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REFERENCES

PART 1 - GENERAL

1.1 DEFINITIONS

- A. "Acceptance", "acceptable", or words of similar import: Acceptance, acceptable or similar words shall be as determined by Architect.
- B. "Approved": When used to convey Architect's action on Contractor's submittals, applications, and requests, "approved" is limited to Architect's duties and responsibilities as stated in the Conditions of the Contract. Approval does not release Contractor from responsibility to fulfill Contract Document requirements.
- C. "At no extra cost to Owner", "With no extra compensation to Contractor", "At Contractor's own expense", or words of similar import: Terms shall be understood to mean that Contractor shall perform or provide specified operation of Work at no increase to Contract Sum stated in executed Contract.
- D. "Directed": A command or instruction by Architect. Other terms including "requested," "authorized," "selected," "required," and "permitted" have the same meaning as "directed."
- E. "Furnish": Supply and deliver to Project site, ready for unloading, unpacking, assembly, installation, and similar operations.
- F. "Indicated": Requirements expressed by graphic representations or in written form on Drawings, in Specifications, and in other Contract Documents. Other terms including "shown," "noted," "scheduled," and "specified" have the same meaning as "indicated." No limitation on location is intended except as specifically noted.
- G. "Install": Operations at Project site including unloading, temporarily storing, unpacking, assembling, erecting, placing, anchoring, applying, working to dimension, finishing, curing, protecting, cleaning, and similar operations.
- H. "Installer" is entity engaged by Contractor, either as employee, subcontractor or sub-subcontractor for performance of a construction activity, including installation, erection, application and similar operations. Installers are required to be experienced in operations they are engaged to perform. Term "experienced", when used with term "installer", means having minimum five previous projects similar in size and scope to this Project, and familiar with precautions required, and has complied with requirements of authority having jurisdiction.
- I. "NIC": Work of this Project which is not being performed or provided as part of Contract; term shall mean "Not in This Contract" or "Not Part of Work to be Performed or Provided by Contractor". "NIC" work is indicated as aid to Contractor in scheduling amount of time and materials necessary for completion of Contract.

- J. "Other acceptable manufacturer", "equal", "acceptable equal", "equivalent", or words of similar import: It shall be understood that words are followed by expression "at sole discretion of Architect" even though words may not appear in print.
- K. "Perform": Contractor, at his own expense, shall perform operations necessary to complete Work, including furnishing of necessary labor, tools and equipment, and further including and installing of materials indicated, specified or required to complete performance.
- L. "Project Site" is space available to Contractor for performance of Work, either exclusively or in conjunction with others performing construction as part of Project. Extent of Project Site is shown on Contract Drawings and may or may not be identical with description of land upon which Project is to be built.
- M. "Provide": Contractor, at his own expense, shall furnish and install work complete in place and ready for use, including furnishing of necessary labor, materials, tools, equipment and transportation. Definitions apply same to future, present and past tenses, except word "provided" may mean "contingent upon" where context is apparent.
- N. "Regulations": Laws, ordinances, statutes, and lawful orders issued by authorities having jurisdiction, and rules, conventions, and agreements within the construction industry that control performance of the Work.
- O. "Require" and words of similar import: As required to complete Work and as required by Architect.
- P. "Testing Laboratory" is independent entity engaged to perform specific inspections or tests, either at Project Site or elsewhere, and to report on, and if required, to interpret results of those inspections or tests.

1.2 SPECIFICATION SENTENCE STRUCTURE

- A. Specifications are written in modified brief style. In general, words "the", "a", "an", "shall", "shall be", and "all" are not used. Requirements indicated and specified apply to work of same kind, class, and type even though word "all" is not stated.
- B. Simple imperative mood of sentence structure is used in Specification Sections which places verb as first word in sentence. Where "perform", "provide", "install", "erect", "furnish", "connect", "test", or words of similar import are used, it shall be understood that words include meanings of phrase "Contractor Shall..." before words.
- C. Standard paragraph titles and other identifications of subject matter in Specifications are intended as aid in locating and recognizing various requirements in Specifications. Titles do not define, limit or otherwise restrict Specifications text. Capitalizing of words in text does not signify or mean that words convey special or unique meanings having precedence over other parts of Contract Documents. Specification text shall govern over titling and shall be understood to be interpreted as a whole.

1.3 DOCUMENT ORGANIZATION

- A. Organization of Project Manual and Contract Drawings are not intended to control or to lessen responsibility of Contractor in dividing Work among his subcontractors, or in establishing extent of work to be performed by each trade.

1.4 SYMBOLS

- A. Graphic symbols used in Contract Documents are those symbols recognized in construction industry for indicated purposes. Where not otherwise noted, symbols are those defined in "Architectural Graphics Standards", published by John Wiley & Sons, Inc., Eighth Edition.
- B. Graphic symbols used on mechanical and electrical drawings are generally aligned with symbols recommended by ASHRAE. Where appropriate, mechanical and electrical symbols are supplemented by more specific symbols recommended by technical associations including ASME, ASPE, IEEE, and similar organizations. Request clarification from Architect if symbols are unfamiliar.

1.5 REFERENCE STANDARDS

- A. Applicability of Standards: Unless the Contract Documents include more stringent requirements, applicable construction industry standards have the same force and effect as if bound or copied directly into the Contract Documents to the extent referenced. Such standards are made a part of the Contract Documents by reference.
 - 1. When conflict exists between requirements of reference standards and Contract Documents, request clarification from Architect before proceeding.
- B. Publication Dates: Comply with standards in effect as of date of the Contract Documents unless otherwise indicated.
- C. Copies of Standards: Each entity engaged in construction on Project should be familiar with industry standards applicable to its construction activity. Copies of applicable standards are not bound with the Contract Documents.
 - 1. Make reference standards available as requested or required by Architect or Owner. Maintain copies of standard at project site throughout construction period.
 - 2. Where copies of standards are needed to perform a required construction activity, obtain copies directly from publication source.

1.6 ABBREVIATIONS AND ACRONYMS

- A. Language used on Drawings and in Specifications is of the abbreviated type in certain instances and implies abbreviations listed on the Drawings.
- B. Code Agencies: Where abbreviations and acronyms are used in Specifications or other Contract Documents, they shall mean the recognized name of the entity.

- C. Standards and Regulations: Where abbreviations and acronyms are used in Specifications or other Contract Documents, they shall mean the recognized name of the standards and regulations.
- D. State Government Agencies: Where abbreviations and acronyms are used in Specifications or other Contract Documents, they shall mean the recognized name of the entity.

PART 2 - PRODUCTS
Not used.

PART 3 - EXECUTION
Not used.

END OF SECTION