

**AMENDMENT No. 1
TO THE AGREEMENT
BY AND BETWEEN
THE TEXAS A&M UNIVERSITY SYSTEM
AND ABSOLUTE TESTING SERVICES, INC.**

This Amendment No. 1 (“Amendment”) serves to amend the Services Agreement, effective September 1, 2021, between The Texas A&M University System (“System”) and Absolute Testing Services, Inc. (“PROVIDER”) and is effective September 1, 2024 (“Amendment Effective Date”). System and PROVIDER agree to amend the agreement as follows:

2. TERM OF THE AGREEMENT

This agreement shall be extended for the period beginning September 1, 2024 and ending on August 31, 2025.

8. MISCELLANEOUS

- Z. **Firearm Entities and Trade Associations Discrimination.** To the extent applicable, PROVIDER verifies that: (1) it does not, and will not for the duration of the Agreement, have a practice, policy, guidance, or directive that discriminates against a firearm entity or firearm trade association or (2) the verification required by Section 2274.002 of the Texas Government Code does not apply to the Agreement. If circumstances relevant to this provision change during the course of the contract, PROVIDER shall promptly notify A&M System.

- AA. **Energy Company Boycotts.** To the extent applicable, PROVIDER represents and warrants that: (1) it does not, and will not for the duration of the contract, boycott energy companies or (2) the verification required by Section 2274.002 of the Texas Government Code does not apply to the contract. If circumstances relevant to this provision change during the course of the contract, Respondent shall promptly notify Agency.

Exhibit B – Rates

Exhibit B is deleted and replaced with the following:

Electrical Service Rates			
September 1, 2024 to August 31, 2025			
Description		Units	Rate
Personnel			
1	Professional Engineer	Per Hour	\$ 220.00
2	Graduate Engineer / EIT	Per Hour	\$ 155.00
3	Senior Engineering Technician or Senior Field Technician	Per Hour	\$ 165.00
4	Field Technician	Per Hour	\$ 160.00
5	Jr. Field Technician	Per Hour	\$ 145.00
6	Technician Helper	Per Hour	\$ 130.00
7	Senior Engineering Designer (CAD)	Per Hour	\$ 140.00
8	Engineering Designer (CAD)	Per Hour	\$ 130.00
9	Jr. Engineering Designer (CAD)	Per Hour	\$ 105.00

Description		Units	Rate
10	Clerical	Per Hour	\$ 80.00
Miscellaneous Expenses			
11	Round Trip Charge	Each	\$ 150.00
12	Mileage	Per Mile	State Rate
13	Meals	Per Day/Person	State Rate
14	Hotel	Per Day	State Rate

All other terms and conditions not hereby amended are to remain in full force and effect.

The Texas A&M University System:

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Executive Director, Procurement

Date: 8/10/2024

Absolute Testing Services, Inc.:

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Business Development Manager

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