



DLT RIDER TO MANUFACTURER END USER TERMS (For Public Sector End Users)

1. **Scope.** This DLT Rider to Red Hat, Inc. (“Manufacturer”) End User Terms (“DLT Rider”) establishes the terms and conditions enabling DLT Solutions, LLC (“DLT”) to provide Manufacturer’s Offerings to Public Sector Government Agencies to include the Federal, State and Local entities (the “Licensee” or “Customer”).
2. **Applicability.** The terms and conditions in the attached Manufacturer Terms are hereby incorporated by reference to the extent that they are consistent with Public Sector Laws (e.g., the Anti-Deficiency Act, the Contracts Disputes Act, the Prompt Payment Act, the Anti-Assignment statutes). To the extent the terms and conditions in the Manufacturer’s Terms or any resulting Customer Order are inconsistent with the following clauses, they shall be deemed deleted and the following shall take precedence:
 - a. **Advertisements and Endorsements.** Unless specifically authorized by Customer in writing, use of the name or logo of Customer is prohibited.
 - b. **Assignment.** All clauses regarding Assignment are subject to Assignment of Claims and Novation and Change-of-Name Agreements. All clauses governing Assignment in the Manufacturer Terms are hereby deemed to be deleted.
 - c. **Audit.** During the term of a Customer order subject to this Rider: (a) If Customer’s security requirements included in the Order are met, Manufacturer or its designated agent may audit Customer’s facilities and records to verify Customer’s compliance with this Agreement. Any such audit will take place only during Customer’s normal business hours contingent upon prior written notice and adherence to any security measures the Customer deems appropriate, including any requirements for personnel to be cleared prior to accessing sensitive facilities. DLT on behalf of the Manufacturer will give Customer written notice of a desire to verify compliance (“Notice”); (b) If Customer’s security requirements are not met and upon Manufacturer’s request, Customer will provide a written certification, executed by a duly authorized agent of Customer, verifying in writing Customer’s compliance with the Customer order; or (c) discrepancies in price discovered pursuant to an audit may result in a charge by the commercial supplier to the Customer however, all invoices must be: i) in accordance with the proper invoicing requirements of the Customer; ii) if there is a dispute then no payment obligation may arise on the part of the Customer until the conclusion of the dispute process, and iii) the audit, if requested by the Customer, will be performed at the Manufacturer’s expense.
 - d. **Confidential Information.** Any provisions that require the Licensee to keep certain information confidential are subject to the Freedom of Information Act, and any order by a Court with appropriate jurisdiction.
 - e. **Consent to Government Law / Consent to Jurisdiction.** The validity, interpretation and enforcement of this Rider will be governed by and construed in accordance with the laws of the United States and/or the respective Customer’s state. Any Manufacturer Terms that identify the jurisdiction in which a lawsuit may be brought, the law which shall apply to such lawsuit, or the requirements to pursue Alternative Dispute Resolution prior to such lawsuit are deemed to be deleted. All clauses in the Manufacturer Terms referencing equitable remedies are deemed to be deleted.
 - f. **Contractor Indemnities.** DLT shall not be required to indemnify Customer except as explicitly stated in the contract. Any such indemnification requirement shall vest control over the matter with the United States and shall give DLT or the Manufacturer the right to intervene in the proceeding at its own expense through counsel of its own choice.





- g. **Customer.** Customer is the “Ordering Activity”, defined as any entity authorized to use government sources of supply. An individual person shall not be the Licensee or Customer.
- h. **Customer Indemnities.** Customer shall not be required to indemnify DLT except as in accordance with federal statute that expressly permits such indemnification.
- i. **Installation and Use of the Software.** Installation and use of the software shall be in accordance with the Rider and Manufacturer Terms, unless a Customer determines that it requires different terms of use and Manufacturer agrees in writing to such terms in a valid order placed by Customer.
- j. **Force Majeure.** Clauses in the Manufacturer Terms referencing Force Majeure and unilateral termination rights of the Manufacturer are hereby deemed to be deleted.
- k. **Future Fees or Penalties.** All fees and charges are as explicitly set forth in the Customer’s order. Additional fees or penalties such as liquidated damages or license, maintenance or subscription reinstatement fees be incorporated into the contract only by bilateral written agreement of the parties. Any clauses imposing additional fees or penalties automatically in Manufacturer’s Terms are hereby deemed to be deleted.
- l. **Renewals.** All Manufacturer Terms clauses that violate the Anti-Deficiency Act or which permit automatic renewal are hereby deemed to be deleted.
- m. **Taxes.** Taxes are subject to applicable jurisdiction regulations, which provides that the contract price includes all federal, state, local taxes and duties.
- n. **Termination.** Clauses in the Manufacturer Terms referencing termination or cancellation are hereby deemed to be deleted. Both DLT and Customer’s termination rights shall be governed by Contract Dispute Acts of the jurisdiction in which the transaction occurs.
- o. **Third Party Terms.** No entity shall have privity of contract with the United States with respect to any third-party product or service, referenced in the Manufacture’s Terms unless expressly stated in Customer’s order. Absent agreement by Customer to the contrary, third parties shall have no rights or obligations with respect to such agreements vis-à-vis the United States.
- p. **Waiver of Jury Trial.** All clauses referencing waiver of jury trial in the Manufacturer Terms are hereby deemed to be deleted.

Incorporation of Manufacturer Terms. Attached hereto are the Manufacturer Terms. As part of this Rider, the following Terms are incorporated by reference and made a part of this Rider except as modified as set forth above.



THE RED HAT ENTERPRISE AGREEMENT

This Red Hat Enterprise Agreement is between the Client and Red Hat, Inc. (“Red Hat”) and addresses unique commercial considerations that apply to Red Hat Products, open source software, and our subscription business model.

1. The Mechanics of the Agreement

- 1.1 Ordering.** The Agreement applies to Red Hat Products that you purchase or for which you acquire the right to access or use, including Subscriptions, Professional Services, Training Services, access to Red Hat Online Properties and other Red Hat offerings, whether obtained directly from Red Hat or from a Red Hat Business Partner. You may order Red Hat Products directly from Red Hat by submitting an Order Form or from a Red Hat Business Partner using the Business Partner’s ordering procedure. Affiliates of either party may conduct business under this Agreement by signing an Order Form or other document that references these General Terms and may include additional terms relating to local requirements or other transaction details.
- 1.2 Structure.** The Agreement consists of three components: (1) the General Terms; (2) the Product Appendices (which may include end user license agreements) applicable to Your Products; and (3) if applicable, all Order Forms. Certain terms are defined in the General Terms or in the Definitions section at the end of the General Terms. If you order Red Hat Products from a Business Partner, then any agreement that you enter into with the Business Partner is solely between you and the Business Partner and will not be binding on Red Hat.

2. Term

- 2.1 Agreement Term.** The Agreement begins on the Effective Date and continues until it is terminated as set forth below.
- 2.2 Services Term.** Unless otherwise agreed in writing, the Service that you order will start at the earlier of (a) your first use of the Service, (b) the date you purchased the Service, or (c) the start date contained in the Order Form, and, in each case, will end at the expiration of the Services Term unless sooner terminated as set forth below. Subscriptions automatically renew for successive terms of the same duration as the original Services Term, unless either party gives written notice to the other party of its intention not to renew at least thirty (30) days before the expiration of the applicable Services Term. Any Services that you order must be consumed during the applicable Services Term and any unused Services will expire.

3. Fees and Payment

- 3.1 Payment of Fees.** Section 3.1 applies only to Red Hat Products ordered directly from Red Hat. The payment terms applicable to Red Hat Products purchased from a Business Partner are included in your Business Partner agreement.
- a) Unless otherwise set forth in an Order Form, you agree to pay Fees (1) for Professional Services and Training Services at the time of your order; and (2) for Subscriptions no later than 30 days after the date of Red Hat’s invoice. Credit is subject to Red Hat’s approval and Red Hat may change credit terms.
- b) Fees do not include reasonable out-of-pocket expenses, shipping costs, Taxes, or service provider fees (such as payment processor or vendor management) and you agree to pay such amounts or reimburse Red Hat for such amounts paid or payable by Red Hat. You must pay the Fees and expenses without withholding or deduction. If you are required to withhold or deduct any Taxes from the Fees or expenses, then you agree to increase the amount payable to Red Hat by the amount of such Taxes so that Red Hat receives the full amount of all Fees and expenses. All Fees, expenses and other amounts paid under the Agreement are non-refundable.
- c) If you are purchasing by credit card, then you (1) authorize Red Hat to charge your credit card for all amounts due, and (2) agree to provide updated credit card information to Red Hat as needed to pay the Fees or other amounts owed.
- 3.2 Basis of Fees.** Fees are determined by counting the Units associated with the applicable Red Hat Product. For example, Subscriptions may be priced based on the number of systems or nodes. You agree to order and pay for the appropriate type and quantity of Red Hat Products based on the Units you use or deploy. If during the term of the Agreement, the actual number of Units you use or deploy exceeds the number of Units you have ordered and paid for, you must promptly report to Red Hat or a Business Partner the number of additional Units used or deployed and the date(s) on which they were used or deployed. Red Hat (or the Business Partner) will invoice you and you agree to pay for the additional Units in accordance with your approved payment terms.

4. Termination

- 4.1 Termination for Cause.** Either party may terminate this Agreement (in whole or with respect to any Order Form or Red Hat Product obtained from Red Hat or a Business Partner) by notice to the other party if (a) the other party materially breaches this Agreement, and does not cure the breach within thirty (30) days after written notice (except in the case of a breach of Section 9 in which case no cure period will apply), or (b) the other party becomes the subject of a petition in bankruptcy or any other proceeding relating to insolvency, receivership, liquidation or assignment for the benefit of creditors. In addition, Red Hat may, at its option and without limiting its other remedies, suspend (rather than terminate) any Services if you breach the Agreement (including with respect to payment of Fees) until the breach is remedied.
- 4.2 Termination for Convenience.** Either party may terminate the Agreement by notice to the other party at any time if all Services Terms have expired.
- 4.3 Effect of Termination; Survival.** The termination or suspension of an individual Order Form, Business Partner order or any Red Hat Products purchased from Red Hat or a Business Partner will not terminate or suspend any other Order Form, Business Partner order, Red Hat Product or the remainder of the Agreement unless specified in the notice of termination or suspension. If the Agreement is terminated in whole, all outstanding Order Form(s), Business Partner orders and Services will terminate. If this Agreement, any Order Form or Business Partner order is terminated, you agree to pay for all Units that you used or deployed or that were provided by Red Hat up to the effective date of termination. Sections 1.2, 3, 4.3, 5.2, 5.3, 9 (to the extent set forth therein), 10, 11 (to the extent set forth therein) and 12-15 will survive the termination of this Agreement.

5. Representations and Warranties

- 5.1** Red Hat represents and warrants that (a) it has the authority to enter into this Agreement, (b) the Services will be performed in a professional and workmanlike manner by qualified personnel, (c) to its knowledge, the Software does not, at the time of delivery to you, include malicious mechanisms or code for the purpose of damaging or corrupting the Software and (d) the Services will comply in all material respects with laws

applicable to Red Hat as the provider of the Services. Client represents and warrants that (a) it has the authority to enter into this Agreement, and (b) its use of Red Hat Products will comply with all applicable laws, and it will not use the Red Hat Products for any illegal activity.

- 5.2 TO THE MAXIMUM EXTENT PERMITTED BY APPLICABLE LAW AND EXCEPT AS EXPRESSLY PROVIDED IN SECTION 5.1, THE RED HAT PRODUCTS ARE PROVIDED "AS IS" AND WITHOUT ANY REPRESENTATIONS OR WARRANTIES EXPRESS OR IMPLIED, AND RED HAT DISCLAIMS ALL SUCH REPRESENTATIONS AND WARRANTIES, INCLUDING THE IMPLIED WARRANTIES OF MERCHANTABILITY, NON-INFRINGEMENT, AND FITNESS FOR A PARTICULAR PURPOSE, AND ANY WARRANTIES IMPLIED BY THE COURSE OF DEALING OR USAGE OF TRADE. RED HAT AND ITS SUPPLIERS DO NOT REPRESENT OR WARRANT THAT THE RED HAT PRODUCTS WILL BE UNINTERRUPTED, SECURE, ERROR FREE, ACCURATE OR COMPLETE OR COMPLY WITH REGULATORY REQUIREMENTS, OR THAT RED HAT WILL CORRECT ALL ERRORS. IN THE EVENT OF A BREACH OF THE WARRANTIES SET FORTH IN SECTION 5.1, YOUR EXCLUSIVE REMEDY, AND RED HAT'S ENTIRE LIABILITY, WILL BE THE RE-PERFORMANCE OR RE-DELIVERY OF THE DEFICIENT RED HAT PRODUCT, OR IF RED HAT CANNOT SUBSTANTIALLY CORRECT A BREACH IN A COMMERCIALY REASONABLE MANNER, TERMINATION OF THE RELEVANT RED HAT PRODUCT, IN WHICH CASE YOU MAY RECEIVE A PRO RATA REFUND OF THE FEES PAID FOR THE DEFICIENT RED HAT PRODUCT AS OF THE EFFECTIVE DATE OF TERMINATION.
- 5.3 The Red Hat Products have not been tested in all situations under which they may be used. Red Hat will not be liable for the results obtained through use of the Red Hat Products and you are solely responsible for determining appropriate uses for the Red Hat Products and for all results of such use. In particular, Red Hat Products are not specifically designed, manufactured or intended for use in (a) the design, planning, construction, maintenance, control, or direct operation of nuclear facilities, (b) aircraft control, navigation, or communication systems (c) weapons systems, (d) direct life support systems (e) or other similar hazardous environments.
6. **Open Source Assurance.** Purchases of Subscriptions may entitle you to participate in Red Hat's Open Source Assurance Program, which is described at <http://www.redhat.com/rhel/details/assurance/> and provides certain protections in the event of a third party infringement claim. The terms for this optional program are subject to the agreement at http://www.redhat.com/legal/open_source_assurance_agreement.html.
7. **Red Hat Online Properties.** You may be required to create an Account to access Red Hat Online Properties. You agree to provide accurate information when creating an Account. You may not access or create multiple accounts in a manner that is intended to avoid, or has the effect of avoiding, payment of Fees or circumventing thresholds or Unit limitations associated with your Account or otherwise in a manner intended to violate the Agreement. You are solely responsible for all activities in connection with your Account and will notify Red Hat promptly if you become aware of any unauthorized use of your Account. Your use of and access to the Red Hat Online Properties may also be subject to the Product Appendices applicable to the Red Hat Product.
8. **Evaluations.** Red Hat may offer Evaluation Subscriptions for evaluation and not for production purposes. Evaluation Subscriptions may be provided with limited or no support or subject to other limitations.
9. **Confidentiality**
- 9.1 Recipient (a) may not disclose Confidential Information of a Discloser to any third party unless Discloser approves the disclosure in writing or the disclosure is otherwise permitted under this Section 9; (b) will use the same degree of care to protect Confidential Information of Discloser as it uses to protect its own confidential information of a similar nature, but in no event less than reasonable care; and (c) may disclose Confidential Information of the Discloser only to its employees, Affiliates, agents and contractors with a need to know, and to its auditors and legal counsel, in each case, who are under a written obligation (or other professional obligation) to keep such information confidential using standards of confidentiality no less restrictive than those required by this Section 9. These obligations will continue for a period of two (2) years following initial disclosure of the particular Confidential Information. A Recipient may disclose Confidential Information if it is required to do so by applicable law, regulation or court order but, where legally permissible, will provide advance notice to the Discloser to enable the Discloser to seek a protective order or other similar protection if feasible. "**Recipient**" is the party receiving Confidential Information under this Agreement. "**Discloser**" is a party disclosing Confidential Information under this Agreement.
- 9.2 Information is not Confidential Information, if: (a) the information is or becomes publicly available other than as a result of the Recipient's breach of this Agreement, (b) the Recipient, at the time of disclosure, knows or possesses the information without obligation of confidentiality or thereafter obtains the information from a third party not under an obligation of confidentiality; (c) the Recipient independently develops the information without use of the Discloser's Confidential Information, (d) the information is generally known or easily developed by someone with ordinary skills in the business of the Recipient, or (e) the information is licensed under an Open Source License (as defined by the Open Source Initiative (<https://opensource.org/>)).
- 9.3 Confidential Information that is disclosed prior to termination of this Agreement will remain subject to this Agreement for the period set forth above. Upon written request of the Discloser, the Recipient will promptly return or destroy all Confidential Information, except for Confidential Information stored in routine back-up media not accessible during the ordinary course of business.
10. **Client Information, Feedback, Reservation of Rights, & Review**
- 10.1 **Client Information.** If you provide Client Information in connection with your use of or access to Red Hat Products, you agree that, subject to Section 9, Red Hat, its Affiliates, and Suppliers may use such Client Information in connection with providing the Red Hat Products. You agree that your provision (and Red Hat's use) of Client Information under this Agreement does not require any additional consents or licenses, will be in compliance with applicable law, and will not violate any intellectual property, proprietary, privacy, or other right of any third party. As between Red Hat and you, you retain all other rights in and to Client Information.
- 10.2 **Feedback.** You may be asked to voluntarily provide Red Hat with Feedback in connection with Red Hat Products, but have no obligation to do so. If you choose to do so, Red Hat may use Feedback for any purpose, including incorporating the Feedback into, or using the Feedback to develop and improve Red Hat Products and other Red Hat offerings without attribution or compensation. You grant Red Hat a perpetual and irrevocable license to use all Feedback for any purpose. You agree to provide Feedback to Red Hat only in compliance with applicable laws and you represent that you have the authority to provide the Feedback and that Feedback will not include proprietary information of a third party.
- 10.3 **Reservation of Rights.** Red Hat grants to you only those rights expressly granted in the Agreement with respect to the Red Hat Products and reserves all other rights in and to the Red Hat Products (including all intellectual property rights). Red Hat may collect and use for any purpose aggregate anonymous benchmark data about your use of the Red Hat Products. Nothing in this Agreement will limit Red Hat from providing

software, materials, or services for itself or other clients, irrespective of the possible similarity of such software, materials or services to those that might be delivered to you. The terms of Section 9 will not prohibit or restrict either party's right to develop, use or market products or services similar to or competitive with the other party; provided, however, that neither party is relieved of its obligations under this Agreement.

11. Review. While this Agreement is in effect and for one year thereafter, Red Hat or its designee, acting in accordance with Section 9, may inspect your facilities and records to verify your compliance with this Agreement. You agree to (a) respond promptly to requests for information, documents and/or records, (b) grant appropriate access for on-site visits in order to verify your compliance, and (c) reasonably cooperate in connection with any such verification. Red Hat will provide at least ten (10) days prior written notice for any on-site visits, and will conduct on-site visits during regular business hours in a manner that reasonably minimizes interference with your business. If Red Hat notifies you of any noncompliance or underpayment, then you will resolve the non-compliance and/or underpayment within fifteen (15) days from the date of notice. If the underpayment exceeds five percent (5%), then you will also reimburse Red Hat for the cost of the inspection.

12. Limitations

12.1 DISCLAIMER OF DAMAGES. TO THE MAXIMUM EXTENT PERMITTED BY APPLICABLE LAW, NEITHER PARTY, NOR ITS AFFILIATES, WILL BE LIABLE FOR ANY INCIDENTAL, CONSEQUENTIAL, SPECIAL, INDIRECT, EXEMPLARY OR PUNITIVE DAMAGES, OR FOR ANY DAMAGES FOR LOST OR DAMAGED DATA, LOST PROFITS, LOST SAVINGS OR BUSINESS OR SERVICE INTERRUPTION, EVEN IF SUCH PARTY WAS ADVISED OF THE POSSIBILITY OF SUCH DAMAGES, AND REGARDLESS OF THE FAILURE OF ESSENTIAL PURPOSE OF ANY LIMITED REMEDY.

12.2 LIMITATION OF LIABILITY. TO THE MAXIMUM EXTENT PERMITTED BY APPLICABLE LAW, RED HAT'S AND ITS AFFILIATES' TOTAL AND AGGREGATE LIABILITY WITH RESPECT TO ANY CLAIM RELATING TO OR ARISING OUT OF THIS AGREEMENT WILL NOT EXCEED THE FEES RECEIVED BY RED HAT WITH RESPECT TO THE PARTICULAR RED HAT PRODUCT GIVING RISE TO LIABILITY UNDER THE MOST APPLICABLE ORDERING DOCUMENT DURING THE TWELVE (12) MONTHS IMMEDIATELY PRECEDING THE FIRST EVENT GIVING RISE TO SUCH CLAIM; PROVIDED THAT IN NO EVENT WILL RED HAT'S AND ITS AFFILIATES' TOTAL CUMULATIVE LIABILITY FOR ALL CLAIMS ARISING OUT OF OR RELATING TO THIS AGREEMENT EXCEED THE FEES RECEIVED BY RED HAT DURING THE TWELVE (12) MONTHS IMMEDIATELY PRECEDING THE FIRST EVENT GIVING RISE TO LIABILITY UNDER THIS AGREEMENT. THIS LIMITATION APPLIES REGARDLESS OF THE NATURE OF THE CLAIM, WHETHER CONTRACT, TORT (INCLUDING NEGLIGENCE), STATUTE OR OTHER LEGAL THEORY. THESE LIMITATIONS DO NOT LIMIT CLAIMS OF BODILY INJURY (INCLUDING DEATH) AND DAMAGE TO REAL OR TANGIBLE PERSONAL PROPERTY CAUSED BY THE NEGLIGENCE OF RED HAT OR ITS AFFILIATES.

13. Governing Law and Claims. The Agreement, and any claim, controversy or dispute related to the Agreement, are governed by and construed in accordance with the laws of the State of New York without giving effect to any conflicts of laws provisions. To the extent permissible, the United Nations Convention on Contracts for the International Sale of Goods will not apply, even if adopted as part of the laws of the State of New York. Any claim, suit, action or proceeding arising out of or relating to this Agreement or its subject matter will be brought exclusively in the state or federal courts of Wake County, North Carolina, and each party irrevocably submits to the exclusive jurisdiction and venue. No claim or action, regardless of form, arising out of this Agreement may be brought by either party more than one (1) year after the party first became aware, or reasonably should have been aware, of the basis for the claim. To the fullest extent permitted, each party waives the right to trial by jury in any legal proceeding arising out of or relating to this Agreement or the transactions contemplated hereby.

14. Miscellaneous

14.1 Export. Red Hat may supply you with Controlled Materials. You agree to comply with all applicable export and import laws or regulations, including any local laws in your jurisdiction concerning your right to import, export or use Controlled Materials and agree that Red Hat is not responsible for your compliance. Without limiting the foregoing, you agree that you will not export, disclose, re-export or transfer the Controlled Materials, directly or indirectly, to: (a) any U.S. embargoed destination; (b) any party who you know or have reason to know will utilize them in the design, development or production of nuclear, chemical or biological weapons, or rocket systems, space launch vehicles, or sounding rockets, unmanned air vehicle systems, or any other restricted end-use; or (c) anyone on (or controlled by a person or entity on) a U.S. government restricted persons list, including those who have been prohibited from participating in U.S. export transactions by any federal agency of the U.S. government. You will not provide to Red Hat any data or engage Red Hat in any activity, in each case, that could constitute the development of a "defense article" or provision of a "defense service" to you, as these terms are defined in Section 120 of the International Traffic in Arms Regulations (ITAR). In addition, you will not, and will not allow third parties under your control, (i) to provide Red Hat with Client Information that requires an export license under applicable export control laws or (ii) to process or store any Client Information that is subject to the ITAR. If you breach (or Red Hat believes you have breached) this paragraph or the export provisions of an end user license agreement for any Software or Red Hat is prohibited by law or otherwise restricted from providing Red Hat Products to you, Red Hat may terminate this Agreement and/or the applicable Order Form without liability to you. You acknowledge that to provide the Services, it may be necessary for Client Information to be transferred between Red Hat, its Affiliates, Business Partners, vendors and/or subcontractors, which may be located worldwide.

14.2 Notices. Notices must be in English, in writing, and will be deemed given upon receipt, after being sent using a method that provides for positive confirmation of delivery to the address(es) or email address provided by you, including through an automated receipt or by electronic log. Any notice from you to Red Hat must include a copy sent to: Red Hat, Inc., Attention: General Counsel, 100 East Davie Street, Raleigh, North Carolina 27601; Email: legal-notices@redhat.com. Billing notices to you will be addressed to the billing contact designated by you.

14.3 Assignment. Either party may upon written notice: (a) assign this Agreement to an Affiliate if the Affiliate's financial condition and creditworthiness are sufficient to satisfy the assigning party's obligations under the Agreement and the assignment will not affect the non-assigning party's obligations under the Agreement; and (b) assign this Agreement to a successor or acquirer pursuant to a merger or sale of all or substantially all of such party's assets. Any other assignment will be deemed void and ineffective without the prior written consent of the other party. Subject to the foregoing, this Agreement will be binding upon and will inure to the benefit of the parties and their respective successors and permitted assigns.

- 14.4 Waiver.** A waiver by a party under this Agreement is only valid if in writing and signed by an authorized representative of such party. A delay or failure of a party to exercise any rights under this Agreement will not constitute or be deemed a waiver or forfeiture of such rights.
- 14.5 Independent Contractors.** The parties are independent contractors and nothing in this Agreement creates an employment, partnership or agency relationship between the parties or any Affiliate. Each party is solely responsible for supervision, control and payment of its personnel. Red Hat may subcontract Services to third parties or Affiliates as long as (a) subcontractors agree to protect Confidential Information and (b) Red Hat remains responsible to you for performance of its obligations.
- 14.6 Third Party Beneficiaries.** This Agreement is binding on the parties to this Agreement and, other than as expressly provided in the Agreement, nothing in this Agreement grants any other person or entity any right, benefit or remedy.
- 14.7 Force Majeure.** Neither party is responsible for nonperformance or delay in performance of its obligations (other than payment of Fees) due to causes beyond its reasonable control.
- 14.8 Complete Agreement and Order of Precedence.** The Agreement represents the complete agreement between the parties with respect to its subject matter and supersedes all prior and contemporaneous agreements and proposals, whether written or oral, with respect to such subject matter. Any terms contained in any other documentation that you deliver to Red Hat, including any purchase order or other order-related document (other than an Order Form), are void and will not become part of the Agreement or otherwise bind the parties. If there is a conflict between the General Terms, the Product Appendices and/or an Order Form, the General Terms will control unless otherwise expressly provided in the Product Appendices and/or Order Form.
- 14.9 Counterparts.** This Agreement may be executed in counterparts, each of which will be deemed an original and all of which will constitute one and the same document. The parties may exchange signature pages by email or electronic signature process and such signatures will be effective to bind the parties to the Agreement.
- 14.10 Severable.** If any provision of this Agreement is held by a court of competent jurisdiction to be invalid or unenforceable, the remaining provisions of this Agreement will remain in effect to the greatest extent permitted by law.
- 14.11 United States Government End Users.** The Software and its documentation are "Commercial items," "Commercial computer software" and "Computer software documentation" as defined by the Federal Acquisition Regulations ("FAR") and Defense Federal Acquisition Regulations Supplement ("DFARS"). Pursuant to FAR 12.211, FAR 12.212, DFARS, 227.7202-1 through 227.7202-4, and their successors, the U.S. Government acquires the Software and its documentation subject to the terms of this Agreement.

15. Definitions

- 15.1 "Account"** means an account that enables you to access and use Red Hat Online Properties and may include a user name and password or other means of access designated by Red Hat.
- 15.2 "Affiliate"** means an entity that owns or controls, is owned or controlled by, or is under common control or ownership with a party, where "control" is the possession, direct or indirect, of the power to direct or cause the direction of the management and policies of an entity, whether through ownership of voting securities, by contract or otherwise.
- 15.3 "Business Partner"** means a cloud provider, distributor, reseller, OEM or other third party authorized to resell or distribute Red Hat Products.
- 15.4 "Business Partner order"** means an order for a Red Hat Product placed through a Business Partner.
- 15.5 "Client" or "you"** means the person or entity acquiring the right to use or access the Red Hat Products and which is a party to this Agreement.
- 15.6 "Client Information"** means any data, information, software or other materials that you provide to Red Hat under the Agreement.
- 15.7 "Confidential Information"** means information disclosed by the Discloser to the Recipient during the term of the Agreement that (i) is marked confidential; (ii) if disclosed orally, is clearly described as confidential at the time of disclosure and is subsequently set forth in writing, marked confidential, and sent to the Recipient within thirty (30) days following the oral disclosure; or (iii) is of a nature that the Recipient knows is confidential to the Discloser or should reasonably be expected to know is confidential.
- 15.8 "Controlled Materials"** mean software or technical information that is subject to the United States Export Administration Regulation.
- 15.9 "Effective Date"** means earliest of (a) the date of the last signature on this Agreement or an Order Form, (b) your online acceptance of the Agreement, and (c) when you first receive access to a Red Hat Product.
- 15.10 "Evaluation Subscriptions"** means Red Hat Products offered without charge solely for evaluation and not for production purposes, including offerings described as "evaluation", "preview" or "beta".
- 15.11 "Feedback"** means any ideas, suggestions, proposals or other feedback you may provide regarding Red Hat Products.
- 15.12 "Fees"** are the amounts to be paid by Client to Red Hat (directly or through a Business Partner) for the Red Hat Products.
- 15.13 "General Terms"** means the terms contained in Sections 1 – 15 of this document.
- 15.14 "Online Subscriptions"** means Subscriptions to one of the Red Hat Online Properties.
- 15.15 "Order Form"** is Red Hat's standard ordering document or online purchasing form used to order Red Hat Products.
- 15.16 "Product Appendices"** means the Red Hat Product Appendices set forth here: <https://www.redhat.com/en/about/agreements#prodapps>, or (b) for Professional Services, that are incorporated into an applicable statement of work.
- 15.17 "Professional Services"** means consulting services provided by Red Hat.
- 15.18 "Red Hat Online Properties"** mean Red Hat websites, portals and hosted Services included in, or provided in connection with, Red Hat Products.
- 15.19 "Red Hat Products"** means Software, Services, Subscriptions and other Red Hat branded offerings made available by Red Hat.
- 15.20 "Service(s)"** means Red Hat branded services offered as Subscriptions, Professional Services, Training Services, access to Red Hat Online Properties or other services offered by Red Hat.
- 15.21 "Services Term"** means the period during which you are entitled by Red Hat to use, receive access or consume a particular Red Hat Product pursuant to an Order Form or Business Partner order.
- 15.22 "Software"** means Red Hat branded software that is included in Red Hat Product offerings.
- 15.23 "Subscription"** means a time bound Red Hat Services offering, other than Professional Services.
- 15.24 "Supplier"** means a third party that provides service(s) to Red Hat in order for Red Hat to offer Services to its customers and/or Business Partners.
- 15.25 "Taxes"** means any form of taxation of whatever nature and by whatever authority imposed, including any interest, surcharges or penalties, arising from or relating to this Agreement or any Red Hat Products, other than taxes based on the net income of Red Hat.
- 15.26 "Training Services"** means access to Red Hat training courses, including online courses or courses provided at a site as may be agreed by the parties.

15.27 "Unit" means the basis upon which Fees are determined for Red Hat Products as set forth in Product Appendices or an Order Form.

15.28 "Your Products" means the Red Hat Products that you have purchased, licensed, or otherwise acquired the right to access or use.

Each party has executed this Agreement by its duly authorized representatives as of the Effective Date.

[Insert Client Name]

Red Hat, Inc.

Signature

Signature

Printed Name

Printed Name

Title

Title

Date

Date