

**TELECOMMUNICATIONS LICENSE AGREEMENT**

BETWEEN

**ASSOCIATION OF PROFESSIONAL ENGINEERS OF ONTARIO**

(the “Licensor”)

– and –

**BELL CANADA**

(the “Licensee”)

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## INFORMATION PAGE

This page sets out information which is referred to and forms part of the TELECOMMUNICATIONS LICENSE AGREEMENT made as of the 1st day of May, 2021 between **ASSOCIATION OF PROFESSIONAL ENGINEERS OF ONTARIO** as the Licensor and **BELL CANADA** as the Licensee. The information is as follows:

Building: The office building municipally known as **40 Sheppard Avenue West** in the City of Toronto, and the Province of Ontario.

Floor Area of Deemed Area: deemed to be 61 square feet in the approximate location and dimensions shown in Schedule A.

Commencement Date: June 1, 2021

License Fee: the annual sum of Two Thousand, Six Hundred and Fifty-three Dollars And Fifty Cents (\$2,653.50) calculated based on the annual rate of **Forty-three Dollars and Fifty Cents (\$43.50)** per square foot of the floor area of the Deemed Area. The floor area of the Deemed Area is deemed to be 61 square feet.

Notices:     **Licensor:**  
40 Sheppard Avenue West,  
Suite 101  
Toronto, Ontario M2N 6K9  
Attention: Manager, Building  
Operations

**Licensee:**  
c/o. Brookfield Global Integrated  
Solutions  
87 Ontario Street West, 6<sup>th</sup> floor  
Montreal, QC H2X 0A7

Attention: Lease Management

Fax: (514) 840-8404

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Bell Canada Real Estate Services  
87 Ontario Street West, 6<sup>th</sup> floor  
Montreal, QC H2X 1Y8

Attention: Director, Strategic Asset  
Planning

Fax: (514) 391-7990

Prime Rate Reference Bank: The Toronto Dominion Bank.

Renewal Term(s): **Three (3) periods of Five (5) years.**

Term: The period starting on the Commencement Date, and ending five (5) years later on May 31, 2026, subject to renewal or extension as set out in Section 4.



## TELECOMMUNICATIONS LICENSE AGREEMENT

This License Agreement made as of this 1<sup>st</sup> day of May, 2021.

**BETWEEN:**

**ASSOCIATION OF PROFESSIONAL ENGINEERS OF ONTARIO**

(hereinafter the “**Licensors**”)

– and –

**BELL CANADA**

(hereinafter the “**Licensee**”)

### 1. DEFINITIONS

In this Agreement the capitalized terms appearing herein shall mean the following:

“**Affiliate**”: means, with respect to any entity, any other entity directly or indirectly controlling or controlled by, or under direct or indirect common control with, such entity. For the purposes of this definition, an entity shall control another entity if the first entity: (i) owns, beneficially or of record, more than fifty percent (50%) of the voting securities of the other entity; or (ii) has the ability to elect a majority of the directors of the other entity. For the purposes of this definition, the Licensee’s Affiliates shall be deemed to include BCE Inc.’s Affiliates.

“**Agreement**”: this agreement, its Exhibits and Schedules and Information Page.

“**Applicable Laws**”: means collectively, Environmental Laws and constitutions, treaties, acts, codes, ordinances, orders, decrees, edicts, rules, by laws and regulations, whether municipal, provincial, federal, national, or international; judgments, orders, writs, injunctions, rulings, decrees, ordinances and sentences of a tribunal, court, government agency or regulatory department; and all provisions of the foregoing, which bind with the force of law to the party(ies) or Person(s) mentioned therein.

“**Building**”: the building situated on the Lands; municipally described on the Information Page.

“**Business Day**”: a day that is not Saturday, Sunday, or a holiday observed under the laws of Ontario or the laws of Canada.

“**Cable**”: fibre optic, coaxial, copper cables and wires.

“**Commencement Date**”: the date stated as the Commencement Date on the Information Page.

**“Communications Equipment”**: cabinets, racks, electronic equipment and other equipment that (i) have been installed before the date of this Agreement, or (ii) are installed, or to be installed by the Licensee, in the Deemed Area all as **shown on Schedule “A-1”** and described in Schedule “B” and such other equipment as may be installed by the Licensee during the Term and Renewal Term, as approved by the Licensor in accordance with Section 7.

**“Communications Spaces”**: means telecommunication pathways and cable pathways designated by the Licensor for use by the Licensee to provide Services to tenants and occupants of the Building and such other pathways used by the Licensee during the Term and Renewal Term as approved by the Licensor in accordance with Section 7.

**“Connecting Equipment”**: the Cables, fibre guides, fibre entrance cabinets, fibre patch panels, conduits, inner ducts and connecting hardware that (i) have been installed before the date of this Agreement or (ii) are described in Schedule “C” installed, or to be installed by the Licensee, through the Entrance Link, and the Communication Spaces, and such other connecting equipment as may be installed by the Licensee in the Building during the Term and Renewal Term, as approved by the Licensor in accordance with Section 7, that is connected to the Entrance Cable, Main Distribution Frame, Communications Equipment, or Cable or that is used to house or carry Cable.

**“Consumer Price Index”**: (All Items for Regional Cities) for the city in which the Building is located, base year 2002=100, or if there is no Consumer Price Index for that city, for the city in Canada nearest the Building for which there is a Consumer Price Index published by Statistics Canada (or by a successor or other governmental agency, including a provincial agency). If the Consumer Price Index is no longer published, an index published in substitution for the Consumer Price Index or any replacement index designated by the Licensor, acting reasonably, will be used. If a substitution is required, the Licensor will make the necessary conversions. If the base year is changed by Statistics Canada or the applicable governmental agency, the necessary conversions will be made.

**“Cross Connection”**: the connection of one wire or cable under the management and control, or ownership of one party to a wire or cable under the management and control or ownership of another, by anchoring each wire or cable to a connecting block and placing a third wire between the two, or by any other means, and any other connection of the telecommunications system or any of its components that is under the management, control or ownership of one party to that of another, or any of its components.

**“CRTC”**: the Canadian Radio-television and Telecommunications Commission or any successor body thereto.

**“Deemed Area”**: the area shown single-hatched in Schedule “A”, as may be relocated as provided for in Section 2(d). The Deemed Area is for the use, in common with others, by the Licensee.

**“Entrance Cable”**: the Cable installed or to be installed by the Licensee that connects the Licensee’s telecommunications network from the property line of the Lands to the Communications Equipment and to the Main Distribution Frame and includes the tie Cables between the Communications Equipment and the Main Distribution Frame.

**“Entrance Link”**: the coresleeve, or other penetration designated by the Licensor through the Building’s foundation walls or elsewhere as indicated in Schedule “D” containing the Entrance Cable.

**“Environmental Laws”**: means any Applicable Laws pertaining to health, industrial hygiene, environmental conditions or Hazardous Substances and includes government guidelines and orders.

**“Equipment Room”**: the area containing the Main Distribution Frame for the Building.

**“Event of Default”**: defined in Section 18.

**“Existing Equipment”**: that part of the Licensee’s Equipment installed before the date of this Agreement.

**“Fee”**: any amount payable by the Licensee under this Agreement.

**“Hazardous Substance”**: any substance that is controlled by, regulated, or restricted under the laws of the Province in which the Building is situated or under the laws of Canada, including any regulations, guidelines, policy statements and restrictions pertaining to the protection of the natural environment, quality of air, water and other aspects of the environment and including but not limited to polychlorinated biphenals, asbestos, and other substances commonly referred to as pollutants, contaminants or hazardous substances.

**“In-Building Wire”**: as defined by the CRTC constitutes copper wires, Cable and other connecting facilities which originate in the Equipment Room and run to the telephone closet on each floor and thereafter to but not within the premises of the tenants or occupants in the Building.

**“Information Page”**: the sheet attached to this Agreement as “Page 1 and 2”.

**“Inside Wire”**: wires and other facilities which are usually in, or in proximity of, premises of the tenants or occupants of the Building, and which are under those persons’ or entities’ responsibility and control.

**“Interference”**: means technical interference with the transmitting, receiving or recording activities of: (i) either the Licensor or the Licensee, (ii) the existing or future tenants, licensees or other occupants of the Building, or of buildings or structures in the vicinity of the Lands or Building, (iii) the existing or future TSPs, or (iv) any other telecommunication or other communication service provider or broadcast operator, either within the Lands or Building, or in the vicinity of the Lands or Building; as shall, in the reasonable opinion of a party in the circumstances, affect to a material adverse degree, the level of quality and effectiveness of such party’s activities.

**“Lands”**: the lands occupied by the Building.

**“LEC”**: a local exchange carrier regulated by the CRTC.

**“Licensee’s Equipment”**: the Communications Equipment and the Connecting Equipment.



**“License Fee”**: the annual sums stated as the License Fee on the Information Page.

**“Main Distribution Frame”**: the main distribution frame or other physical location for the Cross Connection of a TSP’s Entrance Cable to the In-Building Wire located in the Building.

**“Multi-Dwelling Unit Building”**: as defined by the CRTC in Decision 2003-45 constituting a building with at least two units and at least one unit occupied by a tenant

**“Owner(s)”**: the owner or owners from time to time of the freehold or leasehold title of the Lands, the Building or either of them.

**“Plans and Specifications”**: the working drawings, plans, specifications, and other applicable construction or installation plans referred to in Section 7(a).

**“Prime”**: the per annum rate quoted from time to time as its “Prime Rate” for commercial loans in the City in Canada where the Licensor’s head office is situated, by the bank indicated on the Information Page, as the “Prime Rate Reference Bank”.

**“Recoverable Costs”**: the costs and expenses particularized on Exhibit “1” for building services requested of the Licensor by the Licensee or causal to the Licensee’s construction and installation, maintenance, operation and repair activities relating to the provision of the Services in the Building. However, Recoverable Costs shall not include costs that would be incurred by the Licensor in any event, costs that have already been incurred by the date of execution of this Agreement, the costs associated with the negotiation, management, administration, monitoring and enforcement of this Agreement or of other agreements with TSPs, or fees in relation to a Riser Manager (except to the extent identified in Exhibit “1” and provided by the Riser Manager).

**“Released Licensee Persons”**: the Licensee and the officers, directors, employees, agents and contractors of the Licensee.

**“Released Licensor Persons”**: the Licensor and Owner(s) and property manager of the Building and any lender that holds security on the Building and any other person having an interest in the Building or the Lands, and their respective officers, directors, employees, agents, representatives and contractors or other for whom each is responsible for at law, of all and any of them.

**“Relocation Notice”**: has the meaning set out in Section 2(d);

**“Renewal Term”**: the renewal term(s) noted on the Information Page.

**“Riser Manager”**: a person or entity retained by the Licensor to provide management and supervision services for all or part of the raceways, risers, ducts, conduits, sleeves, communications pathways (including the Communications Spaces), roof areas and other telecommunications related facilities in or serving the Building.

**“Services”**: the wire-line or wireless telecommunications, broadcast, internet entertainment or other services to be provided by the Licensee to tenants or occupants in the Building but not including any wireless, antennae or other non-wire transmissions.

“**Term**”: the period of time stated as the Term on the Information Page.

“**TSP**”: a telecommunications service provider.

## 2. GRANT

- (a) Subject to compliance with the provisions of this Agreement, the Licensor grants to the Licensee for the Term and any Renewal Terms, a non-exclusive license:

- (i) to install, operate, maintain, repair, improve, upgrade, replace, and remove, at the Licensee’s sole expense and risk, the Entrance Cable, Communications Equipment, Connecting Equipment, and Cable;
- (ii) to use the Entrance Link, Main Distribution Frame, and Communications Spaces;
- (iii) to connect the Entrance Cable to the Communications Equipment and to the Main Distribution Frame; and
- (iv) connect the Licensee’s Equipment to the In-Building Wire and Inside Wire.

all in accordance with the terms and conditions set out in this License Agreement.

- (b) The Licensee shall be provided access to the Lands and Buildings in order to exercise its non-exclusive license, twenty four hours per day, three hundred and sixty five days per year subject to:

- (i) the Licensor’s reasonable security requirements;
- (ii) the notice requirement as provided in Section 9(b); and
- (iii) an event of Force Majeure as provided in Section 32.

- (c) The Licensee shall use the Equipment Room and Deemed Area for the sole purpose of providing Services to tenants and occupants in the Building. The Licensee is expressly forbidden to serve other properties from the Building.

- (d) The Licensor may at any time, require the Licensee, to relocate within the Building any or all of the Licensee’s Equipment, and the Deemed Area. Upon receipt of not less than one hundred and twenty (120) days advance written notice from the Licensor, (a “**Relocation Notice**”) the Licensee shall relocate the Licensee’s Equipment and the Deemed Area. If the Relocation Notice requires the relocation to occur within the first two (2) years after the Commencement Date, the Licensor will be solely responsible for the direct, reasonable, out of pocket expenses of the relocation (the “**Relocation Costs**”), and if the Relocation Notice does not require the relocation to occur until after that two (2) year period, the Relocation Costs will be shared equally by the Licensor and the Licensee unless the relocation is primarily to accommodate another supplier of Services. In that case, the Licensee will not be required to pay any part of the Relocation Costs.

The Licensor shall permit the Licensee to effect any relocation using a procedure that will ensure that the relocated equipment is operational for service prior to discontinuing service from the previous service location. If a Relocation Notice is delivered, the Licensee, will, within fifteen (15) days after its receipt deliver written notice to the Licensor setting out particulars of its estimate of the Relocation Costs and, the Licensor will be entitled to rely upon that estimate in proceeding with the relocation. The Licensor may at any time within fifteen (15) days after receipt of the Licensee's estimate of the Relocation Costs rescind its Relocation Notice by giving written notice to the Licensee to that effect.

- (e) The Licensor makes no warranty or representation that the Equipment Room, Deemed Area, the Communications Spaces or any part of the Building is or are suitable for the Licensee's use or purpose.
- (f) The Licensor may grant, renew or extend similar licenses to other suppliers of telecommunications services. The License granted by this Agreement is revocable only in accordance with the express terms of this Agreement.
- (g) The Licensee agrees to assist the Licensor in improving the space and operating efficiencies within the Building by undertaking the following, at the Licensee's cost, at the request of the Licensor and within timeframes approved by the Licensor, acting reasonably:
  - (i) identifying Existing Equipment;
  - (ii) upon reasonable request from the Licensor, to achieve improved space and operating efficiencies in connection with specific cases, examining, identifying and labelling specific items of Existing Equipment;
  - (iii) relocating, reconfiguring and improving space and operating efficiencies related to Existing Equipment in accordance with the reasonable requests of the Licensor, but subject to Section 2(d); and
  - (iv) upon request from the Licensor and with reasonable time to respond in the circumstances, providing to the Licensor its existing available information on its Existing Equipment, e.g. concerning types of wiring, wiring casings, materials used in the Existing Equipment, sizes, capacities and other information, where that other information may be required having regard to building code, building safety, fire code, fire safety or similar governmental requirements where required by the Licensor's insurers.
- (h) The relationship between the Licensor and the Licensee is solely that of independent contractors, and nothing in this Agreement shall be construed to constitute the parties as employer/employee, partners, joint venturers, co-owners or otherwise as participants in a joint or common undertaking.

### **3. FEES**

- (a) The Licensee agrees to pay the License Fee to the Licensor annually in advance without any set-off, deduction or abatement whatsoever.
- (b) The Licensee shall also pay to the Licensor any Recoverable Costs incurred by it within thirty (30) days after receipt of each itemized invoice, without deduction, abatement or set off.
- (c) Interest will accrue at that rate of interest that is three percent (3%) greater than Prime, calculated daily on any arrears of Fees payable by the Licensee, and will be payable upon demand.
- (d) The Licensee shall pay any sales, use, consumption, goods and services tax, value added or business transfer taxes or any other similar taxes of whatever name imposed by any governmental authority with jurisdiction on any amounts payable under this License.

### **4. TERM - OPTION TO RENEW**

- (a) The Term of this Agreement starts on the Commencement Date and expires on the date stipulated on the Information Page.
- (b) Provided that: (i) there has not been an Event of Default; (ii) the Licensee has fulfilled all of its obligations under this Agreement as and when due; (iii) the Licensee is BELL CANADA and is providing Services as a LEC in the Building; and (iv) the CRTC requires Owners of buildings such as the Building to allow access to TSPs, this Agreement will automatically be renewed for the Renewal Term(s) unless either the Licensor or the Licensee gives the other party at least one hundred and twenty (120) days written notice prior to the end of the Term or a Renewal Term of that party's intention not to renew. Each Renewal Term will be governed by the same terms and conditions set out herein except for: (i) any further right to renew, (ii) Section 2(g), and (iii) the License Fee, which will increase at the start of each Renewal Term by a percentage equal to the percentage of the increase in the Consumer Price Index from the Commencement Date or the start of the previous Renewal Term (if any) as the case may be, to the month in which the renewal option is exercised by the Licensee.

### **5. USE**

The Licensee shall use the Building, Communications Spaces, Deemed Area, Licensee's Equipment, the Main Distribution Frame, and the Equipment Room in the Building solely for the purpose of providing Services to the tenants or occupants situated in the Building. The Licensee acknowledges the Buildings and Lands are at all times under the exclusive management and control of the Licensor from time to time. The Licensor may alter, modify, expand, diminish, operate, renovate and supervise the Lands and the Building, or any part thereof, as it deems advisable, from time to time. At all times during the term of this Agreement, the Licensee must be properly certified or licensed by the appropriate governing bodies to provide its Services. This Agreement does not provide for the installation or operation of any forms and types of rooftop communications equipment, nor does it authorize the Licensee to alter, modify, remove any In-

Building Wire or any Inside Wire, unless the Licensor has expressly agreed in writing, which agreement may not be unreasonably withheld.

## **6. ELECTRIC UTILITIES & TAXES**

- (a) **Licensee shall pay the sum of six hundred dollars (\$600.00) per year for the consumption of electricity within the Equipment Room.** Alternatively, either party may install a meter at the cost of the Licensee and in that case the Licensee will pay for electricity consumption based on the meter reading plus an administration fee of fifteen percent (15%). The Licensor shall notify the Licensee in advance of any planned utility outages that may interfere with the Licensee's Equipment use but shall not be responsible for any losses, costs or expenses suffered as a result of any such outages providing reasonable notice of such planned utility outages was provided. The Licensor has no obligation to provide emergency or "backup" power to the Licensee. Any provision of emergency or "backup" power shall be the sole responsibility of the Licensee.
- (b) Licensee shall pay any business taxes on its operations in the Building to the appropriate authority.
- (c) Licensee shall pay the Licensor the amount, if any, by which property taxes increase referable to this Agreement or the Licensee's use of the Building or Lands, within 30 days of a written demand.
- (d) All amounts payable by the Licensee shall be paid without deduction, abatement or set off.

## **7. CONSTRUCTION**

- (a) Subject to what is stated below, prior to performance of any work, or the making of any installation, and prior to changes, alterations or upgrades to any existing work or installation in the Building, the Licensee shall, at its sole cost and expense, prepare and deliver to the Licensor for the Licensor's prior approval, working drawings, x-rays, plans and specifications for the work or installation detailing the type, size and location of the Licensee's Equipment that is proposed to be installed, altered or removed, the Communication Spaces to be used by the Licensee and the Deemed Area, all specifically describing the proposed construction and work. All working drawings, plans and specifications must be prepared in accordance with applicable engineering standards, and will be considered as part of the Plans and Specifications when they have been approved by the Licensor, in writing. The Licensee shall pay the cost of the Licensor's approval of the Plans and Specifications plus fifteen (15%) percent as an administration fee subject to Exhibit "I" Recoverable Costs. No work shall commence until the Licensor has approved, in writing, the working drawings, plans and specifications, and any other applicable construction or installation plans. The Licensor's approval of Plans and Specifications is not deemed a representation that the Licensee's Equipment will not cause Interference with other systems in the Building or that the Plans and Specifications comply with Applicable Laws, as that responsibility shall remain with the Licensee. If the Licensee's work may, as determined by the Licensor, acting reasonably, may affect

the structure or building systems, the Licensor may require the Licensee provide it with certificates of professional engineers acceptable to the Licensor, (i) prior to approval of the work as to the adequacy of the Plans and Specifications to avoid any harm; and (ii) upon completion, that the works were done in accordance with the Plans and Specifications. In doing any installations or replacements, the Licensee shall limit the space used by in the Building in order to facilitate accommodation of other TSPs or other services the Licensor may elect.

- (b) The Licensee warrants that, except for the Existing Equipment which shall be compliance with all Applicable Laws in the Province where the Building is located and in Canada, the installation of the Licensee's Equipment, Entrance Cable and Cable shall be in strict compliance with the approved Plans and Specifications.
- (c) The Licensee agrees that installation and construction shall be performed:
  - (i) in a neat, responsible, and good and workerlike manner;
  - (ii) strictly consistent with such reasonable requirements as shall be imposed by the Licensor and communicated in advance to the Licensee in writing;
  - (iii) in accordance with all Applicable Laws; and
  - (iv) using only contractors approved in writing by the Licensor (it being acknowledged that, without limitation, a lack of or incompatible union affiliation of a contractor is a reasonable basis for failing to approve a contractor).
- (d) The Licensee shall label each Cable installed by the Licensee on or after the date of this Agreement in the Communications Spaces, in each telephone closet through which the Cables pass, and, in addition, at any intervals and at additional locations that the Licensor might reasonably require. The labelling will be in a format approved by the Licensor acting reasonably.
- (e) The Licensee shall obtain, at its sole cost and expense, prior to construction and work, any necessary permits, licenses and approvals, copies of which will be delivered to the Licensor prior to commencement of construction and work. The Licensee's Equipment shall comply with all applicable standards including safety, as may be periodically revised by any governing body with jurisdiction over the Licensee's operations.
- (f) The Licensee shall not, during construction or otherwise, block access to or in any way obstruct, interfere with or hinder the use of the Building's loading docks, halls, stairs, elevators, the sidewalks around the Building or any entrance ways, or the use and enjoyment of the tenants, licensees and occupants of their premises and common areas and facilities.
- (g) The Licensee may amend or supplement the Plans and Specifications approved by the Licensor, from time to time, with the written consent of the Licensor, for the purpose of

serving tenants and occupants of the Building. All terms and conditions of this Section 7 shall apply.

- (h) Prior to the installation of any additional Licensee's Equipment under this Agreement, the Licensee will also provide to the Licensor whatever information the Licensor reasonably requires concerning types of wiring casings, materials used in the Licensee's Equipment, sizes, capacities and other information which may be required having regard to building code, building safety, fire code, fire safety or similar governmental requirements or the requirements of the Licensor's insurers. From time to time at reasonable intervals, the Licensor may require the Licensee to update the information referred to above in connection with the Licensee's Equipment and the Licensee will complete the update by confirmation in writing no later than ten (10) Business Days after written request.
- (i) The Licensee acknowledges that, for such times as the Building may be under construction, such construction site is under the care and control of the Licensor's construction manager (the "CM"). In such event, the Licensee agrees that, notwithstanding anything herein to the contrary, any and all access by, and all activities of, the Licensee and any of its personnel or subcontractors to the construction site and the Building thereon shall in all respects be subject to the direction of and coordination with the CM, including without limitation, performing any work at the construction site in a manner (both contractually and operationally) that does not impose any increased risk (legal or otherwise) to the Licensor. The Licensee shall not be permitted to use any of the equipment or apparatus of the CM or its subcontractors without the express written permission of and on the terms agreed upon with the CM. In the circumstances where the Licensee is required to file a notice of project for its work where such work is separated by time and/or space from the work being performed by the CM, that area of the Building for which the notice of project is filed will, from the time of filing such notice of project, be under the exclusive control of the Licensee, who be the "constructor" for that area of the Building. The Licensee shall be responsible for any reasonable direct costs suffered or incurred by the Licensor from the CM associated with the work performed by or on behalf of the Licensee and reasonable out-of-pocket costs charged by the CM for additional services and utilities required by the Licensee in connection with work to be performed hereunder.

## 8. COVENANTS

- (a) The Licensee covenants as follows:
  - (i) The Licensee shall, at its sole cost and expense, maintain and repair the Deemed Area and the Licensee's Equipment in proper operating condition and maintain them in safe and proper operating condition during the Term and Renewal Terms; at least in accordance with building industry standards; in compliance with Applicable Laws and the Licensor's building rules and regulations (the "**Building Rules**") of the type customarily imposed for similar buildings as periodically adopted by the Licensor acting reasonably, and communicated in writing in advance to the Licensee and will cause its



agents, employees, contractors, invitees and visitors to do so provided that in the event of a conflict between the Building Rules and the terms of this Licence, the terms of this Licence shall prevail.

- (ii) The Licensee shall, at its sole cost and expense, repair any damage to the Building, Lands, Communications Spaces and any other property owned, controlled or managed by the Licensor or by any lessee or licensee of the Licensor or by any other tenant or occupant of the Building to the extent such damage is caused by the Licensee or any of its agents, representatives, employees, contractors, subcontractors, invitees or other for whom it is in law responsible. If the Licensee fails to repair or refinish the damage, the Licensor may repair or refinish such damage and the Licensee shall reimburse the Licensor all costs and expenses incurred in such repair or refinishing, plus an administration fee equal to fifteen percent (15%) of those costs.
- (iii) The Licensee shall not interfere with the use and enjoyment of the Building by the Licensor or by lessees, or licensees of the Licensor or tenants or occupants of the Building or cause any Interference. If such interference or Interference occurs, the Licensor may give the Licensee written notice thereof and the Licensee shall immediately cease the use of any equipment causing or contributing to such Interference; shall take steps to correct same as soon as possible but not more than forty-eight (48) hours after receipt of notice and shall remedy same as soon as possible and in any event within thirty (30) days. In the case of emergency, or if the Licensee fails to correct the conditions after such notification, the Licensor may, but is not obligated to, take any action the Licensor deems appropriate to correct the conditions, all at the cost of the Licensee, plus an administration fee equal to fifteen percent (15%) of those costs. If any Interference caused by the Licensee is not corrected by the Licensee within thirty (30) days after notice, the Licensor may terminate this License.
- (iv) The Licensee will take steps to correct any Interference caused by the Licensee's Equipment to (i) other providers of communications services in the Building, (ii) the Building's operating, elevator, safety, security, or other systems, or (iii) any tenant's or occupant's rights of enjoyment, including their respective use or operation of communications or computer devices or with the systems, facilities, and devices situated in neighbouring properties as soon as possible but not more than forty-eight (48) hours after receiving written notice of such Interference. If any Interference caused by the Licensee is not corrected by the Licensee within thirty (30) days after notice, the Licensor may terminate this License.
- (v) The Licensee will conduct all its activity in a first class manner; be responsible for all aspects of installing, maintaining, repairing, replacing, modifying and operating the Equipment; ensure its activities do not interfere with the normal operation and use of the Building and Lands; ensure its



employees, agents and contractors abide by the terms of this Agreement, conduct themselves in a first class manner and maintain a professional appearance and demeanour; comply with all Building rules and regulations, as periodically adopted by the Licensor acting reasonably, and will cause its agents, employees, contractors, invitees and visitors to do so.

- (vi) The Licensee will comply with all applicable rules and regulations having force of law periodically issued by any and all governing bodies in the Province where the Building is located and in Canada pertaining to the installation, maintenance, operation and repair of the Deemed Area, the Equipment Room, the Licensee's Equipment and In-Building Wire, including the Licensee's provision of Services.
- (vii) The Licensee will not encumber, charge, grant a security interest in respect of, or otherwise grant rights in favour of third parties in respect of any part of the Building or Lands including without limitation the Equipment Room, Communications Spaces or the In-Building Wire. Despite the foregoing, the Licensor acknowledges and agrees that the Licensee is permitted to allow other local exchange carriers to connect to and use copper In-Building Wire under its responsibility and control and conversely, to connect to and use copper In-Building Wire under the control and responsibility of other local exchange carriers, at no cost.
- (viii) Except as required by the CRTC, the Licensee will not permit any other TSP to co-locate equipment in its Deemed Area nor will it permit any third party supplier to Cross Connect to any of the Licensee's Equipment or to use any part of the Licensee's Equipment for the purpose of providing Services, telecommunication or similar services to customers in the Building. However, the Licensor may allow other TSPs to utilize any parts of the Lands or Building other than the Licensee's Equipment.
- (ix) The Licensee will not use any part of the Licensee's Equipment as a network hub facility, switch hotel, switch node, or similar facility that functions as an integral part of a network where disruption of the operation or use of the Licensee's Equipment or any part of it would have the effect of disrupting service to persons outside of the Building. If the Licensor employs a third party to install In-Building Wire on behalf of the Licensee, the Licensee will be responsible for the actual costs plus fifteen (15%) related to such In-Building Wiring requested by the Licensee.
- (x) The Licensee will strictly comply with all occupational health and safety legislation, Workers' Compensation legislation, and other governmental requirements relating to performance of work and adherence to safety standards, as applicable.
- (xi) If the Licensor elects to retain a Riser Manager, the Licensee will, to the extent directed by the Licensor (i) recognize the Riser Manager as the duly

authorized representative of the Licensor, and (ii) abide by all reasonable policies, directions and decisions of the Riser Manager pertaining to matters such as the use of Communication Spaces and other areas within the Building, and the installation and operation of equipment having regard to safety, operational and building integrity concerns. If the Licensor utilizes a Riser Manager, the Licensee will be responsible for its share (based on the number of TSPs in the Building) of the actual costs plus fifteen (15%).

(b) The Licensor covenants:

- (i) To operate, repair and maintain the Building and Building systems and the Lands in a safe and proper operating condition and not less than in accordance with Applicable Laws, and accepted building industry standards;
- (ii) That any consent or approval of the Licensor pursuant to the terms of this License shall not be unreasonably withheld, conditioned or delayed, except as is expressly provided for;
- (iii) Subject to the Licensee reimbursing the Licensor for the Licensor's reasonable costs in doing so, and subject to payment to the Licensor of an administration fee of fifteen percent (15%) of those costs, to cooperate with the Licensee to the extent reasonable in obtaining all necessary consents, permits and authorizations as may be required for the Licensee's construction, installation and operations provided for in this Agreement, in or in respect of the Building; and
- (iv) If the operation of the Licensee's Equipment or the provision of the Services suffers Interference by the operation of other equipment or by the activities of third parties in or in respect of the Building, the Licensor shall, to the extent that it is commercially reasonable, upon being provided by the Licensee with written notice and reasonable particulars concerning the nature of the Interference, extend reasonable efforts to assist the Licensee in obtaining removal or amelioration of the Interference within a time frame that is appropriate having regard to the nature and extent of the Interference.

## **9. ACCESS**

- (a) Subject to Section 9(b) below, the Licensee's authorized representatives may have access to the Equipment Room at all times during normal business hours, and at other times as agreed by the parties in advance, subject to the Licensor's reasonable security requirements which may include supervision, for the purposes of installing, maintaining, operating, improving and repairing the Licensee's Equipment. The Licensor will give the Licensee's authorized employees or properly authorized contractors, subcontractors, and agents of the Licensee ingress and egress to the Lands, Building and Communications Spaces including non-exclusive use of an elevator during normal business hours, and at other times as agreed by the parties in advance. However, only authorized engineers,

employees or properly authorized contractors, subcontractors, and agents of the Licensee, other authorized regulatory inspectors, or persons under their direct supervision and control will be permitted to enter the Building, Communications Spaces, Equipment Room, or other areas in the Building and only upon the conditions set forth in this Agreement. The Licensee shall be fully responsible for the acts or omissions of its employees, contractors, subcontractors, representatives, invitees, others for whom it is in law responsible or other authorized persons invited on its behalf to enter the Communication Spaces, Equipment Room, or other areas in the Building.

- (b) Except in the event of an emergency and as described below, the Licensee will give at least twenty-four (24) hours' notice to the Licenser of its intent to enter the Building. At the time that notice is given, the Licensee shall inform the Licenser of the names of the persons who will be accessing the Building, the reasons for entry, the areas to be accessed, and the expected duration of the work to be performed. For routine service activations and repair visits to the Building during normal business hours for which purposes the Licensee requires access without advance notice in order to meet, as a LEC, its CRTC-mandated service provisioning and service repair intervals this notice may be given at the time of the entry, to the Licenser, or other person designated in writing for that purpose by the Licenser. Any person who accesses any part of the Building or premises leased, licensed or occupied by the Licenser or its tenants and licensees, outside of normal business hours, may be required by the Licenser to be accompanied by a representative of the Licenser designated for that purpose and the cost of providing this form of accompaniment or supervision will be paid by the Licensee to the Licenser based on the established Building's hourly rate for such escorts plus an administration fee of fifteen percent (15%). In the event of any emergency, the Licensee shall give to the Licenser as much advance notice as reasonably possible of its intent to enter the Building and, within five (5) Business Days following the entry, shall provide to the Licenser a written report detailing the nature of such emergency, the corrective actions taken, and any other relevant information.
- (c) Nothing in this Agreement shall prohibit or otherwise restrict the Licenser and its representatives from having access to and to enter upon and into the Equipment Room, Communications Spaces, or any Deemed Area for the purpose of inspections, conducting maintenance, repairs and alterations which the Licenser wishes to make in connection with the Building, or to perform any acts related to the safety, protection, preservation, or improvement of the Equipment Room, Communications Spaces, Deemed Area, Lands, or the Building or for such other purposes as the Licenser considers necessary. The Licenser will, however, except in case of an emergency where no notice is required, give the Licensee at least twenty-four (24) hours advance notice before entry into the Deemed Area and where possible, will be accompanied by a representative of the Licensee if the Licensee makes a representative available for that purpose.

## **10. INSURANCE**

- (a) The Licensee shall maintain in force, at its expense, during the Term of this Agreement and any Renewal Term, a policy of Commercial General Liability Insurance issued by an insurer acceptable to the Licenser, acting reasonably, insuring the Licensee and, as

additional insureds, the Released Licensor Persons that the Licensor may reasonably designate by written notice, only in respect of matters related to the operations of the Licensee in the Building, with an insured limit of at least Ten Million Dollars (\$10,000,000.00) per occurrence for bodily injury or death or physical damage to tangible property including loss of use, physical damage to the Building or the Lands and tangible property of the Released Licensor Persons in the Building or on the Lands or bodily injury or death of the Released Licensor Person's employees, or bodily injury or death or damage to tangible property suffered by any of the customers of the Licensee and their employees in the Building or the Lands. The Licensee's liability insurance may be composed of any combination of a primary policy and an excess liability or "umbrella" insurance policies, will contain owners' and contractors' protective coverage, blanket contractual liability coverage, tenants legal liability insurance covering legal liability for damage to the Building including building fixtures permanently attached thereto, standard non-owned automobile coverage, contingent employer's liability insurance, a cross liability and severability of interests clause, and be written on an occurrence basis.

- (b) The Licensee will also maintain (i) an automobile liability insurance policy, and (ii) all risks property insurance on the Licensee's Equipment and the tangible property of others (including the Licensor and its tenants and licensees) in its care, custody or control with a sufficient insured limit to cover its replacement cost, with the Released Licensor Persons as loss payees as their interests may appear, and with a waiver of subrogation against the Licensor from the property insurers. Alternatively, the Licensee, for so long as it is BELL CANADA and no Event of Default has occurred and subsisting under this Agreement, it may self insure for its all risks property coverage the full replacement cost of the Licensee's Equipment but for the purposes of all other provisions under this Agreement will be deemed to have taken out such coverage and received full proceeds thereunder. For clarity, in no event is the Licensee allowed to self-insure anything other than loss of the Licensee's Equipment.
- (c) The Licensee agrees that its insurance required hereunder shall be primary insurance insofar as the Released Licensor Persons and the Licensee are concerned, with any other insurance maintained by the Released Licensor Persons being excess of the insurance of the Licensee solely to the extent of the Released Licensor Persons rights as additional insureds and/or loss payees, as applicable.
- (d) The Licensee shall provide proof of such insurance to the Licensor prior to commencement of any construction (and in any event prior to the Commencement Date) and notify the Licensor, in writing, that a policy is cancelled during policy terms, at least thirty (30) days prior to such cancellation. Annually, on the anniversary of the Commencement Date, or upon renewal of the respective policies as the case may be, the Licensee shall provide proof of such insurance in the form of insurance certificates signed by the Licensee's insurance brokers or its insurers' authorized representatives and in form, content, and detail consistent with the standard developed by ACORD (Association of Cooperative Operations, Research and Development) to the Licensor, acting reasonably.

- (e) The Licensee will obtain, if applicable, boiler and machinery insurance on a repair and replacement basis for damage to all equipment owned or leased by the Licensee, and legal liability for resultant damage to property owned or leased by others but in the care, custody or control of the Licensee and located within the Equipment Room.
- (f) The Licensor will maintain all risk property insurance on the Building and the Licensee shall pay the Licensor upon demand, the Licensee's share of the cost of such insurance, based on the Deemed Area in relation to the total Rentable Area of the Building. Notwithstanding the Licensee's contribution to the cost of such insurance, the Licensee shall have no insurable interest or rights to any portion of any proceeds of the Licensor's insurance.

## **11. RELEASE AND INDEMNITY BY LICENSEE**

- (a) Subject to the final paragraph of this Section 11(a), in no event will the Licensor be liable to the Licensee and the Licensee releases the Released Licensor Persons for any act or omission including negligent acts or omissions relating to:
  - (i) any damage to the Licensee's Equipment, Equipment Room, and Deemed Area or loss of access to, or use of such property;
  - (ii) the quality, adequacy, compatibility or sufficiency of any Communication Spaces, the Main Distribution Frame, any In-Building Wire, any Inside Wire or Equipment Room provided to the Licensee hereunder, it being acknowledged by the Licensee that same are provided "as is" and "where is", the use of which is at the sole risk of the Licensee;
  - (iii) the activities of any third party, under the terms of another telecommunications access license or similar agreement, whether or not the party has been escorted while within the Building;
  - (iv) any claims resulting from lightning or other electrical current passing through the Building or facilities that cause any damage to the Licensee's Equipment or result in the interruption of any service by the Licensee; or
  - (v) the inadequacy of any utility service, or the loss of or the failure to provide any utility service. The Licensee acknowledges that interruptions in the supply of any services, systems (including but not limited to heating, ventilation or air-conditioning) or utilities are not uncommon in office buildings and the Licensee further acknowledges that any sensitive Equipment in and on the Building will be protected by the Licensee from any failure in supply or interruptions through the use of a UPS system, surge protectors and other appropriate safety systems and that the Licensor does not have any obligations in that regard.

Notwithstanding the foregoing, to the extent that any damage, loss, cost or expense (whether below deductibles or not) which arises from items 11(a)(i) - (v), above, directly results from the **acts or omissions** of any Released Licensor Person, then the release of liability of such Released Licensor Person shall be only to the extent to which the Licensee maintains property insurance coverage or

is required to maintain property insurance in accordance with the terms of this Agreement, whether the property insurance is provided by a third party insurer or the Licensee self insures, it being acknowledged that the Licensor, in requiring the Licensee to maintain property insurance or to self-insure, as provided above, does so with the intent that losses, regardless of how caused, are intended to be covered by the Licensee's property insurance or self-insurance without any subrogation, claim or other claim associated with the loss or damage being brought against the Released Licensor Persons. Neither the Released Licensor Persons nor the Released Licensee Persons will be liable to the other (regardless of any other provision of this Agreement) in respect of any special, indirect, incidental or consequential damages including loss of revenue, loss of profits, loss of business opportunity or loss of use of any facilities or property, even if advised of the possibility of such damages.

(b) Subject to Sections 12 and 14, except for any claims, losses, costs, damages and expenses arising from the Licensor's negligence and misconduct or breach of this Agreement, the Licensee shall indemnify, and hold each of the Released Licensor Persons harmless from and against any claims, losses, costs, damages and expenses of whatever kind, including, without limitation, personal injury or death, arising from: (i) the negligence or wilful misconduct of the Licensee or anyone for whom it is responsible at law in connection with construction, installation, operation, damage to or loss of, maintenance, repair, or removal of the Licensee's Equipment, (ii) any breach of this Agreement by the Licensee, and this indemnity includes but is not limited to any claims or demands made by third parties or any customers of the Licensee or users of the Licensee's Equipment and reasonable legal fees (collectively "**Claims**"). In connection with any Claims, the Licensor or its agent shall (a) provide the Licensee with sole control of the defence, settlement and/or negotiation of the Claim, provided that the Licensee or its agent may not put forth any defence and/or agree to any settlement that alleges or involves the admission or imposition of any liability on any of the Released Licensor Persons without first obtaining the express written consent from such Released Licensor Persons, which consent shall not be unreasonably withheld; and (b) provide Licensee with reasonable cooperation in connection with the defence, settlement and/or negotiation of any Claims.

(c) The provisions of this Section 11 shall survive termination of this Agreement.

## **12. RELEASE BY LICENSOR**

The Licensor releases the Licensee in respect of any damage, loss, cost or expense (whether below deductibles or not) which arises from damage to Licensor's property in respect of which the Licensor maintains property insurance coverage or is required to maintain property insurance in accordance with the terms of this Agreement, whether the property insurance is provided by a third party insurer or the Licensor self-insures, it being acknowledged that the Licensee, in requiring the Licensor to maintain property insurance or to self-insure, as provided above, does so with the intent that losses, regardless of how caused, are intended to be covered by that property insurance or self-insurance without any subrogation, claim or other claim associated with the loss or damage being brought against the Licensee.



### **13. LIENS**

The Licensee shall be responsible for the satisfaction or payment of any liens for any provider of work, labour, material or services claiming by, through or under the Licensee. The Licensee shall also indemnify, hold harmless and defend the Licensors and Owner(s) against any such liens, including the reasonable fees of the Licensors' solicitors. The provisions of this Section shall survive termination of this Agreement. All such liens shall be removed within five (5) Business Days of notice to the Licensee to do so. The Licensors may, at the cost of the Licensee, pay money into court to obtain removal of a lien if the Licensee fails to do so, as required, and the Licensee will pay the cost to the Licensors including the amount paid into Court plus an administration fee equal to fifteen percent (15%) of the amount.

### **14. EXPANDED MEANINGS - AGENCY AND TRUST**

- (a) Wherever a release or limitation of liability is provided for under this Agreement in favour of the Licensors, it will be deemed to extend to and include the Released Licensors Persons. The Licensors act as agent or trustee for the benefit of the Released Licensors Persons, and each of them, to allow them to enforce the benefit of this provision as well as the benefit of each release clause in this Agreement that is intended to benefit them.
- (b) Wherever a release or limitation of liability is provided for under this Agreement in favour of the Licensee, it will be deemed to extend to and include the Released Licensee Persons. The Licensee acts as agent or trustee for the benefit of the Released Licensee Persons, and each of them, to allow them to enforce the benefit of this provision as well as the benefit of each release clause in this Agreement that is intended to benefit them.

### **15. ASSUMPTION OF RESPONSIBILITY AND CONTROL**

The Licensors reserve their right, consistent with the applicable decisions and rulings of the CRTC, to request the Licensee to transfer responsibility and control of its In-Building Wire. Such transfer shall be at the sole discretion of the Licensee and on terms and conditions acceptable to the Licensee. If the Licensors assume responsibility and control of in-building wire installed by the Licensee, it will be entitled to recover the reasonable costs of its maintenance and management to the extent permitted by the CRTC.

### **16. ASSIGNMENT, SUBLICENSING, ENCUMBERING, SHARING OF SPACE AND EQUIPMENT BY THE LICENSEE**

- (a) The Licensee shall not assign this Agreement in whole or in part without obtaining the prior written consent of the Licensors which consent may not be unreasonably withheld. Despite what is stated above, for so long as the Licensee is BELL CANADA and no Event of Default has occurred and is subsisting under this Agreement, the Licensee may assign its rights under this Agreement, on a bona fide basis, to an Affiliate without the prior written consent of the Licensors, but on five (5) days prior written notice to the Licensors, to a purchaser of substantially all of the assets of the Licensee in Canada if: (i) the assignee executes an agreement with the Licensors to be bound jointly and severally with the Licensee by the terms of this Agreement and agrees to pay the reasonable costs of the Licensors incurred in connection with the preparation, negotiation and finalization of that

agreement; (ii) the assignee agrees in the agreement referred to above, that should it cease to be an Affiliate of *BELL CANADA*, an assignment in respect of which the Licensor's consent is required as provided above will be considered to occur as of the date it ceased to be an Affiliate; and (iii) the assignee provides to the Licensor those reasonable particulars and documentation which the Licensor requires in order to satisfy itself concerning the requirements stipulated above, and provides to the Licensor not less than fifteen (15) days advance written notice to enable it to prepare, negotiate and obtain the execution of the agreement mentioned above and to satisfy itself that the requirements stipulated above are satisfied.

- (b) No assignment whether to an Affiliate or otherwise, shall release the Licensee from any liability or obligation under this Agreement, unless the Licensor provides a release in writing.
- (c) Except as required by the CRTC rules and regulations having force of law applicable to LECs or as provided for in this Agreement, the Licensee will not sublicense, co-locate, share the use of, or otherwise provide the benefit of this Agreement to any third party telecommunication provider or other communication service provider and will not mortgage or encumber its rights under this Agreement in favour of any Lender without the Licensor's consent.
- (d) Despite what is stated above, the Licensee will be permitted to assign its rights under this Agreement to a bona fide lender, as collateral security for any bona fide, secured financing of all or part of its business undertaking, provided the lender agrees with the Licensor in writing, to assume all of the obligations of the Licensee if and for such time as it enforces its security or assigns this Agreement pursuant to Section 16. However, this permission does not imply or allow the inference that the Licensor waives, or is willing to forbear from the exercise of its remedies under this Agreement, should an Event of Default occur, nor that any lender will have any greater rights than the Licensee in respect of this Agreement, including but not limited to the restrictions set out in this Section 16.

## **17. HAZARDOUS MATERIALS**

The Licensee shall not install, bring upon, or use any Hazardous Substance into or on the Building or the Lands except telecommunications equipment batteries in a manner and in quantities permitted by laws of Canada and the Province where the Building is located, and as necessary for the ordinary performance of Licensee's business in the Building, and provided that any such use is in compliance with all Applicable Laws. The Licensee shall indemnify and hold the Released Licensor Persons and any party the Licensor is responsible for at law, harmless from any claim, loss, cost, damage, or expense resulting from any breach regarding the installation or use of any Hazardous Substance brought into or on the Lands or Building by the Licensee, including any and all costs incurred in remedying such breach. The provisions of this section shall survive the expiry or termination of this Agreement.



## **18. EVENTS OF DEFAULT - TERMINATION REMEDIES**

- (a) Each of the following events shall be deemed to be an Event of Default by the Licensee under this Agreement:
  - (i) the Licensee defaulting in the payment of any License Fee, amount, or portion thereof, or other sum of money due to the Licensor pursuant to the terms of this Agreement, and such default continues for more than 5 days, after written notification of such default by the Licensor to the Licensee;
  - (ii) there is Interference with the telecommunications or computer equipment of the Licensor, any tenant, or any other occupant of the Building or any other telecommunications or computer devices provided in the Building by reason of, or as a result of, the installation, operation, maintenance, repair, or removal of the Licensee's Equipment, which Interference is not cured within forty-eight (48) hours of the Licensee's receipt of written notice by the Licensor of such Interference;
  - (iii) the revocation of the Licensee's permission to provide regulated or non-regulated telecommunications services by any governing entity authorized to permit or regulate the Licensee's providing of such services;
  - (iv) the Licensee's becoming insolvent, or the filing, execution, or occurrence of a petition in bankruptcy or other insolvency proceeding by or against the Licensee; or an assignment for the benefit of creditors; or a petition or proceeding by or against the Licensee for the appointment of a trustee, receiver or liquidator of the Licensee or of any of the Licensee's property or a proceeding by any governmental authority for the dissolution or liquidation of the Licensee;
  - (v) the appointment of a receiver, receiver and manager, or other representative in connection with any default by the Licensee under any loan or debt obligation;
  - (vi) the ceasing of the Licensee to carry on business in the ordinary course; and
  - (vii) if the Licensee shall default in the observance or performance of any of the Licensee's obligations under this Agreement (other than the payment of Fees) and such default shall continue for more than ten (10) Business Days after written notification of such default by the Licensor to the Licensee.
- (b) Upon or after the occurrence of an Event of Default the Licensor may elect to terminate this Agreement without limiting and without prejudice to its other remedies, by providing written notice of termination to the Licensee, which termination shall take effect as of the date specified in the notice of termination.
- (c) If the Licensor shall default in the observance or performance of any of the Licensor's obligations under this Agreement and such default shall continue for more than ten (10)

Business Days after written notification of such default by the Licensee to the Licensor, the Licensee may terminate this Agreement without limiting its other remedies, by providing written notice of termination to the Licensor, which termination shall take effect as of the date specified in the notice of termination.

- (d) No acceptance of amounts subsequent to an Event of Default and no condoning, excluding or overlooking by the Licensor of a previous breach or Event of Default shall be a waiver of an Event of Default or adversely affect the rights and remedies of the Licensor.

## 19. RESTORATION OBLIGATIONS

- (a) At the expiration or earlier termination of this Agreement, provided there are no active subscribers, tenants or occupants in the Building receiving Services, the Licensee shall, at the Licensee's sole cost and expense, without liens, remove the Licensee's Equipment except for the Entrance Cable, and any part of it that by agreement between the Licensee and the Licensor has been acquired by the Licensor, (and excepting any In-Building Wire and Inside Wire, which shall, if the Licensor so elects, upon expiration or termination of this Agreement, become the property of the Licensor) and all of the Licensee's personal property from the Building. This obligation to remove the Licensee's Equipment shall be subject to any CRTC rules and regulations having force of law on a LEC to provide services to other TSP's. If any property that is required to be removed is not so removed within thirty (30) Business Days after the termination, the property may, at the Licensor's sole option, (i) be removed by the Licensor at the Licensee's expense (and the Licensee will also pay an administration fee equal to fifteen percent (15%) of the expense), or (ii) become the property of the Licensor without compensation to the Licensee. As of the date of such removal, neither party shall have any claim against the other, except for claims or obligations that may have arisen or accrued prior to such termination or arise by reason of the Licensee's Equipment and other equipment or property removal, which claims or obligations shall survive such termination. The Licensee further covenants, at its sole cost and expense, to repair, restore or refinish all damage caused by the operation, installation or removal of the Licensee's Equipment, in the Deemed Area, the Building and the Lands. If the Licensee fails to repair, restore or refinish any such damage, the Licensor may, in its sole discretion, repair or refinish such damage and the Licensee shall reimburse the Licensor of all costs and expenses incurred in such repair or refinishing and will pay to the Licensor an administration fee equal to fifteen percent (15%) of the cost. The Licensee will provide to the Licensor upon completion of the removal of the Licensee's Equipment an engineer's report confirming completion of the removal in accordance with this Agreement.
- (b) If due to CRTC rules and regulations, having force of law, require mandatory obligations upon the Licensee to provide services to other TSPs, the Licensee is not required by Section 19(a) to remove the Entrance Cable or other items of the Licensee's Equipment ("**Exempted Items**") then despite the expiration or termination of the Term of this License, all of the obligations of the Licensee under this Agreement will continue in full force and effect except that the obligation to pay the License Fee will be suspended so long as the Licensee does not provide Services. That situation will continue (subject to

the sentence following this one) until the Licensee's CRTC mandated obligations end and the Licensee removes the Exempted Items and restores damage as provided in Section 19(a). So long as, and to the extent a third party assumes responsibility and control of the Exempted Items, and the third party is bound by a telecommunications access agreement with the Licensor, or a successor of the Licensor, the Licensee will be exempted from the obligation to remove the Exempted Items.

- (c) The provisions of this Section 19 shall survive the expiration or termination of this Agreement.

## **20. LICENSOR'S ALTERATIONS**

Despite anything else in this Agreement, the Licensor may, at any time, make any changes in, additions to or relocations of any part of the Building; may grant, modify or terminate easements and any other agreements pertaining to the use or maintenance of all or any part of the Building; may close all or any part of the Building to such extent as the Licensor considers necessary to prevent the accrual of any rights in them to any persons; and the Licensor may also make changes or additions to the pipes, ducts, utilities and any other building services in the Building (including areas used or occupied by the Licensee) which serve any part of the Lands or the Building. No claim for compensation shall be made by the Licensee by reason of any inconvenience, nuisance or discomfort arising from work done by the Licensor but the work will be done as expeditiously as is reasonably possible.

## **21. NOTICES**

Any demand, notice or other communication to be made or given in connection with this Agreement shall be in writing and shall be deemed received by the recipient on the date of delivery, provided that delivery is made before 5:00pm on a Business Day by personal (courier) delivery, failing which receipt shall be deemed to have occurred the next Business Day. Until notified of a different address, as provided herein, all notices shall be addressed to the parties as stipulated on the Information Page. Notices given by electronic means (including facsimile and email) will not be considered to have been given in writing.

## **22. LICENSEE'S EQUIPMENT TO REMAIN PERSONAL PROPERTY**

Except as otherwise provided in this Agreement, the Licensee's Equipment, Entrance Cable and In-Building Wire shall remain personal property of the Licensee although it may be affixed or attached to the Building, and shall, during the Term of this Agreement, or any Renewal Term, and upon the expiration of this Agreement belong to and be removable by the Licensee subject to Section 19.

## **23. LICENSE ONLY**

This Agreement creates a non-exclusive license only and the Licensee acknowledges that the Licensee does not and shall not claim any interest or estate of any kind or extent whatsoever in the Building, Communications Spaces, or Equipment Room by virtue of this Agreement or the Licensee's use of the Building, Communications Spaces or Equipment Room. The relationship

between the Licensor and the Licensee shall not be deemed to be a “landlord-tenant” relationship and the Licensee shall not be entitled to avail itself of any rights afforded to tenants at law.

## **24. LIMITATION OF LIABILITY**

The obligations of the Licensor under this Agreement shall no longer be binding upon the Licensor if the Licensor or Owner(s) sells, assigns or otherwise transfers its interest in the Building as owner or lessor (or upon any subsequent licensor or owner after the sale, assignment or transfer by such subsequent licensor). If there is such a sale, assignment or transfer, the Licensor’s obligations shall be binding upon the grantee, assignee or other transferee of the interest, and any such grantee, assignee or transferee, by accepting such interest, shall be deemed to have assumed those obligations. A lease of the entire Building shall be deemed a transfer within the meaning of this Section. For greater clarity, nothing in this Section releases the Licensor from any liability(ies) that may arise prior to the date of such sale, assignment or transfer herein.

## **25. SPECIFIC TERMINATION RIGHTS**

In addition to the other termination rights provided to it in this Agreement, either party may elect to terminate this Agreement in each of the following circumstances, subject to giving at least thirty (30) days’ prior written notice to the other party:

- (a) where the Building has been destroyed, or damaged to such an extent that the Licensor's architect has determined, it is not feasible to repair it within a period of one hundred and eighty (180) days after the damage;
- (b) where the Deemed Area, the Entrance Link, the Equipment Room or the Communications Spaces become damaged and the Licensor's architect has determined it is not feasible to restore them within one hundred eighty (180) days after the damage;
- (c) where the Building is expropriated by a lawful authority;
- (d) where the Licensor has bona fide plans to redevelop, or otherwise alter the Building in such a manner as to, in the Licensor's opinion, make the relocation of any part of the Deemed Area or the Licensee’s Equipment not feasible;
- (e) the Licensee no longer provides Licensee’s Services in the Building;
- (f) the Licensee is unable to secure, on terms and conditions commercially reasonably satisfactory to it, all necessary consents, approvals, permits and authorizations of any federal, municipal or other governmental authority having jurisdiction over the provisioning of Licensee Services or any other matters required by the Licensee to provide Licensee Services;
- (g) the Building is no longer a “Multi-Dwelling Unit Building” as defined by the CRTC; or the Licensor is not legally required to provide access to and use of the Licensee with parts of the Building; or

- (h) The Licensee is unable to correct, at its cost, any Interference caused by the Licensee's Equipment or Services with the operation of other equipment or activities of others in the Building.

## **26. ESTOPPEL CERTIFICATES**

The Licensee will provide to the Licenser from time to time, within ten (10) Business Days of the Licenser's written request in each case, at no cost to the Licenser, a statement duly executed by the Licensee confirming that this Agreement is in good standing; confirming the Fees payable and the Fees actually paid to any date specified by the Licenser for the statement; confirming the Commencement Date, the Term, any Renewal Term to which it claims to be entitled, and any other information that the Licenser reasonably requests pertaining to this Agreement or Building. The Licensee confirms this License is subordinate to any existing or future mortgages or other encumbrance agreed to by the Licenser from time to time.

## **27. REGISTRATION**

The Licensee shall not register this Agreement or notice of it against title to the Lands or Building without the Licenser's consent. The Licenser may register this Agreement or provide copies to its lender from time to time.

## **28. LICENSOR'S AUTHORITY**

The Licenser represents and warrants that it is the Owner and that it has full authority to execute this Agreement. Each party represents to the other that it has full authority to execute this Agreement and that this Agreement is duly authorized, executed and delivered and enforceable against it.

## **29. SEVERAL OBLIGATIONS - NON-RECOURSE**

The liability of each of the Owner(s) where there are more than one, is several and not joint, or joint and several and is limited to the interest of the Owner(s) from time to time in the Building.

## **30. ENTIRE AGREEMENT AND FURTHER ASSURANCES**

The terms and conditions contained in this Agreement supersede all prior oral or written understandings between the parties and constitute the entire agreement between them concerning the subject matter of this Agreement. This Agreement shall not be modified or amended except in writing signed by authorized representatives of the parties. The parties agree to provide such further assurances as may be requested in furtherance of the intent of this Agreement.

## **31. LICENSEE'S REPRESENTATION**

The Licensee represents to the Licenser and acknowledges that the Licenser relies upon this representation and would not have entered into this Agreement but for that representation, that, the construction, design and operation of the Licensee's Equipment includes back-up, redundant and "fail safe" features so that the Licensee's Equipment is unlikely to cause Interference with the use of enjoyment of the Building by the Licenser, its tenants, licensees and occupants and that the risk

of the Licensee's Equipment disrupting service to, or damaging property of, or causing malfunction of, customers or other third parties utilizing that network and equipment (except for telecommunication services between (i) the customers of the Licensee or the customers of telecommunication service providers that lease local loops from the Licensee to serve customers within the Building and (ii) persons communicating with those customers) is minimized.

### **32. FORCE MAJEURE**

Without limiting or restricting the applicability of the law governing frustration of contracts, in the event either party fails to meet any of its obligations under this Agreement within the time prescribed, and such failure shall be caused, or materially contributed to, by "**force majeure**", such failure shall be deemed not to be a breach of the obligations of such party under this Agreement, and the time for the performance of such obligation shall be extended accordingly as may be appropriate under the circumstances. For the purpose of this Agreement, force majeure shall include, but is not limited to: any acts of God, war, natural calamities, strikes, lockouts or other labour stoppages or disturbances, civil commotion or disruptions, riots, epidemics, acts of government or any competent authority having jurisdiction, or any other legitimate cause or event beyond the reasonable control of such party, and which, by the exercise of due diligence, such party could not have prevented, but lack of funds on the part of such party shall not be deemed to be a force majeure.

### **33. IMPLIED WAIVERS**

A waiver by the Licensor or the Licensee of any breach of the terms, covenants and conditions of this Agreement shall not be deemed to be a waiver of the term, covenant or condition or of any subsequent breach of it or any other term, covenant or condition. No term, covenant or condition of this Agreement is deemed to have been waived unless the waiver is in writing and signed by the Licensor or the Licensee, as the case may be.

### **34. SEVERABILITY**

If any provision of this Agreement or any part of a provision is found to be illegal or unenforceable then it will be severed from the rest of this Agreement and the rest of this Agreement will be enforceable, accordingly (unless the illegal or unenforceable provisions are such that they have fundamentally frustrated the intention of either party, in which case the frustrated party may terminate this Agreement on not less than 30 days' prior written notice).

### **35. GOVERNING LAW**

This Agreement will be governed by the laws of the province in which the Building is situated and all federal laws applicable therein.

**IN WITNESS WHEREOF**, the Licensor and the Licensee have executed this Agreement in multiple original counterparts as of the day and year first above written.

**ASSOCIATION OF PROFESSIONAL ENGINEERS  
OF ONTARIO**

(Licensor)

Per: \_\_\_\_\_

Name: Johnny Zuccon

Title: CEO/Registrar

Per: \_\_\_\_\_

Name:

Title:

I/We have authority to bind the Corporation

**BELL CANADA**

(Licensee)

Per: \_\_\_\_\_

Name:

Title:

Name:

Title:

I/We have authority to bind the Corporation

**SCHEDULE "A"**  
**DEEMED AREA**



**SCHEDULE “A-1”**

**SCHEDULE “B”**  
**COMMUNICATIONS EQUIPMENT DETAILED DESCRIPTION**

**SCHEDULE “C”**  
**CONNECTING EQUIPMENT PLANS AND DESCRIPTION**

Not applicable

**SCHEDULE “D”**  
**DESIGNATED PARTS OF BUILDING COMMUNICATIONS SPACES**

Not applicable

**EXHIBIT "I"**  
**RECOVERABLE COSTS**

The Recoverable Costs are the costs of:

- (a) architectural, mechanical and electrical consulting fees to provide or review architectural, electrical and heating, ventilating and air-conditioning design for construction of additional main terminal room or point of presence space (Equipment Room space), riser rooms and other areas requiring reconstruction to accommodate the installation of the Licensee's Equipment;
- (b) mechanical engineering and construction to provide any additional cooling for anticipated loads to accommodate the Licensee's requirements;
- (c) electrical engineering and construction to provide sufficient power distribution to support the power loads anticipated for the Licensee's Equipment, including any connection to any emergency generator power grid that may be made available using a transfer switch;
- (d) the installation of any secured entry devices or other mechanical or electronic security devices that may be installed to satisfy the requirements of the Licensee;
- (e) construction for additional space or reconstruction or modification of existing space to accommodate the Licensee and modifying, enlarging or enhancing any telecommunication related facilities that must be made to accommodate the requirements of the Licensee including the reviewing of plans, specifications and working drawing and the monitoring of the performance of work and the obtaining of professional advice from engineers and technical experts;
- (f) any other reasonable costs of facilitating the initial set up of the Licensee's operations within the Building;
- (g) reviewing plans, specifications and working drawings and monitoring performance of work, as contemplated by Section 7(a). In the event the Licensor is able to rely only on its base building personnel for the review of the Plans and Specifications and monitoring as set out Section 7(a), then the Licensee shall be responsible for the Licensor's administrative charge of three fifty hundred fifty dollars (\$350.00) plus applicable taxes;
- (h) costs of all security escorts through tenant and secured areas of the Building at the established billing rate for the Building plus fifteen percent (15%) administration fee; and
- (i) business taxes, realty taxes, rates, duties and assessments and other charges that may be levied, rated, charged or assessed against the Equipment and/or Deemed Area, and every tax and license fee in respect of any and every business-as a result of the use or occupancy thereof by Licensee.