

This is **EXHIBIT H**, consisting of 1 pages, referred to in and part of the **Agreement between Owner and Engineer for Professional Services** dated March 7, 2017.

## **Dispute Resolution**

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Paragraph 6.08 of the Agreement is amended and supplemented to include the following agreement of the parties:

### **H6.08 *Dispute Resolution***

- A. Owner and Engineer agree that they shall first submit any and all unsettled claims, counterclaims, disputes and other matters in question between them arising out of or relating to this Agreement or the breach thereof ("disputes"), to mediation by a mutually agreed upon mediator. After a written demand for non-binding mediation, which shall specify the nature of the dispute, and within thirty (30) days from the date of selection of the mediator, the matter shall be submitted to the mediator for consideration. The mediator will provide an informal opinion and advice, none of which shall be binding upon the parties. The mediator's fee shall be shared equally by the parties. If the dispute has not been resolved, the matter may then be considered by other methods of dispute resolution.
- B. The Owner and the Engineer further agree to include a similar mediation provision in all agreements with independent contractors and consultants retained for the project and to require all independent contractors and consultants also to include a similar mediation provision in all agreements with subcontractors, subconsultants, suppliers or fabricators so retained, thereby providing for mediation as the primary method for dispute resolution between the parties to those agreements.

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