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#### 1. Terms and Conditions

## 1.1. Contract Documents

In the event of a conflict in terms of language among the documents, the following order of precedence shall govern:

- x Form DA 146a.
- x written modifications to the executed contract.
- x written contract signed by the parties.
- x the Bid Event documents, including any and all amendments; and
- x Contractor's written offer submitted in response to the Bid Event as finalized.

# 1.2. Captions

The captions or headings in this contract are for reference only and do not define, describe, extend, or limit the scope or intent of this contract.

## 1.3. Definitions

A glossary of common procurement terms is available at http://admin.ks.gov/offices/procurement-and-contracts, under the "Procurement Forms" link.

## 1.4. Contract Formation

No contract shall be considered to have been entered into by the State until all statutorily required signatures and certifications have been rendered and a written contract has been signed by the contractor.

#### 1.5. Notices

All notices, demands, requests, approvals, reports, instructions, consents or other communications (collectively "notices") that may be required or desired to be given by either party to the other shall be IN WRITING and addressed as follows:

Kansas Procurement and Contracts 900 SW Jackson, Suite 451-South Topeka, Kansas 66612-1286 RE: Contract Number 53099

or to any other persons or addresses as may be designated by notice from one party to the other.

## 1.6. Statutes

Each and every provision of law and clause required by law to be inserted in the contract shall be deemed to be inserted herein and the contract shall be read and enforced as though it were included herein. If

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### 1.9. Mandatory Provisions

The provisions found in Contractual Provisions Attachment (DA 146a) are incorporated by reference and made a part of this contract.

## 1.10. <u>Termination for Cause</u>

The Director of Purchases may terminate this contract, or any part of this contract, for cause under any one of the following circumstances:

- x the Contractor fails to make delivery of goods or services as specified in this contract.
- x the Contractor provides substandard quality or workmanship.
- x the Contractor fails to perform any of the provisions of this contract, or
- x the Contractor fails to make progress as to endanger performance of this contract in accordance with its terms.

The Director of Purchases shall provide Contractor with written notice of the conditions endangering performance. If the Contractor fails to remedy the conditions within ten (10) days from the receipt of the notice (or such longer period as State may authorize in writing), the Director of Purchases shall issue the Contractor an order to stop work immediately. Receipt of the notice shall be presumed to have occurred within three (3) days of the date of the notice.

### 1.11. Termination for Convenience

The Director of Purchases may terminate performance of work under this contract in whole or in part whenever, for any reason, the Director of Purchases shall determine that the termination is in the best interest of the State of Kansas. In the event that the Director of Purchases elects to terminate this contract pursuant to this provision, it shall provide the Contractor written notice at least 30 days prior to the termination date. The termination shall be effective as of the date specified in the notice. The Contractor shall continue to perform any part of the work that may have not been terminated by the notice.

### 1.12. Rights and Remedies

If this contract is terminated, the State, in addition to any other rights provided for in this contract, may require the Contractor to transfer title and deliver to the State in the manner and to the extent directed, any completed materials. The State shall be obligated only for those services and materials rendered and accepted prior to the date of termination.

In the event of termination, the Contractor shall receive payment prorated for that portion of the contract period services were provided to or goods were accepted by State subject to any offset by State for actual damages including loss of federal matching funds.

The rights and remedies of the State provided for in this contract shall not be exclusive and are in addition to any other rights and remedies provided by law.

#### 1.13. Antitrust

If the Contractor elects not to proceed with performance under any such contract with the State, the Contractor assigns to the State all rights to and interests in any cause of action it has or may acquire under the anti-trust laws of the United States and the State of Kansas relating to the particular products or services purchased or acquired by the State pursuant to this contract.

## 1.14. Hold Harmless

The Contractor shall indemnify the State against any and all loss or damage to the extent arising out of the Contractor's negligence in the performance of services under this contract and for infringement of any copyright or patent occurring in connection with or in any way incidental to or arising out of the occupancy, use, service, operations or performance of work under this contract.

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### 1.23. Independent Contractor

Both parties, in the performance of this contract, shall be acting in their individual capacity and not as agents, employees, partners, joint ventures or associates of one another. The employees or agents of one party shall not be construed to be the employees or agents of the other party for any purpose whatsoever.

The Contractor accepts full responsibility for payment of unemployment insurance, workers compensation, social security, income tax deductions and any other taxes or payroll deductions required by law for its employees engaged in work authorized by this contract.

## 1.24. Worker Misclassification

The Contractor and all lower tiered subcontractors under the Contractor shall properly classify workers as employees rather than independent contractors and treat them accordingly for purposes of workers' compensation insurance coverage, unemployment taxes, social security taxes, and income tax withholding. Failure to do so may result in contract termination.

## 1.25. Immigration and Reform Control Act of 1986 (IRCA)

All contractors are expected to comply with the Immigration and Reform Control Act of 1986 (IRCA), as may be amended from time to time. This Act, with certain limitations, requires the verification of the employment status of all individuals who were hired on or after November 6, 1986, by the Contractor as well as any subcontractor or sub-contractors. The usual method of verification is through the Employment Verification (I-9) Form.

The Contractor hereby certifies without exception that such Contractor has complied with all federal and state laws relating to immigration and reform. Any misrepresentation in this regard or any employment of persons not authorized to work in the United States constitutes a material breach and, at the State's option, may subject the contract to termination for cause and any applicable damages.

Unless provided otherwise herein, all contractors are expected to be able to produce for the State any documentation or other such evidence to verify Contractor's IRCA compliance with any provision, duty, certification or like item under the contract.

## 1.26. Proof of Insurance

Upon request, the Contractor shall present an affidavit of Worker's Compensation, Public Liability, and

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The State makes no representation as to the exemption from liability of any tax imposed by any governmental entity on the Contractor.

# 1.43. Quarterly Reports

The Contractor shall be required to file a quarterly report by each state agency or political subdivision making purchases under this contract. Reports are due no later than 30 days after the end of each calendar quarter and shall correlate with figures submitted as Administrative Fees (see below). Above referenced reports are to be filed with Procurement and Contracts Open Records Officer or his/her designee located at 900 SW Jackson, Ste. 451-South, Topeka, KS 66612-1286. Reports may also be required to be submitted to the specific using agency.

Electronic files shall be e-mailed to the following e-mail address:

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### 1.48. Debarment of State Contractors

Any Contractor who defaults on delivery or does not perform in a satisfactory manner as defined in this Agreement may be barred for up to a period of three (3) years, pursuant to K.S.A. 75-37,103, or have its work evaluated for pre-qualification purposes. Contractor shall disclose any conviction or judgment for a criminal or civil offense of any employee, individual or entity which controls a company or organization or will perform work under this Agreement that indicates a lack of business integrity or business honesty. This includes (1) conviction of a criminal offense as an incident to obtaining or attempting to obtain a public or private contract or subcontract or in the performance of such contract or subcontract; (2) conviction under state or federal statutes of embezzlement, theft, forgery, bribery, falsification or destruction of records, receiving stolen property; (3) conviction under state or federal antitrust statutes; and (4) any other offense to be so serious and compelling as to affect responsibility as a state contractor. For the purpose of this section, an individual or entity shall be presumed to have control of a company or organization if the individual or entity directly or indirectly, or acting in concert with one or more individuals or entities, owns or controls 25 percent or more of its equity, or otherwise controls its management or policies. Failure to disclose an offense may result in the termination of the contract.

## 1.49. Materials and Workmanship

The Contractor shall perform all work and furnish all supplies and materials, machinery, equipment, facilities, and means, necessary to complete all the work required by this Contract, within the time specified, in accordance with the provisions as specified.

The Contractor shall be responsible for all work put in under these specifications and shall make good, repair and/or replace, at the Contractor's own expense, as may be necessary, any defective work, material, etc., if in the opinion of agency and/or Procurement and Contracts said issue is due to imperfection in material, design, workmanship or Contractor fault.

### 1.50. Industry Standards

If not otherwise provided, materials or work called for in this contract shall be furnished and performed in accordance with best established practice and standards recognized by the contracted industry and comply with all codes and regulations which shall apply.

#### 1.51. Implied Requirements

All products and services not specifically mentioned in this contract, but which are necessary to provide the functional capabilities described by the specifications, shall be included.

## 1.52. New Materials, Supplies or Equipment

Unless otherwise specified, all materials, supplies or equipment offered by the Contractor shall be new, unused in any regard and of most current design. All materials, supplies and equipment shall be first class in all respects. Seconds or flawed items will not be acceptable. All materials, supplies or equipment shall be suitable for their intended purpose and, unless otherwise specified, fully assembled and ready for use on delivery

#### 1.53. Warranty

The State requires a "standard" warranty of 365 days. This warranty shall be included in the cost of the product or equipment.

The Contractor will be the sole point of contact on any problems with the product, equipment or systems during the warranty period.

The Contractor shall be responsible for all work performed under this contract. The Contractor shall make good, repair and replace, at the Contractor's own expense, as may be necessary, any defective work, material acceptance, if in the opinion of agency or Procurement and Contracts said defect is due to imperfection in material, design, or workmanship for the warranty period specified.

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## 1.54. Inspection

The State reserves the right to reject, on arrival at destination, any items which do not conform with specification of the Contract.

## 1.55. Acceptance

No contract provision or use of items by the State shall constitute acceptance or relieve the Contractor of liability in respect to any expressed or implied warranties.

## 1.56. Ownership

All data, forms, procedures, software, manuals, system descriptions and workflows developed or accumulated by the Contractor under this contract shall be owned by the using agency. The Contractor may not release any materials without the written approval of the using agency.

## 1.57. Information/Data

Any and all information/data required to be provided at any time during the contract term shall be made

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# 2. Specifications

## 2.1 Background and Scope

The State of Kansas has numerous microscopes, many on university campuses. Due to specific research or applications various departments may require a specific brand for compatibility issues, commonality of replacement parts or various other criteria. This is a State-wide Optional use contract that will be used to supply microscopes, cameras, and image viewing supplies and equipment.

## 2.2 Services to be Provided

x Full product information

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# 3. Costing Sheet

Contractor Name: Thomas Scientific, LLC

Manufacturer Name: Leica Microsystems

Category	Description	%Discount
1	Complete Microscope System	5%
2	Imaging Devices/Software	5%
3	Accessory Equipment	3%
4	Consumables/Repair Parts	5%

Other:

Response Time for Emergency Repairs 24 Hour Call Back

Delivery Time 60 Days or sooner

Payment Terms Net 30

Warranty (Full Parts & Labor) 1 year

Service/Repair (after warranty)

Extended Service Contracts Available

Information on loaner unit when repairs require factory work:

Leica service will be used for any equipment under warranty (in field or local service center). We will expedite the repair to mitigate any downtime for any system that needs to be returned to the factory (Germany).

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### 4. Contractual Provisions Attachment

DA-146a Rev. 07/19

# 4.1. Important

The Provisions found in Contractual Provisions Attachment (Form DA-146a, Rev. 07-19), which is attached hereto, are hereby incorporated in this contract and made a part thereof. The parties agree that the following provisions are hereby incorporated into the contract to which it is attached and made a part thereof, said contract being the 2nd day of December 2022.

# 4.2. Terms Herein Controlling Provisions

It is expressly agreed that the terms of each and every provision in this attachment shall prevail and control over the terms of any other conflicting provision in any other document relating to and a part of the contract in which this attachment is incorporated. Any terms that conflict or could be interpreted to conflict with this attachment are nullified.

#### 4.3. Kansas Law and Venue

This contract shall be subject to, governed by, and construed according to the laws of the State of Kansas, and jurisdiction and venue of any suit in connection with this contract shall reside only in courts located in the State of Kansas.

## 4.4. Termination Due to Lack of Funding Appropriation

If, in the judgment of the Director of Accounts and Reports, Department of Administration, sufficient funds are not appropriated to continue the function performed in this agreement and for the payment of the charges hereunder, State may terminate this agreement at the end of its current fiscal year. State agrees to give written notice of termination to contractor at least thirty (30) days prior to the end of its current fiscal year and shall give such notice for a greater period prior to the end of such fiscal year as may be provided in this contract, except that such notice shall not be required prior to ninety (90) days before the end of such fiscal year. Contractor shall have the right, at the end of such fiscal year, to take possession of any equipment provided State under the contract. State will pay to the contractor all regular contractual payments incurred through the end of such fiscal year; plus contractual charges incidental to the return of any such equipment. Upon termination of the agreement by State, title to any such equipment shall revert to contractor at the end of the State's current fiscal year. The termination of the contract pursuant to this paragraph shall not cause any penalty to be charged to the agency or the contractor.

#### 4.5. Disclaimer of Liability

No provision of this contract will be given effect that attempts to require the State of Kansas or its agencies to defend, hold harmless, or indemnify any contractor or third party for any acts or omissions. The liability of the State of Kansas is defined under the Kansas Tort Claims Act (K.S.A. 75-6101, et seq.).

#### 4.6. Anti-Discrimination Clause

The contractor agrees: (a) to comply with the Kansas Act Against Discrimination (K.S.A. 44 1001, et seq.) and the Kansas Age Discrimination in Employment Act (K.S.A. 44-1111, et seq.) and the applicable provisions of the Americans With Disabilities Act (42 U.S.C. 12101, et seq.) (ADA), and Kansas Executive Order No. 19-02, and to not discriminate against any person because of race, color, gender, sexual orientation, gender identity or expression, religion, national origin, ancestry, age, military or veteran status, disability status, marital or family status, genetic information, or political affiliation that is unrelated to the

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