

ACCEPTANCE

NATIONAL PIPE LINE AGREEMENT

The undersigned has read and hereby agrees with the International Brotherhood of Teamsters to accept and be bound by all terms and conditions of the National Pipe Line Agreement between the International Brotherhood of Teamsters and the Pipe Line Contractors Association operating in the United States, and herewith accepts the same and becomes party hereto, and further agrees to be bound by any changes negotiated between the Pipe Line Contractors Association and the International Brotherhood of Teamsters during the lifetime of this agreement.

This agreement shall continue in full force and effect until June 4, 2020, and thereafter, *from year to year*, unless terminated at the option of either party after sixty (60) days' notice in writing to the other party.

COMPANY _____

ADDRESS _____

CITY _____

STATE/ZIP _____

NAME/TITLE _____

SIGNATURE _____

DATE _____

TELEPHONE/FAX or EMAIL _____

FEDERAL EMPLOYER NO. _____

INTERNATIONAL BROTHERHOOD OF TEAMSTERS:

Name/Title _____
Marion D. Davis, IBT Construction Division Director

Date _____

SCHEDULE B

**NATIONAL PIPE LINE AGREEMENT
PARTICIPATION AGREEMENT**

WHEREAS, the undersigned Employer has entered into a National Pipe Line Agreement with the International Brotherhood of Teamsters which requires said Employer to make contributions into designated funds, approved by the National Labor Relations Act, 1947, Section 302(c), at a stipulated rate and under certain conditions;

NOW, THEREFORE, IT IS AGREED by and between the undersigned Employer, the applicable multiemployer plans, and the International Brotherhood of Teamsters that such Employer hereby subscribes to the various agreements and declarations of trust and policies and procedures of the particular funds into which such Employer will be required to make contributions pursuant to the National Pipe Line Agreement and agrees to be bound thereby and to amendments made or to be made thereto, but only to the extent they are consistent with the terms of this Agreement; and authorizes the parties to such trust agreements to name the trustees and successor trustees, and to administer the trusts; and does hereby ratify and accept such trustees and the terms and conditions of said trusts; provided, however, that no amendments or provisions of said agreement or declaration of trust shall bind the Employer for any financial obligations, including, without limitation, dues delinquency determinations or exit contributions, including withdrawal liability except as otherwise required by law, beyond that set forth in the National Pipe Line Agreement pursuant to which such contributions are made. The Employer shall only be obligated to an applicable multiemployer plan if said multiemployer plan provides to Employer its EIN number. Said Employer's obligations shall also be considered within and limited by the construction industry exemption of the Employee Retirement Income Security Act ("ERISA"), as amended by the Multiemployer Pension Plan Amendments Act of 1980 ("MPPAA") as long as said Employer is a construction industry employer within the meaning of 29 U.S.C. §1383(b). Furthermore, under this Agreement Employer shall only be obligated to contribute to plans that certify that they primarily cover employees in the building and construction industry, or plans that demonstrate to the satisfaction of the Employer that they have been amended to provide that the construction industry exemptions of Sections 4203 and 4208 of ERISA apply to the Employer as long Employer is a construction employer as defined above.

DATED this ____ day of _____, 20__.

EMPLOYER:

By: _____
Name and Title

Name of Company

Address

City and State

Federal Employer Number

Telephone Tax Number

“By the execution of this agreement on behalf of its affiliated local unions, the International Brotherhood of Teamsters does so for convenience only and does not assume any liabilities with respect to such agreements and declarations of trust or with respect to local union contracts to which the International Brotherhood of Teamsters is not a party.”

ACCEPTED:

**INTERNATIONAL BROTHERHOOD OF TEAMSTERS ON
BEHALF OF ITS AFFILIATED LOCAL UNIONS**

By: _____
Title

ACCEPTED:

BY THE TRUSTEES OF THE FOLLOWING

Name of Fund

Local Union

By: _____
Authorized Business Agent