

**MODIFICATION TO STATEWIDE LANGUAGE ONSITE  
INTERPRETATION SERVICES CONTRACT**

**THIS MODIFICATION** is made effective this 23<sup>rd</sup> day of May, 2013 by and between Ad Astra, Inc. ("Contractor") and the State of Maryland, acting through the Department of Budget and Management, Division of Procurement Policy and Administration (the "Department").

WHEREAS, on March 1, 2013, the Department entered into a contract with Contractor to provide Statewide Language Onsite Interpretation (the "Services") pursuant to Request for Proposals for Statewide Language Interpretation Services, Project No. 050B2400001 issued on March 1, 2012, and all amendments thereto issued in writing by the State (the "RFP"); and

WHEREAS, the MBE subcontractors has become unable to provide the necessary services to fulfill the MBE percentage goal as set in the RFP and the Contractor desires to add an additional MBE subcontractor, and

WHEREAS, the Department and Contractor desire to modify the Contract so that Contractor can continue to successfully perform the Services.

**IN CONSIDERATION** of the Recitals which are hereby made a substantive part hereof, and the promises and the covenants herein contained, the parties agree to modify the Contract as follows:

- 1. MBE Participation Plan.** In fulfilling its commitment to make good faith efforts to meet a 10% MBE goal as set forth in Contractor's Certified MBE Utilization and Fair Solicitation Affidavit, Form D-1 dated May 29, 2012 and incorporated in the Contract (the "Original Plan"), the Original Plan is replaced in its entirety with the revised participation plan identified on revised Certified MBE Utilization and Fair Solicitation Affidavit, Form D-1 and revised Subcontractor Project Participation Certification, Form D-3, attached hereto and incorporated by reference herein (collectively, the "Revised Plan"). Pursuant to the Revised Plan, the Contractor shall utilize Academy of Languages, LLC for 5% of the MBE goal and Dream Management LLC for 5% of the MBE goal.
  
- 2. Scope of Modification.** This Modification amends the Contract specifically as described herein. Except as specifically revised by the terms of this Modification, all of the terms of the Contract shall remain in full force and effect and are hereby ratified and confirmed.

**IN WITNESS WHEREOF**, the parties have executed this Modification.

CONTRACTOR  
AD ASTRA, INC.

STATE OF MARYLAND  
DEPARTMENT OF BUDGET AND  
MANAGEMENT

By:

Date

[Redacted]

Print name and title

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Witness

5/04/2013  
Date

By: T. Eloise Foster  
Secretary

Date

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Witness

Date

Approved for form and legal  
sufficiency this 20<sup>th</sup> day May, 2013.

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Assistant Attorney General