

.1 Binders: Heavy-duty, three-ring, vinyl-covered, loose-leaf binders, in thickness necessary to accommodate contents, sized to hold 215-by-280 mm paper; with clear plastic sleeve on spine to hold label describing contents and with pockets inside covers to hold folded oversize sheets.

.1 If two or more binders are necessary to accommodate data of a system, organize data in each binder into groupings by subsystem and related components. Cross-reference other binders if necessary to provide essential information for proper operation or maintenance of equipment or system.

.2 Identify each binder on front and spine, with printed title OPERATION AND MAINTENANCE MANUAL, Project title or name, subject matter of contents, and indicate Specification Section number on bottom of spine. Indicate volume number for multiple-volume sets.

.2 Dividers: Heavy-paper dividers with plastic-covered tabs for each section of the manual. Mark each tab to indicate contents. Include typed list of products and major components of equipment included in the section on each divider, cross-referenced to Specification Section number and title of Project Manual.

.3 Protective Plastic Sleeves: Transparent plastic sleeves designed to enclose diagnostic software storage media for computerized electronic equipment.

.4 Supplementary Text: Prepared on 215-by-280 mm white bond paper.

.5 Drawings: Attach reinforced, punched binder tabs on drawings and bind with text.

.1 If oversize drawings are necessary, fold drawings to same size as text pages and use as foldouts.

.2 If drawings are too large to be used as foldouts, fold and place drawings in labeled envelopes and bind envelopes in rear of manual. At appropriate locations in manual, insert typewritten pages indicating drawing titles, descriptions of contents, and drawing locations.

2.3 OPERATION MANUALS

.1 Content: In addition to requirements in this Section, include operation data required in individual Specification Sections and the following information:
.1 System, subsystem, and equipment descriptions. Use designations for systems and equipment indicated on Contract Documents.

.2 Performance and design criteria if Contractor is delegated design responsibility.

.3 Operating standards.

.4 Operating procedures.

.5 Operating logs.

.6 Wiring diagrams.

.7 Control diagrams.

.8 Piped system diagrams.

.9 Precautions against improper use.

.10 License requirements including inspection and renewal dates.

.2 Descriptions: Include the following:

.1 Product name and model number. Use designations for products indicated on Contract Documents.

.2 Manufacturer's name.

.3 Equipment identification with serial number of each component.

.4 Equipment function.

.5 Operating characteristics.

.6 Limiting conditions.

.7 Performance curves.

.8 Engineering data and tests.

.9 Complete nomenclature and number of replacement parts.

.3 Operating Procedures: Include the following, as applicable:

.1 Startup procedures.

.2 Equipment or system break-in procedures.

.3 Routine and normal operating instructions.

.4 Regulation and control procedures.

.5 Instructions on stopping.

.6 Normal shutdown instructions.

.7 Seasonal and weekend operating instructions.

.8 Required sequences for electric or electronic systems.

.9 Special operating instructions and procedures.

.4 Systems and Equipment Controls: Describe the sequence of operation, and diagram controls as installed.

.5 Piped Systems: Diagram piping as installed, and identify colour-coding where required for identification.

2.4 PRODUCT MAINTENANCE MANUALS

.1 Content: Organize manual into a separate section for each product, material, and finish. Include source information, product information, maintenance procedures, repair materials and sources, and warranties and bonds, as described below.

.2 Source Information: List each product included in manual, identified by product name and arranged to match manual's table of contents. For each product, list name, address, and telephone number of Installer or supplier and maintenance service agent, and cross-reference Specification Section number and title in Project Manual and drawing or schedule designation or identifier where applicable.

.3 Product Information: Include the following, as applicable:

.1 Product name and model number.
.2 Manufacturer's name.
.3 Colour, pattern, and texture.
.4 Material and chemical composition.
.5 Reordering information for specially manufactured products.

.4 Maintenance Procedures: Include manufacturer's written recommendations and the following:
  .1 Inspection procedures.
  .2 Types of cleaning agents to be used and methods of cleaning.
  .3 List of cleaning agents and methods of cleaning detrimental to product.
  .4 Schedule for routine cleaning and maintenance.
  .5 Repair instructions.

.5 Repair Materials and Sources: Include lists of materials and local sources of materials and related services.

.6 Warranties and Bonds: Include copies of warranties and bonds and lists of circumstances and conditions that
would affect validity of warranties or bonds.
  .1 Include procedures to follow and required notifications for warranty claims.

2.5 SYSTEMS AND EQUIPMENT MAINTENANCE MANUALS

.1 Content: For each system, subsystem, and piece of equipment not part of a system, include source information,
manufacturers' maintenance documentation, maintenance procedures, maintenance and service schedules, spare
parts list and source information, maintenance service contracts, and warranty and bond information, as described
below.

.2 Source Information: List each system, subsystem, and piece of equipment included in manual, identified by product
name and arranged to match manual's table of contents. For each product, list name, address, and telephone
number of Installer or supplier and maintenance service agent, and cross-reference Specification Section number
and title in Project Manual and drawing or schedule designation or identifier where applicable.

.3 Manufacturers' Maintenance Documentation: Manufacturers' maintenance documentation including the following
information for each component part or piece of equipment:
  .1 Standard maintenance instructions and bulletins.
  .2 Drawings, diagrams, and instructions required for maintenance, including disassembly and component
removal, replacement, and assembly.
  .3 Identification and nomenclature of parts and components.
  .4 List of items recommended to be stocked as spare parts.

.4 Maintenance Procedures: Include the following information and items that detail essential maintenance procedures:
  .1 Test and inspection instructions.
  .2 Troubleshooting guide.
  .3 Precautions against improper maintenance.
  .4 Disassembly; component removal, repair, and replacement; and reassembly instructions.
  .5 Aligning, adjusting, and checking instructions.
  .6 Demonstration and training video recording, if available.

.5 Maintenance and Service Schedules: Include service and lubrication requirements, list of required lubricants for
equipment, and separate schedules for preventive and routine maintenance and service with standard time
allotment.
  .1 Scheduled Maintenance and Service: Tabulate actions for daily, weekly, monthly, quarterly, semiannual,
and annual frequencies.
.2 Maintenance and Service Record: Include manufacturers’ forms for recording maintenance.

.6 Spare Parts List and Source Information: Include lists of replacement and repair parts, with parts identified and cross-referenced to manufacturers’ maintenance documentation and local sources of maintenance materials and related services.

.7 Maintenance Service Contracts: Include copies of maintenance agreements with name and telephone number of service agent.

.8 Warranties and Bonds: Include copies of warranties and bonds and lists of circumstances and conditions that would affect validity of warranties or bonds.

.1 Include procedures to follow and required notifications for warranty claims.

PART 3 - EXECUTION

3.1 MANUAL PREPARATION

.1 Product Maintenance Manual: Assemble a complete set of maintenance data indicating care and maintenance of each product, material, and finish incorporated into the Work.

.2 Operation and Maintenance Manuals: Assemble a complete set of operation and maintenance data indicating operation and maintenance of each system, subsystem, and piece of equipment not part of a system.

.1 Engage a factory-authorized service representative to assemble and prepare information for each system, subsystem, and piece of equipment not part of a system.

.2 Prepare a separate manual for each system and subsystem, in the form of an instructional manual for use by Owner's operating personnel.

.3 Manufacturers’ Data: Where manuals contain manufacturers' standard printed data, include only sheets pertinent to product or component installed. Mark each sheet to identify each product or component incorporated into the Work. If data include more than one item in a tabular format, identify each item using appropriate references from the Contract Documents. Identify data applicable to the Work and delete references to information not applicable.

.1 Prepare supplementary text if manufacturers' standard printed data are not available and where the information is necessary for proper operation and maintenance of equipment or systems.

.4 Drawings: Prepare drawings supplementing manufacturers’ printed data to illustrate the relationship of component parts of equipment and systems and to illustrate control sequence and flow diagrams. Coordinate these drawings with information contained in record Drawings to ensure correct illustration of completed installation.

.1 Do not use original project record documents as part of operation and maintenance manuals.

.2 Comply with requirements of newly prepared record Drawings in Division 01 Section Project Record Documents.

.5 Comply with Division 01 Section Closeout Procedures for schedule for submitting operation and maintenance documentation.

END OF SECTION