



Purchase Agreement/Equipment and Software Maintenance Agreement

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Agreement Number

Your Business Information

Full Legal Name of Client / DBA Name of Client	Tax ID # (FEIN/TIN)
JEFFERSON CO TAX DEPT	746000291

Sold-To: Address
 525 LAKESHORE DR, PORT ARTHUR, TX, 77640-6460, US

Sold-To: Contact Name	Sold-To: Contact Phone #	Sold-To: Account #
Elisha Montiel	(409) 983-8310	0010106626

Bill-To: Address
 525 LAKESHORE DR, PORT ARTHUR, TX, 77640-6460, US

Bill-To: Contact Name	Bill-To: Contact Phone #	Bill-To: Account #	Bill-To: Email
Elisha Montiel	(409) 983-8310	0010106626	elisha.montiel@jeff.co.tx.us

Ship-To: Address
 525 LAKESHORE DR, PORT ARTHUR, TX, 77640-6460, US

Ship-To: Contact Name	Ship-To: Contact Phone #	Ship-To: Account #
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PO #

Your Business Needs

Qty	Item	Business Solution Description	Sales Type	Price
1	SENDPROCAUTO	SendPro C Auto	PURCHASE	\$ 0.00
1	1FXA	Interface to InView Dashboard	PURCHASE	\$ 0.00
1	7H00	C Series IMI Meter	RENT	\$ 47.00
1	993-4B	DM400C Return Kit - Upgrade to 9H00	PURCHASE	\$ 0.00
1	APAC	Connect+ Accounting Weight Break Reports	PURCHASE	\$ 0.00
1	APAX	Cost Acctg Accounts Level (100)	PURCHASE	\$ 0.00
1	APKN	Account List Import/Export	PURCHASE	\$ 0.00
1	C5CC	Sendpro C Auto 95	PURCHASE	\$ 2,938.42
1	CAAB	Basic Cost Accounting	RENT	\$ 0.00
1	COVER-SPCA	Protective Dust Cover - SendPro C Auto	PURCHASE	\$ 53.14
1	ME1A	Meter Equipment - C Series	PURCHASE	\$ 359.62

1	MP81	C Series Integrated Scale	PURCHASE	\$ 0.00
1	MP8110	SendPro C Series Scale Upgrade	PURCHASE	\$ 0.00
1	PAB1	C Series Premium App Bundle	PURCHASE	\$ 0.00
1	PTJ1	SendPro Online-PitneyShip	RENT	\$ 0.00
1	PTJA	SPO-PitneyShip Basic 1 User	RENT	\$ 0.00
1	PTJN	Single User Access	RENT	\$ 0.00
1	PTK1	Web Browser Integration	RENT	\$ 0.00
1	PTK2	SendPro C Series Shipping Integration	RENT	\$ 0.00
1	STDSLA	Standard SLA-Equipment Service Agreement (for SendPro C Auto)	SLA	\$ 366.35
1	ZH24	Manual Weight Entry	PURCHASE	\$ 0.00
1	ZH29	HZ03 95 LPM Speed	PURCHASE	\$ 0.00
1	ZHC5	SendPro C500 Base System Identifier	PURCHASE	\$ 0.00
1	ZHD5	USPS Rates with Metered Letter	PURCHASE	\$ 0.00
1	ZHD7	E Conf Services for Metered LTR, BDL	RENT	\$ 0.00
1	ZHWM	10lb/5kg Weighing Option for MP81	PURCHASE	\$ 1,300.89

Purchase Total**	\$ 4,652.07
Monthly Total**	\$ 47.00
Annual Total**	\$ 366.35

**Plus applicable taxes which will be applied at the time of billing.

Your Payment Plan

Quarterly Billing Total**		Annual Billing Total**	
Type	Fees	Type	Fees
Meter Services	\$ 141.00	Equipment Maintenance	\$ 366.35

Tax Exempt

- Tax Exempt Certificate Attached
- Tax Exempt Certificate Not Required
- Purchase Power® transaction fees included
- Purchase Power® transaction fees extra

Shipping and Handling \$ 0.00

Initial Term : 12 Months

**Plus applicable taxes which will be applied at the time of billing.

Your Signature Below

By signing below, you agree to be bound by all the terms and conditions of your State's/Entity's/Cooperative's contract, including the Pitney Bowes Terms, which are available at <http://www.pb.com/states> and are incorporated by reference (collectively, this "Agreement"). The terms and conditions of this Agreement will govern this transaction and be binding on us after we have completed our credit and documentation approvals process and have signed below. If software is included in the Order, additional terms apply which are available by clicking on the hyperlink for that software located at <http://www.pitneybowes.com/us/license-terms-of-use/software-and-subscription-terms-and-conditions.html>. Those additional terms are incorporated by reference.

BuyBoard #658-21 _____
State/Entity's Contract # _____

Client Signature _____
Print Name _____
Title _____
Date _____
Email Address _____

ATTEST _____
DATE _____

Sales Information

Ronald Eldemire _____ ronnie.eldemire@pb.com
Account Rep Name _____ Email Address _____

PITNEY BOWES TERMS

Thank you for choosing Pitney Bowes products and services. These Terms and the executed order (the "Order") make up your agreement with Pitney Bowes (this "Agreement"). Please read this Agreement carefully.

The below terms and conditions will apply to the purchase transaction between Jefferson County Tax Office and Pitney Bowes Inc., through its Sending Technology Solutions division, located in the United States and entered into pursuant to this Agreement.

Let's start with a few definitions that should help you better understand your agreement. "PBI" means Pitney Bowes Inc. "Pitney Bowes" means PBI and its subsidiaries. "PBGFS" means Pitney Bowes Global Financial Services LLC, a wholly-owned subsidiary of PBI, or one of its subsidiaries. "We", "our" or "us" refers to the Pitney Bowes companies with whom you've entered into the Order. "You" or "your" refers to the entity identified on the Order. "Meter" means any postage meter supplied by PBI under the Order, including (i) in the case of a Connect+®, a SendPro® P series or a SendPro C series mailing system, the postal security device that accounts for and enables postage to be purchased and printed ("PSD"), and (ii) in the case of all other mailing systems, the PSD, the user interface or keyboard and display and the print engine. "Meter Services" means access to the PSD to download, account for, and enable printing of postage within a PBI Postage Evidencing System as defined in Title 39, Part 501 of the Code of Federal Regulations ("CFR"); USPS mandated processes associated with the PSD, including registration, usage reporting and withdrawal; repair or replacement of the PSD as described in Section 33; and the Soft-Guard Program outlined in Section 35. "Equipment" means the equipment listed on the Order, excluding any Meter or standalone software. "Lease" means Lease terms and conditions set out in Sections 10 through 17. "Installment Sale" means installment sale terms and conditions set out in Sections 18 through 24.

The provisions included in these Terms consist of: (i) General Terms; (ii) Lease Terms; (iii) Installment Sale Terms; (iv) a Service Level Agreement; (v) Equipment Rental and Meter Services Terms; (vi) an Acknowledgement of Deposit required by the United States Postal Service in any transaction involving a Meter; (vii) Purchase Power® Terms for a limited purpose credit line that may be available to you; and (viii) provisions relating to specific products.

GENERAL TERMS

1. Warranties

We warrant that all PBI-branded equipment ("PBI Equipment") will be free from defects in material and workmanship and will perform according to the operator guides for a period of ninety days from the date (i) the PBI Equipment is installed at your location when PBI installs the PBI Equipment for you or (ii) the PBI Equipment is delivered to you when you can install it yourself. The DI2000™ inserting system has its own unique warranty that you can see at pitneybowes.com/us/di2000-terms.html.

- (a) A defect doesn't include the failure of rates within a rate update to conform to published rates.
- (b) We warrant that any service ("Service") we perform under the Service Level Agreement set out in Sections 25 through 30 (the "SLA") will be performed in a professional and workmanlike manner.
- (c) **YOUR SOLE REMEDY FOR A WARRANTY CLAIM IS TO HAVE US REPAIR OR REPLACE THE PBI EQUIPMENT OR, IN THE CASE OF DEFECTIVE SERVICE, REPERFORM THE SERVICE.**
- (d) There is no warranty for PBI Equipment that needs to be repaired or replaced because of any Excluded Circumstance. "Excluded Circumstance" is a circumstance outside of PBI's control, including an accident, your negligent or reckless use of the equipment, use of the equipment which exceeds our recommendations or in a way not authorized by this Agreement or any operator guide, use of the equipment in an environment with unsuitable humidity, line voltage, damage in transit, software virus, loss of data, loss or fluctuation of power, fire, flood or other

natural causes, and other external forces beyond our control, servicing of the equipment by someone other than us, failure to use required software updates, use of the equipment with any system where we have told you that we will no longer provide support or that we have advised you is no longer compatible, or use of third party supplies (such as ink), hardware or software that results in (i) damage to equipment (including damage to printheads), (ii) poor indicia, text or image print quality, (iii) indicia readability failures or (iv) a failure to print indicia, text or images.

- (e) The print engine(s), print engine components, structural components and printed circuit board assemblies supplied with or within the PBI Equipment may be reclaimed, reconditioned or remanufactured. These items are warranted to perform according to the same standards as the equivalent new item.
- (f) The warranty doesn't cover ink, integrated printhead/ink cartridges, ink rollers, toner and drum cartridges, ribbons and similar items ("**Consumable Supplies**").
- (g) **EXCEPT AS EXPRESSLY STATED IN THIS AGREEMENT, WE (ON BEHALF OF OURSELF AND OUR SUPPLIERS) MAKE NO OTHER WARRANTIES, EXPRESS OR IMPLIED, INCLUDING ANY WARRANTY OF MERCHANTABILITY OR FITNESS FOR A PARTICULAR PURPOSE AS TO THE EQUIPMENT OR SERVICES. WE MAKE NO REPRESENTATION OR WARRANTY AS TO ANY THIRD PARTY EQUIPMENT. WE AGREE TO PASS THROUGH TO YOU ALL THIRD PARTY EQUIPMENT WARRANTIES TO THE EXTENT PERMITTED.**

2. Limitation of Liability

OUR TOTAL LIABILITY (INCLUDING ANY LIABILITY OF OUR SUPPLIERS) IS LIMITED TO THE FEES PAID BY YOU FOR THE APPLICABLE EQUIPMENT OR SERVICES. NEITHER WE NOR OUR SUPPLIERS IS LIABLE FOR ANY: (I) DAMAGE YOU MAY INCUR BY REASON OF YOUR MISUSE OR NEGLIGENT USE OF THE EQUIPMENT OR YOUR NEGLIGENT ACTS OR OMISSIONS OR (II) INDIRECT, INCIDENTAL, CONSEQUENTIAL, OR PUNITIVE DAMAGES OF ANY NATURE WHATSOEVER, INCLUDING COMMERCIAL LOSS, OR LOST PROFITS, DATA OR GOODWILL, FOR ANY MATTER RELATING TO THIS AGREEMENT.

3. Default and Remedies

- (a) If you don't make any payment within 30 days of the date shown on our invoice, you breach any other obligation under this Agreement or under any other agreement with Pitney Bowes and such breach continues for thirty days after we give you notice or you become insolvent or file for bankruptcy, you will be in default and we may:
 - (i) cancel this Agreement and any other agreements Pitney Bowes has with you;
 - (ii) require you to pay to us immediately all amounts payable under the Lease, Installment Sale or other agreements, whether then due or payable in the future;
 - (iii) disable the Meter;
 - (iv) require you to return the Equipment and Meter, and delete or remove software; and deny you access to software;
 - (v) intentionally omitted;
 - (vi) charge you late charge in the amount of 6% of the total amount due for each month that your payment is late;
 - (vii) charge you a check return fee, which is currently \$25.00, for payments made by you with insufficient funds; and
 - (viii) pursue any other remedy, including repossessing the Equipment and Meter without notice to you. To the extent permitted by law, you waive any notice of our repossession or disposition of the Equipment or Meter. By repossessing the Equipment or Meter, we aren't waiving our right to collect the balance due.
- (b) intentionally omitted
- (c) We may suspend any services during any period that your account is more than thirty days past due.

4. Taxes

You agree to pay us for all applicable sales, use, property or other taxes (excluding taxes on net income) related to the Lease, Equipment rental agreement, Installment Sale agreement or Meter Services agreement based on or measured by your payments, the Equipment, Equipment location, Meter and Meter location. You will pay all taxes assessed on the Equipment and/or Meter based on our determination of the amount of all property and similar taxes to be charged to you based on our reasonable valuation of the Equipment or of the Meter, taking into consideration tax rates and depreciation. If any of these taxes are applicable, you agree to pay a tax administrative charge set by us without reference to the tax charged or services performed; such fee and charge won't exceed a total of \$35 per year for each Lease schedule or Equipment rental agreement or Meter Services agreement.

5. Embedded Software; Applications

- (a) Our Equipment may contain embedded software. For embedded software, you agree that: (i) we and our licensors own the copyrights and other intellectual property to it; (ii) you are licensed only to use it with our Equipment in which it resides; (iii) you won't copy, modify, de-compile, or attempt to unbundle, reverse engineer or create derivative works of it; and (iv) you won't distribute or disclose it (or any portion) to anyone. Technical support for embedded software will be given according to the SLA covering the Equipment with the embedded software.
- (b) Certain products and services may provide you an opportunity to access applications provided by us or a third party. These applications may have their own terms and conditions applicable to your use of the applications located within them.

6. Internet Access Point and Analog Connectivity

- (a) The internet connectivity for the Equipment or Meter may use an internet access point provided by us. You may only use this access point for connectivity between the Equipment or Meter and the internet and for no other purpose. You agree to pay all costs resulting from the use of the access point in violation of this restriction.
- (b) **IF YOU USE AN ANALOG CONNECTION FOR YOUR MAILING SYSTEM, YOU ACKNOWLEDGE THAT THE ANALOG CONNECTIVITY IS PROVIDED BY A THIRD PARTY SUPPLIER. NEITHER WE NOR OUR SUPPLIERS PROVIDE ANY WARRANTY WITH RESPECT TO THE FUNCTIONALITY OR QUALITY OF THE ANALOG CONNECTION. IF THE THIRD PARTY SUPPLIER NO LONGER PROVIDES ANALOG CONNECTION CAPABILITY, WE WON'T BE RESPONSIBLE FOR PROCURING AN ALTERNATIVE SUPPLIER AND YOU WILL HAVE TO USE A DIGITAL CONNECTION.**

7. Security Interest

You grant us a purchase money security interest in the Equipment, any replacements, and any proceeds from the sale of the Equipment, to secure payment of any balance due. We have the right to recover the Equipment if you haven't paid for it. We may file a copy of this Agreement as a financing statement with the State authorities. If you are leasing Equipment, you authorize us to file a Uniform Commercial Code financing statement naming you as debtor/lessee with respect to the Equipment in order to protect our interest in the Equipment. If you have purchased Equipment under an Installment Sale agreement, you authorize us to file a Uniform Commercial Code financing statement naming you as debtor with respect to the Equipment in order to protect our interest in the Equipment.

8. Delivery

You bear all shipping charges for physical delivery of the Equipment, Meters and software.

9. Miscellaneous

- (a) We will use your information in accordance with our Privacy Statement.

- (b) You agree to use the Equipment and Meter only for business or commercial purposes, and not for personal, family, or household purposes.
- (c) We aren't responsible for any delay or failure to perform resulting from causes outside of our control.
- (d) You may not assign this Agreement without our prior written consent. Any assignment without our consent is void.
- (e) Payments aren't subject to setoff or reduction.
- (f) **ANY LEGAL ACTION YOU FILE AGAINST US MUST BE STARTED WITHIN ONE YEAR AFTER THE EVENT GIVING RISE TO YOUR CLAIM. YOU WAIVE ANY RIGHT TO TRIAL BY JURY IN ANY ACTION RELATED TO THIS AGREEMENT.**
- (g) We can only change this Agreement if we both agree to do so in writing. You may use a purchase order to offer to obtain equipment or services but none of its provisions will modify or supersede these provisions unless we expressly agree in writing. If any provision in this Agreement is found to be invalid or unenforceable, the remaining provisions won't be affected.
- (h) Our respective rights and obligations under Sections 2 (Limitation of Liability), 3 (Default and Remedies) and 4 (Taxes) will survive termination of this Agreement.
- (i) We may deliver any notice and other communication to you under this Agreement by email to the email address that we have on file for you. You agree to the delivery of these notices and other communications by email. We may call you at any number you give to us.
- (j) This Agreement is governed by the laws of the State of Texas.
- (k) You agree that we can use your name in a client list and identify you as a client when communicating with prospective clients, in each case along with our product or service that you are using. You agree that we can use your name in marketing content, including in an advertising campaign, with your prior consent.
- (l) You agree to comply with all applicable laws and regulations, including export control laws and regulations.

LEASE TERMS – INTENTIONALLY OMITTED

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INSTALLMENT SALE TERMS - INTENTIONALLY OMITTED

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SERVICE LEVEL AGREEMENT

25. Applicability of SLA

This SLA section applies to you if we have entered into an agreement to provide service for any Equipment we lease, rent or sell on the Order, excluding any DI2000 inserting system and any PitneyShip™ Cube (the covered equipment is called “**Covered Equipment**”).

26. Service Level Options

- (a) (i) If you sign up for **Standard SLA** on the Order, PBI will provide at its option either repair or replacement services for the Covered Equipment during the Initial Service Term or any Renewal Service Term (each term as defined in Section 27) (the “**Service Term**”). You are also entitled to: (x) replacement printheads for Covered Equipment without additional charge, except for printheads which need to be replaced as a result of any Excluded Circumstance, and except for integrated printhead/ink cartridges; and (y) two preventative maintenance service calls per calendar year. PBI will notify you when preventative maintenance is due or you can request preventative maintenance service. If your Covered Equipment needs repair, PBI may provide repair by remote access, diagnostics and service and/or by on-site repair service. Repair service is provided only for damage resulting from normal wear and tear. Repair service may include the use of new, reconditioned, or remanufactured parts and assemblies. PBI will provide parts or assemblies for discontinued equipment (or equipment not marketed as new) only if available. If PBI deems it necessary, PBI will dispatch a service technician to arrive at your location for on-site service. You won't incur hourly charges unless service is performed outside Normal Working Hours, which will be done only with your consent. “**Normal Working Hours**” means 8 a.m. – 5 p.m., Monday – Friday, excluding PBI-observed U.S. holidays, in the time zone where the Equipment or other items are located.
- (ii) If PBI determines that replacement of Covered Equipment is necessary, PBI will, at no additional cost to you, promptly ship new, reconditioned, or remanufactured equipment of the same or a functionally equivalent model to replace the affected Covered Equipment. Unless PBI instructs you otherwise, within five days of receiving the replacement equipment, you must pack the Covered Equipment to be replaced in the shipping carton that contained the replacement equipment, place the pre-paid return address label on the carton, and return it to PBI. You are responsible for the Covered Equipment until PBI receives it.
- (b) If you are eligible to receive **Performance SLA** under our policies and you sign up for Performance SLA on the Order, you will be entitled to receive: (i) all coverage provided under Standard SLA; and (ii) one two-hour application consultation for your mailing and shipping needs. If PBI determines that on-site service is necessary, PBI will use commercially reasonable efforts to have a service technician on-site (during Normal Working Hours only) within 4 hours or 8 hours, as specified on the Order, after PBI has determined that it can't resolve the issue remotely (the “**Response Time Commitment**”). The Response Time Commitment relates solely to the

arrival of a technician at your location. It isn't a guaranteed resolution of the problem within the Response Time Commitment period, and it doesn't guarantee that all parts necessary to make a repair will be on-site within this time frame. The Response Time Commitment does not apply to Service designated as service by replacement, relocation services, software maintenance, preventative maintenance, operator training, or other services not essential to repair the Covered Equipment. If the Covered Equipment is moved from its original location, PBI may, at its option, remove the Response Time Commitment. If this happens, you will receive Standard SLA and we will adjust the SLA charges payable by you appropriately. If we don't meet the Response Time Commitment, we will provide you with a credit equal to the difference between the cost of Standard SLA and Performance SLA for three months. In order to receive this credit, you must use a credit request form which you can obtain from your service technician or by calling the Customer Care Center. The credits are limited to credits for four failures to meet the Response Time Commitment in any twelve-month period during the Service Term. **These remedies are your sole remedy for PBI's failure to meet the Response Time Commitment.**

27. Service Term

PBI will provide you with Service for twelve months, or if you have a Lease or Installment Sale agreement, then for the term of that agreement (as applicable, the "Initial Service Term"). **SERVICE AUTOMATICALLY RENEWS FOR CONSECUTIVE ONE YEAR TERMS (EACH A "RENEWAL SERVICE TERM") UNLESS A) YOU TERMINATE YOUR SERVICE AS PROVIDED BELOW, B) IN THE CASE OF A LEASE, THE LEASE EXPIRES OR IS TERMINATED, C) IN THE CASE OF AN INSTALLMENT SALE, THE INSTALLMENT SALE AGREEMENT IS TERMINATED BY US, OR D) THE RENEWAL IS PROHIBITED BY LAW.** If you don't wish to renew Service, you must deliver a written notice (the "Termination Notice") at least 60 days (or 30 days if you are in Wisconsin) prior to the renewal of the term to us at 2225 American Drive, Neenah, WI 54956 or you may notify us by creating a case at pitneybowes.com/us/contact-us.html (follow the instructions under "how to create a case"). Your Termination Notice must include your customer account number and agreement number (if applicable). PBI reserves the right not to renew your SLA for any reason.

28. SLA Fees

You will pay the SLA fees for the Initial Service Term and any Renewal Service Term(s). We may increase the SLA fees after the Initial Service Term, and any increases will be reflected on your invoice. If you receive service for repairs caused by any Excluded Circumstance, PBI will charge you for the service at PBI's current hourly rates and for any required parts. If you exceed the cycle volume of your Equipment specified on the Order, PBI may bill you for the additional cycles over the specified cycle volume (the additional cycles are called the "Overage"). The charge will be determined by reference to the rate in effect at the time that we determine that an Overage exists. Upon request, you will provide the cycle volume to us. If you do not provide the cycle volume to us, we will estimate the cycle volume and send an invoice to you for any Overage based on our estimate. If, in the prior quarter, we estimated cycle volume and later receive actual cycle volume, then we will make adjustments based on actual usage on your next invoice.

29. Service Changes

PBI may modify its Service by giving written notice to you (a "Service Change Notice"), which will state whether the change is material. After receiving a Service Change Notice, if the change is material, you may terminate Service by giving us a termination notice at the address indicated in Section 27 or you may create a case at pitneybowes.com/us/contact-us.html (follow the instructions under "how to create a case").

30. Additional Service Terms

You can't elect to have Service apply to some but not all of the items of Equipment. Service doesn't include services and repairs that are made necessary due to any Excluded Circumstance. Service excludes the supply of postal and carrier rate changes and Consumable Supplies. If you replace any of your Covered Equipment during the Service Term, and the replacement Equipment qualifies for Services, PBI will automatically enroll you for maintenance coverage on the new Equipment at PBI's then current

annual rates. If you acquire an attachment, or add a unit, to your Covered Equipment, PBI will provide coverage for each attachment or unit which we determine qualifies for coverage under the SLA and adjust your rate accordingly. If you choose not to continue coverage on the replacement Equipment, attachment or unit, you may cancel Service for the item within thirty days of the date of your initial invoice for the item from PBI. If you cancel, any further maintenance or repair services on the Equipment, attachment or unit will be subject to PBI's current rates. Standard SLA will apply to rented Equipment at no additional charge.

EQUIPMENT RENTAL AND METER SERVICES TERMS

31. Equipment Rental and Meter Services

- (a) If you aren't leasing the Equipment or purchasing the Equipment through an Installment Sale, we will invoice you the Equipment rental ("rental") and Meter Services fees listed on the Order. After the period listed on the Order (the "**Initial Term**"), we may increase the rental and/or Meter Services fees upon at least 30 days' prior written notice. When you receive notice of an increase, you may terminate your rental or Meter Services only as of the date the increase becomes effective.
- (b) At the end of the Initial Term, the rental term and Meter Services term will convert to successive month to month extensions. You may choose to cancel the month to month extensions at any time by giving us 30 days' written notice to the address in Section 27 or create a case at pitneybowes.com/us/contact-us.html (follow the instructions under "how to create a case"). Upon expiration of the term of the rental or Meter Services, you agree to return Equipment and Meters covered by the rental and Meter Services agreement in their original condition, reasonable wear and tear excepted.

32. Postage

You may transfer funds to The Pitney Bowes Bank, Inc. (the "**Bank**") for deposit into your Reserve Account that you maintain with the Bank (your "**Reserve Account**") or you may transfer funds to the United States Postal Service (the "**USPS**") through a lockbox bank (a "**Lockbox Bank**"). See the "USPS Acknowledgment of Deposit" below for more information. Until the end of the Initial Term, we may charge you a fee of up to \$15.00 for refilling your postage. After the Initial Term, we may increase postage refill fees upon 30 days prior written notice. If you participate in any PBI, PBGFS, or Bank postage advance programs (such as Purchase Power), we will advance payment on your behalf to the USPS, subject to repayment by you under the terms of the postage advance program and billed separately from your Meter Services fees.

33. Meter Repair or Replacement; Meter Care and Risk of Loss

If the Meter malfunctions or fails due to reasons other than an Excluded Circumstance, we will repair or replace the Meter. You agree to take proper care of the Meter(s), as stated in this Agreement and any user documentation. You assume all risk of loss or damage to the Meter(s) while you have possession.

34. Terms of Use of Meter; Federal Regulations

- (a) You may use the Meter solely for the purpose of processing your mail, provided that you are authorized by the USPS to use the Meter, and that you comply with (i) this Agreement, (ii) any operator guide and (iii) all USPS regulations. You agree to use only attachments or printing devices authorized by us. You must receive our written consent before moving the Equipment or Meter to a different location. Federal regulations require that we own the Meter. Tampering with or misusing the Meter is a violation of federal law. Activities of the USPS, including the payment of refunds for postage by the USPS to clients, will be made in accordance with the current Domestic Mail Manual. If (i) the Meter is used in any unlawful scheme, (ii) isn't used for any consecutive 12 month period, (iii) you take the Meter or allow the Meter to be taken outside the United States without proper written permission of USPS Headquarters, (iv) you enter a series of unpaid or short-paid mail pieces and/or packages in the mail stream, (v) you offer, sell or allow the use of the shipping rates that we offer to you under this Agreement to or by any other party, (vi) you are in possession of a decertified system, or (vii) you otherwise fail to abide by the postal regulations

and this Agreement regarding care and use of the Meter, then this Agreement and any related Meter Services agreement may be revoked. You acknowledge that any use of a Meter that fraudulently deprives the USPS of revenue can cause you to be subject to civil and criminal penalties applicable to fraud and/or false claims against the United States. The submission of a false or fraudulent statement can result in imprisonment of up to 5 years and fines of up to \$10,000 (18 U.S.C. 1001) and a civil penalty of up to \$5,000 plus an assessment of twice the amount falsely claimed (3 U.S.C. 3802). The mailing of matter bearing a fraudulent postage meter imprint is an example of a violation of these statutes. You are responsible for immediately reporting (within 72 hours or less) the theft or loss of the Meter to us. Failure to comply with this notification provision in a timely manner may result in the denial of refund of any funds remaining on the Meter at the time of loss or theft. You understand that the rules and regulations regarding the use of this Meter as documented in the Domestic Mail Manual may be updated from time to time by the USPS and it is your obligation to comply with any rules and regulations regarding its use.

(b) You agree that you will not offer, sell or allow the use of the shipping rates that we offer to you under this Agreement to or by any other party.

(c) **HAZMAT Requirement.** You acknowledge that the USPS has implemented standards and requirements for shipment of parcels containing hazardous materials, including Publication 52, New Mailing Standards for the Separation of Hazardous Materials (87 Federal Register 34197), as well as replacement or supplemental regulations, and you agree to comply with all rules and regulations implemented by the USPS relating to handling of shipments of parcels containing hazardous materials, including labeling, packaging, and separation in the tendering of parcels to the USPS.

(d) **USPS Privacy Act Statement.** Your information will be used to facilitate the purchase of USPS postage and fulfill transactional reporting requirements for USPS postage systems. Collection is authorized by 39 U.S.C. 401, 403, and 404. Providing the information is voluntary, but if not provided, your transaction may not be processed. USPS does not disclose your information to third parties without your consent, except to facilitate the transaction, to act on your behalf or request, or as legally required. This includes the following limited circumstances: to a congressional office on your behalf; to financial entities regarding financial transaction issues; to a USPS auditor; to entities, including law enforcement, as required by law or in legal proceedings; and to contractors and other entities aiding us to fulfill the service (service providers). For more information regarding USPS privacy policies, visit www.usps.com/privacypolicy.

35. Rate Updates and Soft-Guard® Program

Your Meter or Equipment may require periodic rate updates that you will obtain under our Soft-Guard program. We will provide rate updates only if required due to a postal or carrier change in rate, service, ZIP Code™ or zone change. The Soft-Guard program doesn't cover any change in rates due to custom rate changes, new classes of carrier service, or a change in ZIP Code or zone due to equipment relocation. We won't be responsible for any losses arising out of or resulting from the failure of rating or software downloads to conform to published rates.

36. Collection of Information

You authorize us to access and download information from your Meter or from your PC Postage account. We may disclose this information to the USPS or other authorized governmental entity. We won't share with any third parties (except the USPS or other governmental entity) individually identifiable information that we obtain about you in this manner unless required to by law or court order. We may elect to share aggregate data about our clients' postage usage with third parties.

37. Value Based Services

Value based services are services the USPS provides, including e-Return Receipt and USPS Confirmation Services. Any fees the USPS charges for these services are your responsibility to pay for and are payable the same way that you pay for postage. The USPS is solely responsible for its services. We are not responsible for any malfunctions of any part of the communication link connecting the Meter with the USPS data system. We have the right to terminate the value-based services if the USPS

discontinues offering the service or you breach your obligations under this Agreement and fail to cure the breach within thirty days after you have been notified in writing.

USPS ACKNOWLEDGEMENT OF DEPOSIT

38. Acknowledgement of Deposit

This section of the agreement provides you with the sections that the USPS requires we include in any agreement where we are providing Meter Services. The USPS requires that we use specific language. The "acknowledgement of deposit" terms are as follows:

- (a) In connection with your use of a Postage Evidencing System, you may transfer funds to the USPS through a Lockbox Bank for the purpose of prepayment of postage on Postage Evidencing Systems, generating evidence of postage (a "**Deposit**"), or you may transfer funds to the Bank for deposit into your Reserve Account.
- (b) To the extent you deposit funds in advance of the use of any evidence of postage, you may make Deposits in the Lockbox Bank account identified as "United States Postal Service CMRS-PB" or make deposits in your Reserve Account, in either case through electronic means, including Automated Clearinghouse Transfers. The USPS may, at its discretion, designate itself or a successor as recipient of Deposits made by you to the Lockbox Bank account described above.
- (c) Any deposit made by you in your Reserve Account is subject to the Reserve Account – Agreement and Disclosure Statement governing your Reserve Account.
- (d) Any Deposit made by you in the Lockbox Bank account shall be credited by the USPS only for the payment of evidence of postage. Such Deposits may be commingled with Deposits of other clients. You shall not receive or be entitled to any interest or other income earned on such Deposits.
- (e) The USPS will provide a refund to you for the remaining account balances of Deposits held by the USPS. These refunds are provided in accordance with the rules and regulations governing deposit of funds for evidence of postage, published in the CFR.
- (f) The Lockbox Bank, which shall collect funds on behalf of the USPS, shall provide PBI, on each business day, information as to the amount of each Deposit made to the USPS by you, so that PBI can update its records.
- (g) PBI may deposit funds on your behalf. The USPS will make no advances of funds to you. Any relationship concerning advances of funds is between you and PBI, PBGFS and/or the Bank.
- (h) You acknowledge that the terms of this Acknowledgement may be changed, modified, or revoked by the USPS, with appropriate notice.
- (i) Postal Regulations governing the deposit of funds are published in the CFR or its successor. You acknowledge that you shall be subject to all applicable rules, regulations, and orders of the USPS, including future changes to such rules, regulations, and orders, and such additional terms and conditions as may be determined in accordance with applicable law. The USPS rules, regulations, and orders shall prevail in the event of any conflict with any other terms and conditions applicable to any Deposit.

PURCHASE POWER TERMS – INTENTIONALLY OMITTED

39. Purchase Power Program – N/A

PRODUCT SPECIFIC TERMS

40. Software

You are acquiring on-demand subscription services, additional terms apply which are available by clicking on the hyperlink for that subscription service located at pitneybowes.com/us/license-terms-of-use/software-and-subscription-terms-and-conditions.html. Those additional terms are incorporated by reference. For the avoidance of doubt, the on-demand subscription services agreement is governed by the laws of the State of Texas.

41. DI2000 Inserting System Terms

Certain provisions which apply when you purchase, lease or rent a DI2000 inserting system and when you purchase a service plan for it are set forth at pitneybowes.com/us/di2000-terms.html and are incorporated by reference. Those provisions govern to the extent that they are inconsistent with the other terms of this Agreement.

42. PBBackup and PC-Backup Service Terms

Certain provisions which apply when you utilize the PBBackup or PC-Backup services are set forth at pitneybowes.com/us/pbbackup-service-and-pcbackup-service-terms.html and are incorporated by reference.

43. Lockers

If you are acquiring lockers, your Order may include on-demand subscription services and a statement of work. We are not responsible for the contents of the lockers. If we provide on-site service, one of your employees must accompany our service technician at all times during the service. You are solely responsible for selecting the location for the installation of the lockers, and for the safety and security of the individuals using the lockers.

44. AddressRight® Printers

Certain provisions which apply when you purchase, lease or rent an AddressRight Printer are set forth at pitneybowes.com/us/addressrightprinter-terms.html and are incorporated by reference. Those provisions govern to the extent that they are inconsistent with the other terms of this Agreement.

45. PitneyShip™ Cube

Certain provisions which apply when you purchase a service plan for PitneyShip Cube are set forth at pitneybowes.com/us/pitneyshipcube-service-terms and are incorporated by reference.

Jefferson County Tax Office

Pitney Bowes Inc., through its Sending Technology Solutions division

By: _____

By: Ronnie Eldemire
Ronnie Eldemire

Name: _____

Name: _____
Major Account Manager

Title: _____

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