UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

WASHINGTON, D.C. 20549

FORM 8-K

CURRENT REPORT

Pursuant to Section 13 or 15(d) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934

Date of Report (Date of earliest event reported): June 12, 2023

Sarcos Technology and Robotics Corporation

(Exact name of Registrant as Specified in Its Charter)

Delaware	001-39897	85-2838301
(State or Other Jurisdiction of Incorporation)	(Commission File Number)	(IRS Employer Identification No.)
650 South 500 West, Suite 150		
Salt Lake City, Utah		84101
(Address of Principal Executive Offices)		(Zip Code)

Registrant's Telephone Number, Including Area Code: (888) 927-7296

(Former Name or Former Address, if Changed Since Last Report)

ck the appropriate box below if the Form 8-K filing is intended to simultaneously satisfy the filing obligation of the registrant under any of the owing provisions:
Written communications pursuant to Rule 425 under the Securities Act (17 CFR 230.425)
Soliciting material pursuant to Rule 14a-12 under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.14a-12)
Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 14d-2(b) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.14d-2(b))
Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 13e-4(c) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.13e-4(c))
Securities registered pursuant to Section 12(b) of the Act:

	Trading	
Title of each class	Symbol(s)	Name of each exchange on which registered
Common Stock, par value \$0.0001 per share	STRC	The Nasdaq Stock Market LLC
Redeemable warrants, exercisable for shares of Common	STRCW	The Nasdaq Stock Market LLC
Stock at an exercise price of \$11.50 per share		

Indicate by check mark whether the registrant is an emerging growth company as defined in Rule 405 of the Securities Act of 1933 (§ 230.405 of this chapter) or Rule 12b-2 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 (§ 240.12b-2 of this chapter).

Emerging growth company ⊠

If an emerging growth company, indicate by check mark if the registrant has elected not to use the extended transition period for complying with any new or revised financial accounting standards provided pursuant to Section 13(a) of the Exchange Act. \Box

Item 5.02 Departure of Directors or Certain Officers; Election of Directors; Appointment of Certain Officers; Compensatory Arrangements of Certain Officers.

Allgood Separation Agreement

As previously disclosed by Sarcos Technology and Robotics Corporation (the "Company") in a current report on Form 8-K filed on May 17, 2023, Kiva Allgood ceased to be Chief Executive Officer of the Company and its subsidiaries (together, the "Company Group") on May 11, 2023, and ceased to be employed by the Company Group on May 12, 2023 (the "Separation Date"). In furtherance of the terms of Ms. Allgood's employment agreement with the Company and Sarcos Corp. effective as of December 13, 2021 ("the Allgood Employment Agreement"), the Company, Sarcos Corp., and Ms. Allgood have entered into a Separation Agreement and Release (the "Allgood Separation Agreement"), that became effective on June 15, 2023. Pursuant to the Allgood Separation Agreement, Ms. Allgood will receive the following benefits, which include payments in full satisfaction of the severance benefits provided by the Allgood Employment Agreement:

- a lump sum severance payment equal to twelve (12) months of Ms. Allgood's base salary, for a total of \$473,000.17, less applicable withholdings;
- direct payment of the premium costs to continue health coverage for Ms. Allgood and her dependents under the Consolidated Omnibus Reconciliation Act of 1985 as amended, or COBRA, or taxable monthly payments in lieu thereof equal to such premium costs, in either case, for up to twelve (12) months following the Separation Date, unless her and her dependents become covered under similar plans or are no longer eligible for continuation coverage under COBRA;
- a lump sum payment equal to \$28,000, less applicable withholdings, representing the housing stipend otherwise payable under the Allgood Employment Agreement for the months of June, July, August and September 2023;
- a lump sum automobile lease termination payment equal to \$7,833.70, less applicable withholdings; and
- a relocation reimbursement up to a maximum aggregate amount of \$21,945, less applicable withholdings, for expenses incurred in connection with Ms. Allgood's post-termination relocation.

In exchange for these benefits, Ms. Allgood has agreed to a general release of the Company and its affiliates, and the other terms of the Allgood Separation Agreement.

The foregoing description of the Allgood Separation Agreement is qualified in its entirety by the full text of the Allgood Separation Agreement filed herewith as Exhibit 10.1 and incorporated herein by reference.

Garagić Employment Agreement

The Company and Sarcos Corp.entered into an employment agreement (the "Garagić Employment Agreement") with Denis Garagić, the Company's Chief Technology Officer, entered into as of June 12, 2023, which supersedes the Promotion Agreement, effective as of January 29, 2022, between Mr. Garagić and the Company.

The Garagić Employment Agreement does not have a specific term and provides that Mr. Garagić is an at-will employee. Pursuant to the Garagić Employment Agreement, Mr. Garagić is entitled to an initial base salary of approximately \$337,050 per year and is eligible to receive an annual target bonus of 35% of Mr. Garagić's then-current annual base salary.

If, within the period beginning three months before and ending 12 months after a change in control (the "Change in Control Period"), Mr. Garagić's employment is terminated without "cause" (excluding by reason of death or "disability") or Mr. Garagić resigns for "good reason" (as such terms are defined in the Garagić Employment Agreement), Mr. Garagić will become entitled to the following benefits:

- a lump-sum payment equal to 6 months of his annual base salary at the highest rate in effect during the term of the Garagić Employment Agreement;
- a lump-sum payment equal to 100% of his target annual bonus as in effect for the fiscal year in which his termination of employment occurs or, if such amount is greater, as in effect for the fiscal year in which the change in control occurs; provided, in either case, the Company has not previously paid Mr. Garagić a bonus corresponding to such fiscal year;
- reimbursement for the premium costs to continue health coverage under the Consolidated Omnibus Reconciliation Act of 1985 as amended, or COBRA, or taxable monthly payments in lieu thereof equal to such premium costs, in either case, for up to 6 months following his termination date; and
- 100% accelerated vesting of all outstanding equity awards with performance-based vesting assuming all performance criteria had been achieved at target levels, unless otherwise specified in the award agreements governing such equity awards, and 100% accelerated vesting of all other outstanding equity awards.

If, outside the Change in Control Period, Mr. Garagić's employment is terminated without cause (excluding by reason of death or disability) or Mr. Garagić resigns for good reason, Mr. Garagić will become entitled to the following benefits:

- continued payment of his annual base salary at the highest rate in effect during the term of the Garagić Employment Agreement for a period
 of 6 months following his termination date; and
- reimbursement for the premium costs to continue health coverage under COBRA, or taxable monthly payments in lieu thereof equal to such premium costs, in either case, for up to 6 months following his termination date.

The receipt of the payments and benefits above is conditioned on Mr. Garagić's timely signing of a separation and release of claims agreement with the Company in a form reasonably acceptable to the Company, and complying with his confidentiality agreement.

In addition, if any of the payments or benefits provided for under the Garagić Employment Agreement or otherwise payable to Mr. Garagić would constitute "parachute payments" within the meaning of Section 280G of the Code, and would be subject to the related excise tax, he would be entitled to receive either full payment of such payments and benefits or such lesser amount that would result in no portion of the payments and benefits being subject to the excise tax, whichever results in the greater amount of after-tax benefits to him. Mr. Garagić's employment agreement does not require us to provide any tax gross-up payments to him.

The foregoing description of the Garagić Employment Agreement is qualified in its entirety by the full text of the Garagić Employment Agreement filed herewith as Exhibit 10.2 and incorporated herein by reference.

Item 5.07 Submission of Matters to a Vote of Security Holders.

On June 14, 2023, the Company held its Annual Meeting. At the Annual Meeting, 106,334,724 shares of the Company's common stock, or approximately 69% of the total shares entitled to vote, were present in person or by proxy and voted on the following proposals, which are described in more detail in the Company's definitive proxy statement filed with the United States Securities and Exchange Commission (the "SEC") on April 28, 2023:

Proposal One - Election of Class II Directors. The following nominees were elected as Class II directors to hold office until our 2026 annual meeting of stockholders and until their respective successors are elected and qualified.

Nominee	For	Withhold	Broker Non-Votes
Matthew Shigenobu Muta	83,885,787	3,318,606	19,130,331
Laura J. Peterson	84,500,422	2,703,971	19,130,331
Dennis Weibling	82,861,669	4,342,724	19,130,331

Proposal Two - Ratification of Appointment of Independent Registered Public Accounting Firm. The appointment of Ernst & Young LLP as the Company's independent registered public accounting firm for the Company's fiscal year ending December 31, 2023 was ratified.

For	Against	Withhold	Broker Non-Votes
106,289,066	21,915	23,743	<u> </u>

Proposal Three – Approval of the Reverse Stock Split Proposal. The authorization and approval of the proposed amendments to the Company's Amended and Restated Certificate of Incorporation to effect a reverse stock split and reduce the total number of authorized shares of common stock.

For	Against	Withhold	Broker Non-Votes
105,861,969	466,256	6,499	_

Item 9.01 (d) Exhibits.

Financial Statements and Exhibits.

Exhibit Number	Description
10.1	Separation Agreement, effective as of June 15, 2023, by and between Kiva Allgood, Sarcos Technology and Robotics
	Corporation and Sarcos Corp.
10.2	Employment Agreement, entered into as of June 12, 2023, by and between Denis Garagić, Sarcos Technology and Robotics
	Corporation and Sarcos Corp.
104	Cover Page Interactive Data File (formatted as Inline XBRL)

SIGNATURES

Pursuant to the requirements of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, the registrant has duly caused this report to be signed on its behalf by the undersigned thereunto duly authorized.

Sarcos Technology and Robotics Corporation

Date: June 16, 2023 By: /s/ Andrew Hamer

Name: Andrew Hamer

Title: Chief Financial Officer

SEPARATION AGREEMENT AND RELEASE

This Separation Agreement and Release ("Agreement") is entered into on the last date indicated on the signature page hereof by and between Kiva Allgood ("Employee") and Sarcos Technology and Robotics Corporation ("Parent") and Sarcos Corp. (the "Company") (collectively referred to as the "Parties" or individually referred to as a "Party"), and which will become effective as set forth below.

RECITALS

WHEREAS, Employee signed an Employment Agreement with Parent and the Company effective as of December 13, 2021 (the "Employment Agreement") (Company and Parent, together with their respective subsidiaries and affiliates, the "Company Group");

WHEREAS, Employee signed an Employee Intellectual Property Agreement with the Company effective December 13, 2021 (the "Confidentiality Agreement");

WHEREAS, Employee and Parent have entered into certain Restricted Stock Unit award agreements ("RSU Agreements") granting the Employee certain awards of restricted stock units with respect to the shares of the Parent's common stock ("RSUs"), and certain option award agreements ("Option Agreements") pursuant to which Employee was granted options to purchase shares of the Parent's common stock ("Options"), each pursuant to Parent's 2021 Equity Incentive Plan (the "Plan" and together with the RSU Agreements and the Option Agreements, the "Equity Documents");

WHEREAS, the Employee separated not for "Cause" or "Good Reason" (each as defined in the Employment Agreement) from employment with the Company on May 12, 2023 (the "Separation Date"); and

WHEREAS, the Parties wish to resolve any and all disputes, claims, complaints, grievances, charges, actions, petitions, and demands that the Employee may have against the Company Group and any of the Releasees as defined below, including, but not limited to, any and all claims arising out of or in any way related to Employee's relationship with or separation from Parent and the Company;

NOW, THEREFORE, in consideration of the mutual promises made herein, the Parties hereby agree as follows:

COVENANTS

- 1. <u>Consideration</u>. In consideration of and contingent on Employee's execution of this Agreement, this Agreement going into effect, and Employee's fulfillment of all of its terms and conditions, the Company agrees to provide the severance and benefits set forth under Sections 1(a) and (b) below, on behalf of itself and the Parent:
- a. *Severance Payment*. The Company agrees to pay Employee a lump sum equivalent to twelve (12) months of Employee's base salary, for a total of Four Hundred Seventy-Three Thousand Dollars and Seventeen Cents (\$473,000.17), less applicable withholdings. This payment will be made to Employee by the later of (i) ten (10) business days after the Effective Date (as defined below) and (ii) the first regular payroll of the Company after the Effective Date, the date of such payment being the "Payment Date."
- b. *COBRA Reimbursement*. The Company shall directly pay the premiums for Employee's COBRA coverage on a monthly basis to continue group health insurance benefits for Employee and Employee's eligible dependents under the Company's group health plan (each such monthly reimbursement, a "Company COBRA Payment") until the earlier of (i) a period of twelve (12) months following the Separation Date, (ii) the date upon which Employee and/or Employees' eligible dependents becomes covered under

similar plans or (iii) the date upon which Employee ceases to be eligible for coverage under COBRA. Any Company COBRA Payment is conditioned on Employee timely electing continuation coverage pursuant to the Consolidated Omnibus Budget Reconciliation Act of 1985, as amended ("COBRA"), within the time period prescribed pursuant to COBRA (and executes any documentation needed for the Company's payment of the COBRA premiums). Notwithstanding the preceding, if the Company determines in its sole discretion that it cannot provide COBRA payment benefits without potentially violating applicable law (including, without limitation, Section 2716 of the Public Health Service Act), the Company will instead provide the Employee a taxable payment in an amount equal to the monthly COBRA premium that Employee would be required to pay to continue Employee's group health coverage in effect on the date of Employee's termination of employment (which amount will be based on the premium for the first month of COBRA coverage), which payments will be made regardless of whether the Employee elects COBRA continuation coverage and will commence in the month following the month of the Separation Date and end on the earlier of (x) the date upon which Employee obtains other employment or (y) the date the Company has paid an amount equal to twelve (12) payments. For the avoidance of doubt, the taxable payments in lieu of COBRA premiums may be used for any purpose, including, but not limited to continuation coverage under COBRA, and will be subject to all applicable tax withholdings. Notwithstanding anything to the contrary under this Agreement, if at any time the Company determines in its sole discretion that it cannot provide the payments contemplated by the preceding sentence without violating applicable law (including, without limitation, Section 2716 of the Public Health Service Act), Employee will not receive such payment or any reimbursements or any payment on her behalf for COBRA premiums.

- c. *Lease Termination Payments*. In recognition of the expenses incurred or to be incurred by Employee in connection with leases entered into by Employee for housing in Utah in order to provide services to the Company in Utah at the Company's request, the Company agrees to pay Employee a lump sum cash payment equal to \$28,000 representing the sum of Employee's housing stipend of \$7,000 per month for the months of June, July, August and September 2023, less applicable withholdings. This payment will be made to Employee on the Payment Date. In recognition of the expenses incurred or to be incurred by Employee in connection with terminating the lease of an automobile in Utah in connection with her time in Utah at the Company's request, the Company agrees to pay Employee a lump sum cash payment of \$7,833.70, less applicable withholdings, on the Payment Date.
- d. Relocation Reimbursement. In recognition of the expenses to be incurred by Employee in connection with Employee's relocation back to California following termination of employment, the Company agrees to reimburse Employee for the reasonable costs incurred and paid by Employee for relocation of Employee and Employee's personal property from Salt Lake City, Utah to her residence in San Diego, California up to a maximum aggregate amount of \$16,500 (the "Maximum Reimbursable Amount") plus 33% of the Maximum Reimbursable Amount (such sum being the "Maximum Relocation Payment"). The each payment under this Section 1.d. shall be subject to applicable withholdings and shall be paid within fifteen (1) business days of the Company receiving a copy of the invoice(s) for such paid relocation services and shall be in a gross (i.e., before withholdings) amount equal to 133% of the applicable paid relocation cost provided that aggregate gross payments under this Section 1.d. shall not exceed the Maximum Relocation Payment. In order to be eligible to receive the Relocation Payment, Employee must incur the applicable relocation expenses and substantiate the same in writing (by valid receipts or any other reasonable method of invoicing, showing proof of payment for an eligible relocation cost) submitted no later than February 15, 2024. No relocation reimbursement will be paid under this Section 1.d after March 15, 2024. For avoidance of doubt, Employee's expenses with respect to leases entered into by Employee for housing and an automobile in Utah will not be reimbursable under this Section 1.d.

e. *Acknowledgement*. Employee acknowledges that without this Agreement, Employee is otherwise not entitled to the consideration listed in this Section 1. The Company and Parent do not intend to challenge Employee's eligibility for unemployment benefits (nothing herein, however, prevents Company or Parent from providing truthful responses or information to the unemployment agency). Employee acknowledges that other than the consideration set forth herein, Employee is not and will not be entitled to any other severance or other payments or benefits from the Company, Parent, or any other entity in the Company Group, whether under the Employment Agreement or otherwise.

2. Stock.

- a. Employee acknowledges that vesting under the Equity Documents ceased as of the Separation Date in accordance with the terms thereof.
- b. The Parties agree that (i) Employee is vested in and shall have until August 12, 2023, to exercise the following Options subject to the terms and conditions of the applicable Equity Documents, (ii) all other Options terminated without vesting on the Separation Date and Employee has no right to exercise such unvested options; and (iii) any of such vested Options that remain unexercised as of 5:00 p.m. Mountain Time on August 12, 2023 shall be cancelled and Employee shall have no further right to exercise such options after such cancellation.

Grant Date	<u>Vested Shares</u>
December 13, 2021	212,585

- c. The Parties agree that Employee's Options and RSUs, as well as the shares acquired thereunder, shall continue to be governed by the terms and conditions of the applicable Equity Documents. Employee hereby acknowledges that she has received a copy of such agreements and understands the terms and conditions thereof, including those related to the exercise and expiration of Options.
- d. Employee agrees to comply with any lock-up restrictions applicable to any shares of Parent stock owned or acquired by her, including those in any agreement entered into by Employee and those contained in Parent's bylaws.
- 3. <u>Resignation</u>. Employee hereby confirms her resignation on May 15, 2023 from Parent's Board of Directors and, to the extent she has not yet been removed from any other positions with the Company Group, hereby resigns from all positions at the Company Group. Employee agrees to promptly execute any instruments, forms or other documents evidencing such resignations. Employee hereby acknowledges and affirms that the foregoing resignations are final and irrevocable, and that in the event she should elect to otherwise revoke this Agreement pursuant to Sections 7 and 28 below, she will have still resigned from all such positions.
- 4. <u>Benefits</u>. Employee's health insurance benefits ceased on May 31, 2023, subject to Employee's right to continue Employee's health insurance under COBRA. Employee's participation in all benefits and incidents of employment, including vesting in equity awards as described above, ceased as of the Separation Date.
- 5. <u>Payment of Salary and Receipt of All Benefits</u>. Employee acknowledges and represents that, other than the consideration set forth in this Agreement, Parent or the Company (or as applicable, any other entity in the Company Group), has paid or provided (to the extent applicable) all salary, wages, bonuses, vacation/paid time off, premiums, leaves, housing allowances or payments, relocation costs, interest, severance, outplacement costs, fees, reimbursable expenses, commissions, stock, stock options, vesting, and any and all other benefits and compensation due to Employee.
- 6. <u>Release of Claims</u>. Employee agrees that the foregoing consideration represents settlement in full of all outstanding obligations owed to Employee by the Company Group and each of its respective current

and former officers, directors, employees, agents, investors, attorneys, shareholders, administrators, benefit plans, plan administrators, professional employer organizations or co-employers, insurers, trustees, divisions, predecessor and successor corporations, and assigns (collectively, the "Releasees"). Employee, on Employee's own behalf and on behalf of Employee's respective heirs, family members, executors, agents, and assigns, hereby and forever releases the Releasees from, and agrees not to sue concerning, or in any manner to institute, prosecute, or pursue, any claim, complaint, charge, duty, obligation, demand, or cause of action relating to any matters of any kind, whether presently known or unknown, suspected or unsuspected, that Employee may possess against any of the Releasees arising from any omissions, acts, facts, or damages that have occurred up until and including the date Employee signs this Agreement, including, without limitation:

- a. any and all claims relating to or arising from Employee's relationship with the Company Group and the termination of that relationship, including any claims under the Employment Agreement and any other agreement or arrangement related to her employment;
- b. any and all claims relating to, or arising from, Employee's right to purchase, or actual purchase of shares of stock of the Company, Parent, or any other entity in the Company Group, including, without limitation, any claims for fraud, misrepresentation, breach of fiduciary duty, breach of duty under applicable state corporate law, and securities fraud under any state or federal law;
- c. any and all claims for wrongful discharge of employment, termination in violation of public policy, discrimination, harassment, retaliation, breach of contract (both express and implied), breach of covenant of good faith and fair dealing (both express and implied), promissory estoppel, negligent or intentional infliction of emotional distress, fraud, negligent or intentional misrepresentation, negligent or intentional interference with contract or prospective economic advantage, unfair business practices, defamation, libel, slander, negligence, personal injury, assault, battery, invasion of privacy, false imprisonment, conversion, and disability benefits;
- d. any and all claims for violation of any federal, state, or municipal statute, including, but not limited to, Title VII of the Civil Rights Act of 1964, the Civil Rights Act of 1991, the Rehabilitation Act of 1973, the Americans with Disabilities Act of 1990, the Equal Pay Act, the Fair Labor Standards Act, the Fair Credit Reporting Act, the Age Discrimination in Employment Act of 1967, the Older Workers Benefit Protection Act, the Employee Retirement Income Security Act of 1974, the Worker Adjustment and Retraining Notification Act, the Family and Medical Leave Act, the Immigration Reform and Control Act, the California Family Rights Act, the California Labor Code, the California Workers' Compensation Act, and the California Fair Employment and Housing Act, the Utah Antidiscrimination Act, the Utah Minimum Wage Act, the Utah Wage Payment Law, the Utah Right to Work Law, the Employment Selection Procedures Act, and the Utah Occupational Safety and Health Act;
 - e. any and all claims for violation of the federal or any state constitution;
- f. any and all claims arising out of any other laws and regulations relating to employment or employment discrimination;
- g. any claim for any loss, cost, damage, or expense arising out of any dispute over the nonwithholding or other tax treatment of any of the proceeds received by Employee from the Company (or any other entity in the Company Group, as applicable); and
 - h. any and all claims for attorneys' fees and costs.

Employee agrees that the release set forth in this section shall be and remain in effect in all respects as a complete general release as to the matters released. This release does not extend to any obligations incurred under this Agreement. This release does not release claims that cannot be released as a matter of law. Any and all disputed wage claims that are released herein shall be subject to binding arbitration in accordance with this Agreement, except as required by applicable law. This release does not extend to any right Employee may have to unemployment compensation benefits or workers' compensation benefits.

- 7. Acknowledgment of Waiver of Claims under ADEA. Employee acknowledges that Employee is waiving and releasing any rights Employee may have under the Age Discrimination in Employment Act of 1967 ("ADEA"), and that this waiver and release is knowing and voluntary. Employee agrees that this waiver and release does not apply to any rights or claims that may arise under the ADEA after the date Employee signs this Agreement. Employee acknowledges that the consideration given for this waiver and release is in addition to anything of value to which Employee was already entitled. Employee further acknowledges that Employee has been advised by this writing that: (a) Employee should consult with an attorney prior to executing this Agreement; (b) Employee has twenty-one (21) days within which to consider this Agreement; (c) Employee has seven (7) days following Employee's execution of this Agreement to revoke this Agreement; (d) this Agreement shall not be effective until after the revocation period has expired; and (e) nothing in this Agreement prevents or precludes Employee from challenging or seeking a determination in good faith of the validity of this waiver under the ADEA, nor does it impose any condition precedent, penalties, or costs for doing so, unless specifically authorized by federal law. In the event Employee signs this Agreement and returns it to the Company and Parent in less than the 21-day period identified above, Employee hereby acknowledges that Employee has knowingly and voluntarily chosen to waive the time period allotted for considering this Agreement. Employee acknowledges and understands that revocation must be accomplished by a written notification to Stephen Sonne, the Chief Legal Officer of the Company, that is received prior to the Effective Date. The Parties agree that changes, whether material or immaterial, do not restart the running of the 21-day period.
- 8. <u>Unknown Claims</u>. Employee acknowledges that Employee has been advised to consult with legal counsel and that Employee is familiar with the provisions of California Civil Code Section 1542, a statute that otherwise prohibits the release of unknown claims, which provides as follows:

A GENERAL RELEASE DOES NOT EXTEND TO CLAIMS THAT THE CREDITOR OR RELEASING PARTY DOES NOT KNOW OR SUSPECT TO EXIST IN HIS OR HER FAVOR AT THE TIME OF EXECUTING THE RELEASE AND THAT, IF KNOWN BY HIM OR HER, WOULD HAVE MATERIALLY AFFECTED HIS OR HER SETTLEMENT WITH THE DEBTOR OR RELEASED PARTY.

Employee, being aware of said code section, agrees to expressly waive any rights Employee may have thereunder, as well as under any other statute or common law principles of similar effect, including in accordance with Utah law.

- 9. No Pending or Future Lawsuits. Employee represents that Employee has no lawsuits, claims, or actions pending in Employee's name, or on behalf of any other person or entity, against the Company, Parent, or any of the other Releasees. Employee also represents that Employee does not intend to bring any claims on Employee's own behalf or on behalf of any other person or entity against the Company, Parent, or any of the other Releasees.
- 10. No Right to Employee understands and agrees that, as a condition of this Agreement, Employee shall not be entitled to any employment with the Company (or Parent, or any other entity in the Company Group), and Employee hereby waives any right, or alleged right, of employment or re-employment with the Company (or Parent, or any other entity in the Company Group).
- 11. <u>Trade Secrets and Confidential Information/Company Property</u>. Employee reaffirms and agrees to observe and abide by the terms of the Confidentiality Agreement, specifically including the

provisions therein regarding nondisclosure of the Company Group's trade secrets and confidential and proprietary information, and the other covenants contained therein. Employee's signature below constitutes Employee's certification under penalty of perjury that Employee has returned all documents and other items provided to Employee by the Company Group, developed or obtained by Employee in connection with Employee's employment with the Company, or otherwise belonging to the Company Group, including, but not limited to, all computers, tools, machinery, prototypes, components, documents, files, notes, memoranda, records, business cards, credit cards, computer files, passwords and passkeys, card keys, or any other property of the Company Group, whether in physical or electronic form, and all passwords to any software or other programs or data that Employee used in performing services for the Company Group.

12. No Cooperation. Subject to the "Protected Activity Not Prohibited Section" below, Employee agrees that Employee will not knowingly encourage, counsel, or assist any attorneys or their clients in the presentation or prosecution of any disputes, differences, grievances, claims, charges, or complaints by any third party against any of the Releasees, unless under a subpoena or other court order to do so or as related directly to the ADEA waiver in this Agreement. Employee agrees both to immediately notify the Company and Parent upon receipt of any such subpoena or court order, and to furnish, within three (3) business days of its receipt, a copy of such subpoena or other court order. Subject to the "Protected Activity Not Prohibited Section" below, if approached by anyone for counsel or assistance in the presentation or prosecution of any disputes, differences, grievances, claims, charges, or complaints against any of the Releasees, Employee shall state no more than that Employee cannot provide counsel or assistance.

13. Protected Activity Not Prohibited. Employee understands that nothing in this Agreement shall in any way limit or prohibit Employee from engaging in any "Protected Activity," which means filing a charge, complaint, or report with, or otherwise communicating, cooperating, or participating in any investigation or proceeding that may be conducted by, any federal, state or local government agency or commission, including the Securities and Exchange Commission, the Equal Employment Opportunity Commission, the Occupational Safety and Health Administration, and the National Labor Relations Board ("Government Agencies"). Additionally, nothing in this Agreement constitutes a waiver of any rights Employee may have under the Sarbanes-Oxley Act or Section 7 of the National Labor Relations Act ("NLRA"). For purposes of clarity, nothing in this Agreement shall be interpreted to impair or limit Employee's participation in any legally protected activities, such as (i) forming, joining, or supporting labor unions, (ii) bargaining collectively through representatives of employees' choosing, (iii) discussing wages, benefits, or terms and conditions of employment, and (iv) discussing, or raising complaints about, working conditions for the purpose of mutual aid or protection of Employee or the Company Group's other current or former employees, to the extent such activities are protected by Section 7 of the NLRA. When engaging in any of the protected conduct described in this section, Employee agrees to take all reasonable precautions to prevent any unauthorized use or disclosure of any Company Group confidential information; provided, however, that such disclosures may be made to Government Agencies in connection with Protected Activity. For the sake of clarity, Company Group confidential information does not include information regarding working conditions, wages, benefits, or other terms and conditions of employment. Additionally, Employee understands that the protected conduct described herein does not include the disclosure of any Company Group attorney-client privileged communications or privileged attorney work product. Employee understands that nothing in the Confidentiality Agreement shall limit or prohibit Employee from engaging in any protected conduct set forth in this section. Finally, pursuant to the Defend Trade Secrets Act of 2016, Employee is notified that an individual will not be held criminally or civilly liable under any federal or state trade secret law for the disclosure of a trade secret that (a) is made in confidence to a federal, state, or local government official (directly or indirectly) or to an attorney solely for the purpose of reporting or investigating a suspected violation of law, or (b) is made in a complaint or other document filed in a lawsuit or other proceeding, if (and only if) such filing is made under seal. In addition, an individual who files a lawsuit for retaliation by an employer for reporting a suspected violation of law may disclose the trade secret to the individual's attorney and use the trade secret information in the court proceeding, if the individual files any document containing the trade secret under seal and does not disclose the trade secret, except pursuant to court order.

- 14. <u>Nondisparagement</u>. Subject to the "Protected Activity Not Prohibited Section" above, Employee agrees to refrain from any disparagement, defamation, libel, or slander of any of the Releasees, and agrees to refrain from any tortious interference with the contracts and relationships of any of the Releasees. Parent agrees to instruct the members of its Board of Directors and its Chief Executive Officer, Chief Financial Officer, Chief Operating Officer, Chief Technology Officer and Chief Marketing Officer, in each case as in effect as of the date hereof, that so long as they remain in their current positions, they are not to make any false or misleading representation or statements about Employee.
- 15. <u>Breach</u>. In addition to the rights provided in the "Attorneys' Fees" section below, Employee acknowledges and agrees that any material breach of this Agreement, unless such breach constitutes a legal action by Employee challenging or seeking a determination in good faith of the validity of the waiver herein under the ADEA, or of any provision of the Confidentiality Agreement shall entitle the Company or Parent immediately to recover and/or cease providing the consideration provided to Employee under this Agreement and to obtain damages, except as provided by law.
- 16. No Admission of Liability. Employee understands and acknowledges that this Agreement constitutes a compromise and settlement of any and all actual or potential disputed claims by Employee. No action taken by the Company or Parent (or any other entity in the Company Group) hereto, either previously or in connection with this Agreement, shall be deemed or construed to be (a) an admission of the truth or falsity of any actual or potential claims or (b) an acknowledgment or admission by the Company or Parent (or any other entity in the Company Group) of any fault or liability whatsoever to Employee or to any third party.
- 17. <u>Costs</u>. The Parties shall each bear their own costs, attorneys' fees, and other fees incurred in connection with the preparation of this Agreement.
- 18. ARBITRATION. EXCEPT AS PROHIBITED BY LAW, THE PARTIES AGREE THAT ANY AND ALL DISPUTES ARISING OUT OF THE TERMS OF THIS AGREEMENT, THEIR INTERPRETATION, EMPLOYEE'S RELATIONSHIP WITH THE COMPANY OR PARENT (OR COMPANY GROUP, WHERE APPLICABLE) OR THE TERMS THEREOF, OR ANY OF THE MATTERS HEREIN RELEASED, SHALL BE SUBJECT TO ARBITRATION UNDER THE FEDERAL ARBITRATION ACT (THE "FAA") AND THAT THE FAA SHALL GOVERN AND APPLY TO THIS ARBITRATION AGREEMENT WITH FULL FORCE AND EFFECT; HOWEVER, WITHOUT LIMITING ANY PROVISIONS OF THE FAA, A MOTION OR PETITION OR ACTION TO COMPEL ARBITRATION MAY ALSO BE BROUGHT IN STATE COURT UNDER THE PROCEDURAL PROVISIONS OF SUCH STATE'S LAWS RELATING TO MOTIONS OR PETITIONS OR ACTIONS TO COMPEL ARBITRATION. EMPLOYEE AGREES THAT, TO THE FULLEST EXTENT PERMITTED BY LAW, EMPLOYEE MAY BRING ANY SUCH ARBITRATION PROCEEDING ONLY IN EMPLOYEE'S INDIVIDUAL CAPACITY. ANY ARBITRATION WILL OCCUR IN UTAH BEFORE JAMS, PURSUANT TO ITS EMPLOYMENT ARBITRATION RULES & PROCEDURES ("JAMS RULES"), EXCEPT AS EXPRESSLY PROVIDED IN THIS SECTION. THE PARTIES AGREE THAT THE ARBITRATOR SHALL HAVE THE POWER TO DECIDE ANY MOTIONS BROUGHT BY ANY PARTY TO THE ARBITRATION, INCLUDING MOTIONS FOR SUMMARY JUDGMENT AND/OR ADJUDICATION, AND MOTIONS TO DISMISS AND DEMURRERS, APPLYING THE STANDARDS SET FORTH UNDER THE UTAH RULES OF CIVIL PROCEDURE. THE PARTIES AGREE THAT THE ARBITRATOR SHALL APPLY SUBSTANTIVE UTAH LAW AND SHALL ISSUE A WRITTEN DECISION ON THE MERITS. THE PARTIES ALSO AGREE THAT THE ARBITRATOR SHALL HAVE THE POWER TO AWARD ANY REMEDIES AVAILABLE UNDER APPLICABLE LAW, AND THAT THE ARBITRATOR MAY AWARD ATTORNEYS' FEES AND COSTS TO THE PREVAILING PARTY, WHERE PERMITTED BY APPLICABLE LAW. THE ARBITRATOR MAY GRANT INJUNCTIONS AND OTHER RELIEF IN SUCH DISPUTES. THE DECISION OF THE ARBITRATOR SHALL BE FINAL, CONCLUSIVE, AND BINDING ON THE PARTIES TO THE ARBITRATION. THE PARTIES AGREE THAT THE PREVAILING PARTY IN ANY ARBITRATION SHALL BE ENTITLED TO INJUNCTIVE RELIEF IN ANY COURT OF COMPETENT JURISDICTION TO ENFORCE THE ARBITRATION

AWARD. THE PARTIES TO THE ARBITRATION SHALL EACH PAY AN EQUAL SHARE OF THE COSTS AND EXPENSES OF SUCH ARBITRATION, AND EACH PARTY SHALL SEPARATELY PAY FOR ITS RESPECTIVE COUNSEL FEES AND EXPENSES; PROVIDED, HOWEVER, THAT THE ARBITRATOR MAY AWARD ATTORNEYS' FEES AND COSTS TO THE PREVAILING PARTY, EXCEPT AS PROHIBITED BY LAW. THE PARTIES HEREBY AGREE TO WAIVE THEIR RIGHT TO HAVE ANY DISPUTE BETWEEN THEM RESOLVED IN A COURT OF LAW BY A JUDGE OR JURY. NOTWITHSTANDING THE FOREGOING, THIS SECTION WILL NOT PREVENT EITHER PARTY FROM SEEKING INJUNCTIVE RELIEF (OR ANY OTHER PROVISIONAL REMEDY) FROM ANY COURT HAVING JURISDICTION OVER THE PARTIES AND THE SUBJECT MATTER OF THEIR DISPUTE RELATING TO THIS AGREEMENT AND THE AGREEMENTS INCORPORATED HEREIN BY REFERENCE. SHOULD ANY PART OF THE ARBITRATION AGREEMENT CONTAINED IN THIS SECTION CONFLICT WITH ANY OTHER ARBITRATION AGREEMENT BETWEEN THE PARTIES, THE PARTIES AGREE THAT THIS ARBITRATION AGREEMENT IN THIS SECTION SHALL GOVERN.

19. Cooperation with Company Group. Employee agrees that she shall provide reasonable cooperation and assistance to the Company Group in the transition of her role and in the resolution of any matters in which Employee was involved during the course of Employee's employment, or about which Employee has knowledge, and in the defense or prosecution of any investigations, audits, claims or actions now in existence or which may be brought or threatened in the future against or on behalf of the Company Group, including any investigations, audits, claims or actions involving or against its officers, directors and employees. Employee's cooperation with such matters shall include, without limitation, being available to consult with the Company Group regarding matters in which Employee has been involved or has knowledge; to reasonably assist the Company Group in preparing for any proceeding (including, without limitation, depositions, mediations, hearings, settlement negotiations, discovery conferences, arbitration, or trial); to provide affidavits reflecting truthful written testimony; to assist with any audit, inspection, proceeding or other inquiry; and to act as a witness to provide truthful testimony in connection with any investigation, audit, mediation, litigation or other legal proceeding affecting the Company Group. Employee agrees to keep the Human Resource department of Company and Parent apprised of her current contact information, including telephone numbers, work address, home address, and email address(es), and to promptly respond to communications from the Company Group in connection with this Section 19. Employee understands and agrees that this provision requires her cooperation with the Company Group, but is not intended to have any influence whatsoever on any specific outcome in any matter and she is expected at all times to provide truthful testimony and responses in connection with any matter. Employee understands and agrees that she is not otherwise entitled to any additional compensation for such transition assistance, beyond the consideration provided under this Agreement.

20. <u>Tax Consequences</u>. Neither Parent nor the Company make any representations or warranties with respect to the tax consequences of the consideration provided to Employee or made on Employee's behalf under the terms of this Agreement. Employee agrees and understands that Employee is responsible for payment, if any, of local, state, and/or federal taxes on the consideration provided hereunder by the Company and any penalties or assessments thereon. Employee further agrees to indemnify and hold the Releasees harmless from any claims, demands, deficiencies, penalties, interest, assessments, executions, judgments, or recoveries by any government agency against Parent or the Company (or any other entity in the Company Group) for any amounts claimed due on account of (a) Employee's failure to pay or delayed payment of federal or state taxes, or (b) damages sustained by Parent or the Company (or any other entity in the Company Group) by reason of any such claims, including attorneys' fees and costs.

21. Section 409A. It is intended that this Agreement comply with, or be exempt from, Code Section 409A and the final regulations and official guidance thereunder ("Section 409A") and any ambiguities herein will be interpreted to so comply and/or be exempt from Section 409A. Each payment and benefit to be paid or provided under this Agreement is intended to constitute a series of separate payments for purposes of Section 1.409A-2(b)(2) of the Treasury Regulations. The Parties will work together in good faith to consider

either (i) amendments to this Agreement; or (ii) revisions to this Agreement with respect to the payment of any awards, which are necessary or appropriate to avoid imposition of any additional tax or income recognition prior to the actual payment to Employee under Section 409A. In no event will the Releasees reimburse Employee for any taxes that may be imposed on Employee as a result of Section 409A.

- 22. <u>Authority</u>. The Company and Parent represent and warrant that the undersigned have the authority to act on behalf of the Company and Parent and to bind the Company and Parent and all who may claim through them to the terms and conditions of this Agreement. Employee represents and warrants that Employee has the capacity to act on Employee's own behalf and on behalf of all who might claim through Employee to bind them to the terms and conditions of this Agreement. Each Party warrants and represents that there are no liens or claims of lien or assignments in law or equity or otherwise of or against any of the claims or causes of action released herein.
- 23. <u>Severability</u>. In the event that any provision or any portion of any provision hereof or any surviving agreement made a part hereof becomes or is declared by a court of competent jurisdiction or arbitrator to be illegal, unenforceable, or void, this Agreement shall continue in full force and effect without said provision or portion of provision.
- 24. <u>Attorneys' Fees</u>. Except with regard to a legal action challenging or seeking a determination in good faith of the validity of the waiver herein under the ADEA, in the event that either Party brings an action to enforce or effect its rights under this Agreement, the prevailing Party shall be entitled to recover its costs and expenses, including the costs of mediation, arbitration, litigation, court fees, and reasonable attorneys' fees incurred in connection with such an action.
- 25. Entire Agreement. This Agreement represents the entire agreement and understanding between the Company, Parent, and/or any other entity in the Company Group and Employee concerning the subject matter of this Agreement and Employee's relationship with and separation from Parent and the Company and the events leading thereto and associated therewith, and supersedes and replaces any and all prior agreements and understandings concerning the subject matter of this Agreement and Employee's relationship with the Company, Parent, and/or any other entity in the Company Group (including, without limitation, the Employment Agreement), with the exception of the Confidentiality Agreement, the Equity Documents, and the Indemnification Agreement by and between Employee and Parent effective as of December 13, 2021. Notwithstanding the foregoing, nothing herein will supersede or limit any applicable clawback or similar rights or obligations of Parent or the Company in accordance any policy of Parent or the Company (or any other applicable Company Group policy) or applicable law.
- 26. No Oral Modification. This Agreement may only be amended in a writing signed by Employee and an authorized representative of the Company and Parent.
- 27. <u>Governing Law</u>. This Agreement shall be governed by the laws of the State of Utah, without regard for choice-of-law provisions, except that any dispute regarding the enforceability of the arbitration section of this Agreement shall be governed by the FAA. Employee consents to personal and exclusive jurisdiction and venue in the State of Utah.
- 28. Effective Date. Employee acknowledges that Employee has been provided at least twenty-one (21) days to consider this Agreement. Each Party has seven (7) days after that Party signs this Agreement to revoke it. This Agreement will become effective on the eighth (8th) day after Employee signed this Agreement, so long as it has been signed by the Parties and has not been revoked by either Party before that date (the "Effective Date").

- 29. <u>Counterparts</u>. This Agreement may be executed in counterparts and each counterpart shall be deemed an original and all of which counterparts taken together shall have the same force and effect as an original and shall constitute an effective, binding agreement on the part of each of the undersigned. The counterparts of this Agreement may be executed and delivered by facsimile, photo, email PDF, Docusign/Echosign or a similarly accredited secure signature service, or other electronic transmission or signature.
- 30. <u>Voluntary Execution of Agreement</u>. Employee understands and agrees that Employee executed this Agreement voluntarily and without any duress or undue influence on the part or behalf of Parent or the Company (or any other entity in the Company Group) or any third party, with the full intent of releasing all of Employee's claims against Parent, the Company and any of the other Releasees. Employee acknowledges that:
 - (a) Employee has read this Agreement;
 - (b) Employee has been represented in the preparation, negotiation, and execution of this Agreement by legal counsel of Employee's own choice or has elected not to retain legal counsel;
 - (c) Employee understands the terms and consequences of this Agreement and of the releases it contains;
 - (d) Employee is fully aware of the legal and binding effect of this Agreement; and
 - (e) Employee has not relied upon any representations or statements made by Parent or the Company (or any other entity in the Company Group) that are not specifically set forth in this Agreement.

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IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the Parties have executed this Agreement on the respective dates set forth below.

KIVA ALLGOOD, an individual

Dated:	June 7, 2023	/s/ Kiva Allgood Kiva Allgood	
		SARCOS CORP.	
Dated:	June 7, 2023	By /s/ Andrew Hamer Andrew Hamer Chief Financial Officer	
		SARCOS TECHNOLOGY AND ROBOTICS CORPORATION	
Dated:	June 7, 2023	By /s/ Andrew Hamer Andrew Hamer Chief Financial Officer	

SARCOS CORP.

EMPLOYMENT AGREEMENT

This Employment Agreement (the "**Agreement**") is entered into as of June 12, 2023 (the "**Effective Date**") by and between Sarcos Corp. (the "**Company**"), Sarcos Technology and Robotics Corporation, the Company's parent corporation ("**Parent**") and Denis Garagic ("**Executive**" and, together with the Company and Parent, the "**Parties**").

RECITALS

WHEREAS, Parent and the Company wish to continue to retain the services of Executive following the Effective Date and Executive wishes to continue to be employed by the Company following the Effective Date on the terms and subject to the conditions set forth in this Agreement;

NOW THEREFORE, in consideration of the foregoing recital and the respective undertakings of the Company, Parent and Executive set forth below, the Company, Parent and Executive agree as follows:

1. <u>Duties and Obligations</u>.

- (a) <u>Duties and Scope of Employment</u>. As of the Effective Date, Executive will continue to serve as the Chief Technology Officer (and any other roles to which he has been or may be appointed) of the Company and Parent and report to the Company's and Parent's Chief Executive Officer (the "**CEO**"). Executive will render business and professional services in the performance of Executive's duties, consistent with Executive's position within the Company, as will reasonably be assigned to Executive by the CEO. The period of Executive's employment under this Agreement is referred to in this Agreement as the "**Employment Term**."
- (b) Obligations. During the Employment Term, Executive will perform Executive's duties faithfully and to the best of Executive's ability and will devote Executive's full business efforts and time to Parent and the Company. Except as prohibited by applicable law, for the duration of the Employment Term, Executive agrees not to actively engage in any other employment, occupation, or consulting activity for any direct or indirect remuneration without the prior approval of the Board, and Executive will not engage in any other activities that materially interfere with Executive's obligations to the Company. Executive further agrees to comply with all Company policies, including, for the avoidance of any doubt, any insider trading policies and compensation clawback policies currently in existence or that may be adopted by the Company during the Employment Term.
- 2. <u>At-Will Employment</u>. Subject to the terms hereof, Executive's employment with the Company will be "at-will" employment and may be terminated by the Company at any time with or without cause or with or without notice. However, as described in this Agreement, Executive may be entitled to severance benefits depending upon the circumstances of Executive's termination of employment.

3. Compensation.

(a) <u>Base Salary</u>. During the Employment Term, the Company will pay Executive an annual base salary of \$337,050.15 as compensation for Executive's services (the annual base salary as may be amended from time to time, the "**Base Salary**"). The Base Salary will be paid periodically in accordance with the Company's normal payroll practices and be subject to the usual, required withholding. Executive's Base Salary will be subject to review and adjustments will be made by the Board or its authorized committee (the "**Committee**") based upon the Company's normal performance review practices.

- (b) <u>Bonus</u>. Executive will be eligible to receive a bonus targeted annually at 35% of Executive's then-current Base Salary (the "**Bonus**"). Any Bonus may be based on achievement of the performance goals set by the Committee and the Committee's assessment of achievement of those goals as well as the terms and conditions of the bonus plan to be approved by the Committee. Executive's receipt of any achieved amount of the Bonus is subject to Executive's continued employment with the Company through the applicable payment date, and such amount will not be earned if Executive's employment with the Company terminates for any reason or no reason prior to the applicable payment date. The achieved amount of Executive's Bonus for any year will be payable no later than March 15th of the year following the year in which such amount is earned.
- (c) <u>Equity</u>. During the Employment Term, Executive will be eligible to receive equity awards pursuant to any plans or arrangements Parent may have in effect from time to time. The Committee will determine in its discretion whether Executive will be granted any equity awards and the terms of any equity award in accordance with the terms of any applicable plan or arrangement that may be in effect from time to time.
- 4. <u>Employee Benefits</u>. During the Employment Term, Executive will be entitled to participate in benefit plans and programs of the Company (including vacation and/or paid-time off), maintained by the Company for the benefit of its employees if any, on the same terms and conditions as other similarly-situated employees to the extent that Executive's position, tenure, salary, age, health and other qualifications make Executive eligible to participate in such plans or programs, subject to the rules and regulations applicable thereto. The Company reserves the right to modify employee compensation and cancel or change the benefit plans and programs it offers to its employees at any time in its discretion.
- 5. <u>Expenses</u>. The Company will reimburse Executive for reasonable travel, entertainment or other expenses incurred by Executive in the furtherance of or in connection with the performance of Executive's duties hereunder, in accordance with the Company's expense reimbursement policy as in effect from time to time.

6. Severance Benefits.

- (a) <u>Termination Outside the Change in Control Period</u>. If, outside the Change in Control Period, the Company or its Affiliates terminate Executive's employment with the Company or its Affiliates, respectively, without Cause (excluding by reason of Executive's death or Disability), or Executive resigns from such employment for Good Reason, then, subject to Section 7, Executive will receive the following severance benefits:
- (i) <u>Salary Severance</u>. Continuing payments of severance pay at a rate equal to Executive's Base Salary, at the highest rate in effect during the Term, for six (6) months from the date of Executive's termination of employment, which will be paid in accordance with the Company's regular payroll procedures.
- (ii) Continued Employee Benefits. If Executive elects continuation coverage pursuant to the Consolidated Omnibus Budget Reconciliation Act of 1985, as amended ("COBRA") within the time period prescribed pursuant to COBRA for Executive and Executive's eligible dependents, the Company will reimburse Executive for the premiums necessary to continue group health insurance benefits for Executive and Executive's eligible dependents until the earlier of (A) a period of six (6) months from the date of Executive's termination of employment, (B) the date upon which Executive and/or Executive's eligible dependents becomes covered under similar plans or (C) the date upon which Executive ceases to be eligible for coverage under COBRA (such reimbursements, the "COBRA Premiums"). However, if the Company determines in its sole discretion that it cannot pay the COBRA Premiums without potentially violating applicable law (including, without limitation, Section 2716 of the Public Health Service Act), the Company will in lieu thereof provide to Executive a taxable monthly payment payable on the last day of a given month (except as provided by the following sentence), in an amount equal to the monthly COBRA premium that Executive would be required to pay to continue Executive's group health coverage in effect on the date of Executive's termination of employment (which amount will be based on the premium for the first month of COBRA coverage), which payments will be made regardless of whether Executive elects COBRA continuation coverage and will commence on the month following Executive's

termination of employment and will end on the earlier of (x) the date upon which Executive obtains other employment or (y) the date the Company has paid an amount equal to six (6) months of payments. For the avoidance of doubt, the taxable payments in lieu of COBRA Premiums may be used for any purpose, including, but not limited to continuation coverage under COBRA, and will be subject to all applicable tax withholdings. Notwithstanding anything to the contrary under this Agreement, if at any time the Company determines in its sole discretion that it cannot provide the payments contemplated by the preceding sentence without violating applicable law (including, without limitation, Section 2716 of the Public Health Service Act), Executive will not receive such payment or any further reimbursements for COBRA premiums.

- (b) <u>Termination without Cause or Resignation for Good Reason within the Change in Control Period</u>. If, within the Change in Control Period, the Company or its Affiliates terminate Executive's employment with the Company or its Affiliates, respectively, without Cause (excluding by reason of Executive's death or Disability), or Executive resigns from such employment for Good Reason, then, subject to Section 8, Executive will receive the following severance benefits from the Company:
- (i) <u>Salary Severance</u>. A lump sum severance payment equal to six (6) months of Executive's Base Salary, at the highest rate in effect during the Employment Term, which will be paid in accordance with the Company's regular payroll procedures.
- (ii) <u>Bonus Severance</u>. Executive will receive a lump-sum payment, payable in accordance with the Company's regular payroll procedures, equal to one hundred percent (100%) of the higher of (A) Executive's target Bonus as in effect for the fiscal year in which the Change in Control occurs or (B) Executive's target Bonus as in effect for the fiscal year in which Executive'stermination of employment occurs; provided, in either case, the Company had not previously paid Executive a Bonus corresponding to such fiscal year. For avoidance of doubt, the amount paid to Executive pursuant to this Section 6(b)(ii) will not be prorated based on the actual amount of time Executive is employed by the Company during the fiscal year (or the relevant performance period if something different than a fiscal year) during which the termination occurs.

(iii)Continued Employee Benefits. If Executive elects continuation coverage pursuant to COBRA within the time period prescribed pursuant to COBRA for Executive and Executive's eligible dependents, the Company will reimburse Executive for the premiums necessary to continue group health insurance benefits for Executive and Executive's eligible dependents until the earlier of (A) a period of six (6) months from the date of Executive's termination of employment, (B) the date upon which Executive and/or Executive's eligible dependents becomes covered under similar plans or (C) the date upon which Executive ceases to be eligible for coverage under COBRA (such reimbursements, the "COC COBRA Premiums"). However, if the Company determines in its sole discretion that it cannot pay the COC COBRA Premiums without potentially violating applicable law (including, without limitation, Section 2716 of the Public Health Service Act), the Company will in lieu thereof provide to Executive a taxable monthly payment in an amount equal to the monthly COBRA premium that Executive would be required to pay to continue Executive's group health coverage in effect on the date of Executive's termination of employment (which amount will be based on the premium for the first month of COBRA coverage), which payments will be made regardless of whether Executive elects COBRA continuation coverage and will commence on the month following Executive's termination of employment and will end on the earlier of (x) the date upon which Executive obtains other employment or (y) the date the Company has paid an amount equal to six (6) months of payments. For the avoidance of doubt, the taxable payments in lieu of COC COBRA Premiums may be used for any purpose, including, but not limited to continuation coverage under COBRA, and will be subject to all applicable tax withholdings. Notwithstanding anything to the contrary under this Agreement, if at any time the Company determines in its sole discretion that it cannot provide the payments contemplated by the preceding sentence without violating applicable law (including, without limitation, Section 2716 of the Public Health Service Act), Executive will not receive such payment or any further reimbursements for COBRA premiums.

(iv)<u>Equity</u>. Vesting acceleration of one hundred percent (100%) of Executive's outstanding unvested Equity Awards on the date of Executive's termination. If, however, an outstanding Equity Award is to vest and/or the amount of the Equity Award to vest is to be determined based on the achievement of performance criteria, then the Equity Award will vest as to one hundred percent (100%) of the amount of the Equity Award assuming the performance criteria had been achieved at target levels for the relevant performance period(s), unless otherwise provided in the applicable award agreement.

- (c) <u>Voluntary Resignation; Termination for Cause</u>. If Executive's employment with the Company or its Affiliates terminates (i) voluntarily by Executive (other than for Good Reason) or (ii) for Cause by the Company, then Executive will not be entitled to receive severance or other benefits except for those (if any) as may then be established under the Company's then existing severance and benefits plans and practices or pursuant to other written agreements with the Company.
 - (d) <u>Disability; Death</u>. If the Company terminates Executive's employment as a

result of Executive's Disability, or Executive's employment terminates due to Executive's death, then Executive will not be entitled to receive severance or other benefits except for those (if any) as may then be established under the Company's then existing written severance and benefits plans and practices or pursuant to other written agreements between Executive or the Company or Parent, as applicable.

- (e) <u>Accrued Compensation</u>. For the avoidance of any doubt, in the event of a termination of Executive's employment with the Company or its Affiliates, Executive will be entitled to receive all accrued but unpaid vacation, expense reimbursements, wages, and other benefits due to Executive under any Company-provided plans, policies, and arrangements.
- (f) <u>Transfer between the Company and Affiliates</u>. For purposes of this Section 6, if Executive's employment with the Company or one of its Affiliates terminates, Executive will not be determined to have been terminated without Cause, provided Executive continues to remain employed by the Company or one of its Affiliates (e.g., upon transfer from on Affiliate to another); provided, however, that the parties understand and acknowledge that any such termination could potentially result in Executive's ability to resign for Good Reason.
- (g) <u>Exclusive Remedy</u>. In the event of a termination of Executive's employment with the Company or its Affiliates, the provisions of this Section 6 are intended to be and are exclusive and in lieu of any other rights or remedies to which Executive or the Company may otherwise be entitled, whether at law, tort or contract, in equity. Executive will be entitled to no benefits, compensation or other payments or rights upon termination of employment other than those benefits expressly set forth in this Section 6.
- (h) <u>Non-duplication of Payment or Benefits</u>. For purposes of clarity, in the event of a termination of employment that qualifies Executive for severance payments and benefits under Section 6(a) of the Employment Agreement that occurs during the period within three (3) months prior to a Change in Control, any severance payments and benefits to be provided to Executive under Section 6(b) will be reduced by any amounts that already were provided to Executive under Section 6(a). Notwithstanding any provision of this Agreement to the contrary, if Executive is entitled to any cash severance, continued health coverage benefits, vesting acceleration of any Awards, or other severance or separation benefits similar to those provided under this Agreement, by operation of applicable law or under a plan, policy, contract, or arrangement sponsored by or to which the Company is a party other than this Agreement ("Other Benefits"), then the corresponding severance payments and benefits under this Agreement will be reduced by the amount of Other Benefits paid or provided to Executive.

7. Conditions to Receipt of Severance; No Duty to Mitigate.

(a) <u>Separation Agreement and Release of Claims</u>. The payment of any severance set forth in Section 6(a) and Section 6(b) above is contingent upon Executive signing and not revoking a separation and release of claims agreement with the Company (which may include an agreement not to disparage the Company, non-solicit provisions and/or other standard terms and conditions) in a form reasonably acceptable to the Company (the "**Release**") upon or following Executive's separation from service and such Release becoming effective no later than sixty (60) days following Executive's separation from service (such deadline, the "**Release Deadline**"). If the Release does not become effective by the Release Deadline, Executive will forfeit any rights to severance under this Agreement. In no event will severance payments or benefits be paid or provided until the Release actually becomes effective. Any severance payments and benefits under this Agreement will be paid on, or, in the case of installments, will not commence until, the sixtieth (60th) day following Executive's separation from service, or, if later, such time as required by Section 7(b)(ii). Except as required by Section 7(b)(ii), any payments and benefits that would have been made to Executive during the sixty (60)-day period immediately following Executive's separation from service but for the preceding sentence will be paid to Executive on the sixtieth (60th) day following Executive's separation from service and the remaining payments will be made as provided in this Agreement. In no event will Executive have discretion to determine the taxable year of payment of any severance payments or benefits.

(b) Section 409A.

(i)Notwithstanding anything to the contrary in this Agreement, no Deferred Payments, if any, payable to Executive pursuant to this Agreement will be payable until Executive has a "separation from service" within the meaning of Section 409A of the Code and the final regulations and official guidance thereunder ("Section 409A"). Similarly, no severance payable to Executive, if any, pursuant to this Agreement that otherwise would be exempt from Section 409A pursuant to Treasury Regulation Section 1.409A-1(b)(9) will be payable until Executive has a "separation from service" within the meaning of Section 409A

(ii)Notwithstanding anything to the contrary in this Agreement, if Executive is a "specified employee" within the meaning of Section 409A at the time of Executive's separation from service (other than due to death), then the Deferred Payments, if any, that are payable within the first six (6) months following Executive's separation from service, will become payable on the date six (6) months and one (1) day following the date of Executive's separation from service. All subsequent Deferred Payments, if any, will be payable in accordance with the payment schedule applicable to each payment or benefit. Notwithstanding anything herein to the contrary, if Executive dies following Executive's separation from service, but prior to the six (6) month anniversary of the separation from service, then any payments delayed in accordance with this Section 7(b)(ii) will be payable in a lump sum as soon as administratively practicable after the date of Executive's death and all other Deferred Payments will be payable in accordance with the payment schedule applicable to each payment or benefit. Each payment, installment and benefit payable under this Agreement is intended to constitute a separate payment for purposes of Section 1.409A-2(b)(2) of the Treasury Regulations.

(iii)Any severance payment that satisfies the requirements of the "short- term deferral" rule set forth in Section 1.409A-1(b)(4) of the Treasury Regulations will not constitute Deferred Payments for purposes herein. Any amount paid under this Agreement that qualifies as a payment made as a result of an involuntary separation from service pursuant to Section 1.409A- 1(b)(9)(iii) of the Treasury Regulations that does not exceed the Section 409A Limit (as defined below) will not constitute Deferred Payments for purposes herein. Any payments or benefits due under Section 6 of this Agreement will be paid as provided under this Agreement, but in no event later than the last day of the second taxable year of Executive following Executive's taxable year in which Executive's separation from service from the Company occurs.

(iv)For purposes of this Agreement, "Section 409A Limit" means two (2) times the lesser of: (x) Executive's annualized compensation based upon the annual rate of pay paid to Executive during Executive's taxable year preceding Executive's taxable year of Executive's termination of employment as determined under, and with such adjustments as are set forth in, Treasury Regulation 1.409A-1(b)(9)(iii)(A)(1) and any Internal Revenue Service guidance issued with respect thereto, or (y) the maximum amount that may be taken into account under a qualified plan pursuant to Section 401(a)(17) of the Code for the year in which Executive's employment is terminated.

(v) The foregoing provisions are intended to comply with or be exempt from the requirements of Section 409A so that none of the severance or other payments and benefits to be provided hereunder will be subject to the additional tax imposed under Section 409A, and any ambiguities or ambiguous terms herein will be interpreted to so comply or be exempt. In no event will the Company have any liability or obligation to reimburse, indemnify, or hold harmless Executive for any taxes or costs that may be imposed on or incurred by Executive as a result of Section 409A. Executive and the Company agree to work together in good faith to consider amendments to this Agreement and to take such reasonable actions which are necessary, appropriate or desirable to avoid imposition of any additional tax or income recognition prior to actual payment to Executive under Section 409A.

- (c) <u>Confidentiality Agreement</u>. Executive's receipt of any payments or benefits under Section 6 will be subject to Executive complying with: (i) the terms of the Confidentiality Agreement (as defined in Section 10), and (ii) the provisions of this Agreement. In the event Executive breaches the provisions of this Section 7(c), all continuing payments and benefits to which Executive may otherwise be entitled to pursuant to Section 6 will immediately cease.
- (d) <u>No Duty to Mitigate</u>. Executive will not be required to mitigate the amount of any payment contemplated by this Agreement, nor will any earnings that Executive may receive from any other source reduce any such payment.
- 8. <u>Limitation on Payments</u>. In the event that the severance or change in control-related or other payments or benefits provided for in this Agreement or otherwise payable to Executive (collectively, the "**Payments**") (i) constitute "parachute payments" within the meaning of Section 280G of the Code, and (ii) but for this Section 8, would be subject to the excise tax imposed by Section 4999 of the Code, then such payments or benefits will be either:
 - (a) delivered in full, or
- (b) delivered as to such lesser extent which would result in no portion of such benefits being subject to excise tax under Section 4999 of the Code,

whichever of the foregoing amounts, taking into account the applicable federal, state and local income taxes and the excise tax imposed by Section 4999 of the Code, results in the receipt by Executive on an after-tax basis, of the greatest amount of Payments, notwithstanding that all or some portion of such Payments may be taxable under Section 4999 of the Code. If a reduction in Payments constituting "parachute payments" is necessary so that Payments are delivered to a lesser extent, reduction will occur in the following order: (i) cancellation of equity awards granted "contingent on a change in ownership or control" (within the meaning of Section 280G of the Code); (ii) a pro rata reduction of (A) cash payments that are subject to Section 409A as deferred compensation and (B) cash payments not subject to Section 409A; (iii) a pro rata reduction of (A) employee benefits that are subject to Section 409A as deferred compensation and (B) employee benefits not subject to Section 409A; and (iv) a pro rata cancellation of (A) accelerated vesting of equity awards that are subject to Section 409A as deferred compensation and (B) equity awards not subject to Section 409A. If acceleration of vesting of equity awards is to be cancelled, such acceleration of vesting will be cancelled in the reverse order of the date of grant of Executive's equity awards. In no event will Executive have any discretion with respect to the ordering of payment reductions.

Unless the Company and Executive otherwise agree in writing, any determination required under this Section 8 will be made in writing by a nationally recognized firm of independent public accountants selected by the Company (the "Accountants"), whose determination will be conclusive and binding upon Executive and the Company for all purposes. For purposes of making the calculations required by this Section 8, the Accountants may make reasonable assumptions and approximations concerning applicable taxes and may rely on reasonable, good faith interpretations concerning the application of Sections 280G and 4999 of the Code. The Company and Executive will furnish to the Accountants such information and documents as the Accountants may reasonably request in order to make a determination under this Section 8. The Company will bear all costs the Accountants may reasonably incur in connection with any calculations contemplated by this Section 8.

9. Definitions.

- (a) Affiliate" means the Company and any other parent or subsidiary corporation of the Company, as such terms are defined in Section 424(e) and (1) of the Code.
 - (b) Board. "**Board**" means Parent's board of directors.
- Cause. "Cause" means the occurrence of any of the following actions or events: (i) Executive's willful material misconduct or material breach of any written agreement between Executive and the Company (including without limitation this Agreement or the Executive's Confidentiality Agreement), (ii) Executive's conviction of, or plea of guilty or no contest to, any felony, or of or to a crime involving moral turpitude, (iii) the performance of an illegal act by Executive while purporting to act on the Company's behalf, or engaging in activities directly in competition or antithetical to the best interests of the Company or any Affiliate, including but not limited to material personal dishonesty, in each case, which is materially injurious to the financial condition or business reputation of, or is otherwise materially injurious to, the Company or any Affiliate, (iv) fraud or unauthorized use or disclosure of confidential information or trade secrets of the Company or any Affiliate or any other party to whom Executive owes an obligation of nondisclosure as a result of Executive's relationship with the Company, (v) an intentional violation of any federal, state or local law or regulation applicable to the Company or any Affiliate or their business, or (vi) Executive's continued failure to perform Executive's duties or responsibilities to the Company or any Affiliate or deliberate violation of a Company policy, including but not limited to those relating to insider trading or sexual harassment in each case as determined by the Board, in its sole discretion. Notwithstanding the foregoing, Cause shall only exist after: (x) the Board delivers written notice to Executive of the Board's determination that Cause exists; (v) such notice sets forth in reasonable detail such facts and circumstances, along with the Board's determination, in its discretion, of whether such events are reasonably capable of being corrected; and (z) only if the Board has determined that such events are reasonably capable of being corrected, Executive has failed to fully correct any of the events listed above within 10 days following delivery to Executive of the Board's written notice of its determination that Cause exists. For the avoidance of doubt, in the event the Board determines, in its discretion, that such events constituting Cause are not reasonably capable of being corrected. Cause shall be deemed to exist immediately upon the Board's delivery of the written notice described in the foregoing clauses (x) and (y).
- (d) <u>Change in Control</u>. "**Change in Control**" has the meaning of "Change in Control" as defined in Parent's 2021 Equity Incentive Plan.

- (e) <u>Change in Control Period</u>. "**Change in Control Period**" means the period beginning on the date three (3) months prior to, and ending on the date that is twelve (12) months following, a Change in Control.
 - (f) <u>Code</u>. "**Code**" means the Internal Revenue Code of 1986, as amended.
- (g) <u>Deferred Payments</u>. "**Deferred Payments**" means any severance pay or benefits to be paid or provided to Executive (or Executive's estate or beneficiaries) pursuant to this Agreement and any other severance payments or separation benefits to be paid or provided to Executive (or Executive's estate or beneficiaries), that in each case, when considered together, are considered deferred compensation under Section 409A.
- (h) <u>Disability</u>. "**Disability**" means Executive (i) is unable to engage in any substantial gainful activity by reason of any medically determinable physical or mental impairment which can be expected to result in death or can be expected to last for a continuous period of not less than twelve (12) months, or (ii) is, by reason of any medically determinable physical or mental impairment which can be expected to last for a continuous period of not less than twelve (12) months, receiving income replacement benefits for a period of not less than three (3) months under an accident and health plan covering Company employees.
- (i) Good Reason. "Good Reason" means the occurrence of one or more of the following events without Executive's express written consent: (i) a material reduction of Executive's duties, authorities, or responsibilities relative to Executive's duties, authorities, or responsibilities in effect immediately prior to the reduction; (ii) a material reduction in Executive's annual base salary; provided, however, that, a reduction of annual base salary that also applies to substantially all other similarly situated employees of the Company will not constitute "Good Reason"; (iii) a material change in the geographic location of Executive's primary work facility or location by more than 50 miles from Executive's then-present location; provided, that a relocation to a location that is within 50 miles from Executive's then-present primary residence will not be considered a material change in geographic location, or (iv) failure of a successor corporation to assume the obligations under Executive's employment agreement with the Company. In order for the termination to be for Good Reason, Executive must not terminate Executive's employment with the Company without first providing written notice to the Company of the acts or omissions constituting the grounds for "Good Reason" within 60 days of the initial existence of the grounds for "Good Reason" and a cure period of 30 days following the date of written notice (the "Cure Period"), the grounds must not have been cured during that time, and Executive must terminate Executive's employment within 30 days following the Cure Period.
- (j) <u>Protected Activity</u>. "**Protected Activity**" includes filing and/or pursuing a charge, complaint, or report with, or otherwise communicating, cooperating, or participating in any investigation or proceeding that may be conducted by any federal, state or local government agency or commission, including the Securities and Exchange Commission, the Equal Employment Opportunity Commission, the Occupational Safety and Health Administration, and the National Labor Relations Board ("Government Agencies").

10.Confidential Information. Executive agrees to comply with the Company's Employee Intellectual Property and Non-Compete Agreement previously executed by Executive (the "Confidentiality Agreement") concurrently herewith, provided that nothing in this Agreement or the Confidentiality Agreement shall prevent Executive from engaging in Protected Activity. Executive understands that in connection with such Protected Activity, Executive is permitted to disclose documents or other information as permitted by law, without giving notice to, or receiving authorization from, the Company. Notwithstanding the foregoing, Executive agrees to take all reasonable precautions to prevent any unauthorized use or disclosure of any information that may constitute Company confidential information under the Confidentiality Agreement to any parties other than the Government Agencies. Executive further understands that "Protected Activity" does not include the disclosure of any Company attorney-client privileged communications or attorney work product. Any language in the Confidentiality Agreement regarding Executive's right to engage in Protected Activity that conflicts with, or is contrary to, this section is superseded by this Agreement. In addition, pursuant to the Defend Trade Secrets Act

of 2016, Executive is notified that an individual will not be held criminally or civilly liable under any federal or state trade secret law for the disclosure of a trade secret that (i) is made in confidence to a federal, state, or local government official (directly or indirectly) or to an attorney solely for the purpose of reporting or investigating a suspected violation of law, or (ii) is made in a complaint or other document filed in a lawsuit or other proceeding, if (and only if) such filing is made under seal. In addition, an individual who files a lawsuit for retaliation by an employer for reporting a suspected violation of law may disclose the trade secret to the individual's attorney and use the trade secret information in the court proceeding, if the individual files any document containing the trade secret under seal and does not disclose the trade secret, except pursuant to court order.

11.<u>No Conflicting Obligations</u>. Executive confirms that Executive is not under any existing obligations that may impact Executive's eligibility to be employed by the Company or limit the manner in which Executive may be employed. Executive agrees not to bring any third-party confidential information to the Company, including that of Executive's former employer, and that Executive will not in any way utilize any such information in performing Executive's duties for the Company.

12.Successors.

- (a) The Company's Successors. Any successor to the Company (whether direct or indirect and whether by purchase, merger, consolidation, liquidation or otherwise) to all or substantially all of the Company's business and/or assets will assume the obligations under this Agreement and agree expressly to perform the obligations under this Agreement in the same manner and to the same extent as the Company would be required to perform such obligations in the absence of a succession. For all purposes under this Agreement, the term "Company" will include any successor to the Company's business and/or assets which executes and delivers the assumption agreement described in this Section 14(a) or which becomes bound by the terms of this Agreement by operation of law.
- (b) <u>Executive's Successors</u>. The terms of this Agreement and all rights of Executive hereunder will inure to the benefit of, and be enforceable by, Executive's personal or legal representatives, executors, administrators, successors, heirs, distributees, devisees and legatees.

13. Notices.

- (a) <u>General</u>. Notices and all other communications contemplated by this Agreement will be in writing and will be deemed to have been duly given when personally delivered or when mailed by U.S. registered or certified mail, return receipt requested and postage prepaid or when delivered by a private courier service such as UPS, DHL or Federal Express that has tracking capability. In the case of Executive, mailed notices will be addressed to Executive at the home address which Executive's most recently communicated to the Company in writing. In the case of the Company, mailed notices will be addressed to its corporate headquarters, and all notices will be directed to the Chief Executive Officer of the Company.
- 14. <u>Severability</u>. In the event that any provision hereof becomes or is declared by a court of competent jurisdiction to be illegal, unenforceable or void, this Agreement will continue in full force and effect without said provision.
- 15.<u>Integration</u>. This Agreement, together with the Confidentiality Agreement represents the entire agreement and understanding between the Parties as to the subject matter herein and supersedes all prior or contemporaneous agreements whether written or oral, but this Agreement does not supersede Executive's equity award agreements or indemnification agreement. This Agreement may be modified only by agreement of the Parties by a written instrument executed by the Parties that is designated as an amendment to this Agreement.

16. <u>Waiver of Breach</u>. No provision of this Agreement will be modified, waived or discharged unless the modification, waiver or discharge is agreed to in writing and signed by Executive and by an authorized officer

of the Company (other than Executive). The waiver of a breach of any term or provision of this Agreement will not operate as or be construed to be a waiver of any other previous or subsequent breach of this Agreement.

17. Arbitration.

General. IN CONSIDERATION OF EXECUTIVE'S EMPLOYMENT WITH THE COMPANY, THE COMPANY'S PROMISE TO ARBITRATE ALL EMPLOYMENT- RELATED DISPUTES WITH EXECUTIVE, AND EXECUTIVE'S RECEIPT OF THE COMPENSATION AND OTHER BENEFITS PAID OR PROVIDED TO EXECUTIVE BY THE COMPANY AT PRESENT AND IN THE FUTURE, EXECUTIVE AGREES THAT ANY AND ALL CONTROVERSIES, CLAIMS, OR DISPUTES THAT EXECUTIVE MAY HAVE WITH THE COMPANY (INCLUDING ANY COMPANY EMPLOYEE, OFFICER, DIRECTOR, TRUSTEE, OR BENEFIT PLAN OF THE COMPANY, IN THEIR CAPACITY AS SUCH OR OTHERWISE). ARISING OUT OF RELATING TO, OR RESULTING FROM EXECUTIVE'S EMPLOYMENT OR RELATIONSHIP WITH THE COMPANY OR THE TERMINATION OF EXECUTIVE'S EMPLOYMENT OR RELATIONSHIP WITH THE COMPANY, INCLUDING ANY BREACH OF ANY AGREEMENT BETWEEN THE PARTIES, INCLUDING THIS AGREEMENT AND THE CONFIDENTIALITY AGREEMENT, SHALL BE SUBJECT TO BINDING ARBITRATION PURSUANT TO THE FEDERAL ARBITRATION ACT (9 U.S.C. SEC. 1 ET SEQ.) (THE "FAA"). THE FAA'S SUBSTANTIVE AND PROCEDURAL PROVISIONS SHALL EXCLUSIVELY GOVERN AND APPLY WITH FULL FORCE AND EFFECT TO THIS ARBITRATION AGREEMENT, INCLUDING ITS ENFORCEMENT. ANY STATE COURT OF COMPETENT JURISDICTION SHALL STAY PROCEEDINGS PENDING ARBITRATION OR COMPEL ARBITRATION IN THE SAME MANNER AS A FEDERAL COURT UNDER THE FAA. EXECUTIVE FURTHER AGREES THAT, TO THE FULLEST EXTENT PERMITTED BY LAW, EXECUTIVE MAY BRING ANY ARBITRATION PROCEEDING ONLY IN EXECUTIVE'S INDIVIDUAL CAPACITY, AND NOT AS A PLAINTIFF, REPRESENTATIVE, OR CLASS MEMBER IN ANY PURPORTED CLASS, COLLECTIVE, OR REPRESENTATIVE LAWSUIT OR PROCEEDING. EXECUTIVE AGREES TO ARBITRATE ANY AND ALL COMMON LAW AND/OR STATUTORY CLAIMS UNDER LOCAL, STATE, OR FEDERAL LAW, INCLUDING, BUT NOT LIMITED TO, CLAIMS UNDER THE WORKER ADJUSTMENT AND RETRAINING NOTIFICATION ACT, THE FAIR LABOR STANDARDS ACT, STATE AND LOCAL WAGE PAYMENT LAWS, THE FAMILY AND MEDICAL LEAVE ACT, THE UTAH ANTIDISCRIMINATION ACT AND OTHER STATE AND LOCAL ANTI- DISCRIMINATION LAWS, FEDERAL ANTIDISCRIMINATION LAWS (INCLUDING TITLE VII OF THE CIVIL RIGHTS ACT OF 1964, THE AMERICANS WITH DISABILITIES ACT OF 1990, THE AGE DISCRIMINATION IN EMPLOYMENT ACT OF 1967, AND THE OLDER WORKERS BENEFIT PROTECTION ACT), CLAIMS RELATING TO EMPLOYMENT STATUS, CLASSIFICATION AND RELATIONSHIP WITH THE COMPANY, AND CLAIMS OF DISCRIMINATION, HARASSMENT, RETALIATION, WRONGFUL TERMINATION AND BREACH OF CONTRACT, EXCEPT AS PROHIBITED BY LAW. EXECUTIVE ALSO AGREES TO ARBITRATE (EXCEPT AS PROHIBITED BY LAW) ANY AND ALL DISPUTES ARISING OUT OF OR RELATING TO THE INTERPRETATION OR APPLICATION OF THIS AGREEMENT TO ARBITRATE, BUT NOT DISPUTES ABOUT THE ENFORCEABILITY, REVOCABILITY OR VALIDITY OF THIS AGREEMENT TO ARBITRATE OR ANY PORTION HEREOF. WITH RESPECT TO ALL SUCH CLAIMS AND DISPUTES THAT EXECUTIVE AGREES TO ARBITRATE, EXECUTIVE HEREBY EXPRESSLY AGREES TO WAIVE, AND DOES WAIVE, ANY RIGHT TO A TRIAL BY JURY. EXECUTIVE FURTHER UNDERSTANDS THAT THIS AGREEMENT TO ARBITRATE ALSO APPLIES TO ANY DISPUTES THAT THE COMPANY MAY HAVE WITH EXECUTIVE. EXECUTIVE UNDERSTANDS THAT NOTHING IN THIS AGREEMENT REQUIRES EXECUTIVE TO ARBITRATE CLAIMS THAT CANNOT BE ARBITRATED UNDER APPLICABLE LAW. SUCH AS THE SARBANES-OXLEY ACT. SIMILARLY. NOTHING IN THIS AGREEMENT PROHIBITS EXECUTIVE FROM ENGAGING IN PROTECTED ACTIVITY (AS DEFINED HEREIN).

- Administration of Arbitration. EXECUTIVE AGREES THAT ANY ARBITRATION WILL BE ADMINISTERED BY JAMS, PURSUANT TO ITS EMPLOYMENT ARBITRATION RULES & PROCEDURES (THE "JAMS RULES"), WHICH ARE AVAILABLE AT http://www.jamsadr.com/rules-employment-arbitration/ AND FROM THE COMPANY. IF THE JAMS RULES CANNOT BE ENFORCED AS TO THE ARBITRATION, THEN THE PARTIES AGREE THAT THEY WILL UTILIZE THE JAMS COMPREHENSIVE ARBITRATION RULES AND PROCEDURES OR SUCH RULES AS THE ARBITRATOR MAY DEEM MOST APPROPRIATE FOR THE DISPUTE. EXECUTIVE AGREES THAT THE ARBITRATOR SHALL HAVE THE POWER TO DECIDE ANY MOTIONS BROUGHT BY ANY PARTY TO THE ARBITRATION, INCLUDING MOTIONS FOR SUMMARY JUDGMENT AND/OR ADJUDICATION, AND MOTIONS TO DISMISS, APPLYING THE STANDARDS SET FORTH FOR SUCH MOTIONS UNDER APPLICABLE UTAH LAW, INCLUDING UTAH'S RULES OF CIVIL PROCEDURE. EXECUTIVE AGREES THAT THE ARBITRATOR SHALL ISSUE A WRITTEN DECISION ON THE MERITS. EXECUTIVE ALSO AGREES THAT THE ARBITRATOR SHALL HAVE THE POWER TO AWARD ANY REMEDIES AVAILABLE UNDER APPLICABLE LAW, AND THAT THE ARBITRATOR MAY AWARD ATTORNEYS' FEES AND COSTS TO THE PREVAILING PARTY, WHERE PERMITTED BY APPLICABLE LAW. EXECUTIVE AGREES THAT THE DECREE OR AWARD RENDERED BY THE ARBITRATOR MAY BE ENTERED AS A FINAL AND BINDING JUDGMENT IN ANY COURT HAVING JURISDICTION THEREOF, EXECUTIVE UNDERSTANDS THAT THE COMPANY WILL PAY FOR ANY ADMINISTRATIVE OR HEARING FEES CHARGED BY THE ARBITRATOR OR JAMS EXCEPT THAT EXECUTIVE SHALL PAY ANY FILING FEES ASSOCIATED WITH ANY ARBITRATION THAT EXECUTIVE INITIATES, BUT ONLY SO MUCH OF THE FILING FEES AS EXECUTIVE WOULD HAVE INSTEAD PAID HAD EXECUTIVE FILED A COMPLAINT IN A COURT OF LAW THAT WOULD HAVE HAD JURISDICTION OVER SUCH COMPLAINT. EXECUTIVE AGREES THAT THE ARBITRATOR SHALL APPLY SUBSTANTIVE UTAH LAW TO ANY DISPUTE OR CLAIM. TO THE EXTENT THAT THE JAMS RULES CONFLICT WITH SUBSTANTIVE UTAH LAW, UTAH LAW SHALL TAKE PRECEDENCE. EXECUTIVE AGREES THAT ANY ARBITRATION UNDER THIS AGREEMENT SHALL BE CONDUCTED IN SALT LAKE COUNTY, UTAH.
- (c) Remedy. EXCEPT FOR THE PURSUIT OF ANY PROVISIONAL REMEDY PERMITTED UNDER THE FAA OR UTAH CODE SECTION 109 OF THE UTAH UNIFORM ARBITRATION ACT (THE "ACT"), OR AS OTHERWISE PROVIDED BY THIS AGREEMENT, EXECUTIVE AGREES THAT ARBITRATION SHALL BE THE SOLE, EXCLUSIVE, AND FINAL REMEDY FOR ANY DISPUTE BETWEEN EXECUTIVE AND THE COMPANY. EXECUTIVE ACKNOWLEDGES AND AGREES THAT POTENTIAL BREACHES OR THREATENED BREACHES OF THE CONFIDENTIALITY AGREEMENT WILL CAUSE IRREPARABLE INJURY AND THAT MONEY DAMAGES WILL NOT PROVIDE AN ADEQUATE REMEDY THEREFOR, AND BOTH PARTIES CONSENT TO THE ISSUANCE OF AN INJUNCTION, WHETHER IN ARBITRATION OR IN CONNECTION WITH THE PROVISIONAL REMEDIES PERMITTED UNDER THE FAA OR THE ACT, WITHOUT THE POSTING OF A BOND. IN THE EVENT EITHER PARTY SEEKS SUCH INJUNCTIVE RELIEF, THE PREVAILING PARTY SHALL BE ENTITLED TO RECOVER REASONABLE COSTS AND ATTORNEYS' FEES.
- (d) Administrative Relief. EXECUTIVE UNDERSTANDS THAT THIS AGREEMENT DOES NOT PROHIBIT EXECUTIVE FROM PURSUING AN ADMINISTRATIVE CLAIM WITH A LOCAL, STATE, OR FEDERAL ADMINISTRATIVE BODY OR GOVERNMENT AGENCY THAT IS AUTHORIZED TO ENFORCE OR ADMINISTER LAWS RELATED TO EMPLOYMENT, INCLUDING, BUT NOT LIMITED TO, THE UTAH LABOR COMMISSION, THE EQUAL EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITY COMMISSION, THE NATIONAL LABOR RELATIONS BOARD, THE SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION, OR THE WORKERS' COMPENSATION BOARD. THIS AGREEMENT DOES, HOWEVER, PRECLUDE EXECUTIVE FROM PURSUING A COURT ACTION REGARDING ANY SUCH CLAIM, EXCEPT AS PERMITTED BY LAW.

- (e) Voluntary Nature of Agreement. EXECUTIVE ACKNOWLEDGES AND AGREES THAT EXECUTIVE IS EXECUTING THIS AGREEMENT TO ARBITRATE VOLUNTARILY AND WITHOUT ANY DURESS OR UNDUE INFLUENCE BY THE COMPANY OR ANYONE ELSE. EXECUTIVE FURTHER ACKNOWLEDGES AND AGREES THAT EXECUTIVE HAS CAREFULLY READ THIS AGREEMENT AND THAT EXECUTIVE HAS ASKED ANY QUESTIONS NEEDED FOR EXECUTIVE TO UNDERSTAND THE TERMS, CONSEQUENCES, AND BINDING EFFECT OF THIS AGREEMENT TO ARBITRATE AND DOES FULLY UNDERSTAND IT, INCLUDING THAT EXECUTIVE IS WAIVING EXECUTIVE'S RIGHT TO A JURY TRIAL. EXECUTIVE AGREES THAT EXECUTIVE HAS BEEN PROVIDED AN OPPORTUNITY TO SEEK THE ADVICE OF AN ATTORNEY OF EXECUTIVE'S CHOICE BEFORE SIGNING THIS AGREEMENT.
- 18.<u>Headings</u>. All captions and section headings used in this Agreement are for convenient reference only and do not form a part of this Agreement.
 - 19. Tax Withholding. All payments made pursuant to this Agreement will be subject to withholding of applicable taxes.
- 20.<u>Governing Law; Venue</u>. This Agreement will be governed by the laws of the State of UTAH (with the exception of its conflict of laws provisions).
- 21.<u>Acknowledgment</u>. Executive acknowledges that Executive has had the opportunity to discuss this matter with and obtain advice from Executive's private attorney, has had sufficient time to, and has carefully read and fully understands all the provisions of this Agreement.
- 22. <u>Counterparts</u>. This Agreement may be executed in counterparts, and each counterpart will have the same force and effect as an original and will constitute an effective, binding agreement on the part of each of the undersigned.

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By:	/s/ Andrew Hamer		
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